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## Labor 2018 Builds In Beaver And Lawrence Counties

By Dan Nunzir  
Labor 2018 Zone 9 Lead  
USW Local 256 President

The Pennsylvania AFL-CIO's **Labor 2018** campaign, a voter education effort leading up to the November 6<sup>th</sup> mid-term elections, is gaining momentum in Beaver and Lawrence Counties. The purpose of the campaign is to reach out to union members and get the union message out on pro-worker, pro-union candidates like Governor Tom Wolf, U.S. Senator Bob Casey, Conor Lamb and other Labor-endorsed candidates.

Unions throughout Pennsylvania have released staff representatives and members to work on the campaign in the nine zones established by the Pennsylvania AFL-CIO to implement the campaign. Beaver and Lawrence Counties are part of the campaign's Zone 9, which includes 11 Western Pennsylvania counties.

A Beaver County staging headquarters has

been established at IBEW Local 712 Hall in Vanport and a Lawrence County operations base has been established at Riverside Apartments, lower level, 125 W. North Street, New Castle.

The Beaver County staging headquarters conducts Monday - Friday phone banking from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM and evening phone banking every Tuesday and Thursday from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Phone banking also is conducted every Saturday from 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.

The Beaver campaign center also organizes Labor canvassing walks. Canvassing walk times are the same as phone banking times. Canvassers are knocking on doors armed with materials such as "Issues Matter. Vote Union" and "I'm Union. I Vote."

Phone banking and Labor canvassing walks also are being con-

ducted through the Lawrence County staging headquarters. Please call me at 724-601-1768 for the times.

At the end of this issue of the UNION BUG are a schedule of Beaver County phone bank and Labor canvassing times, and a campaign signup sheet. Please distribute the schedule and sheet to your local union membership and to our friends in allied organizations.

Completed signup sheets can be emailed back to me at [2018zone9@gmail.com](mailto:2018zone9@gmail.com). Also, please call me at 724-601-1768 if you have any questions about the campaign and how you and your local union or allied organization can participate.

Our goal is to "Save the world one door or phone call at a time! Give us three hours and we will give you a better America for working people."

**Don't Forget to VOTE**

Tuesday, November 6th

## Support Labor Endorsed Candidates

**Governor:** Tom Wolf (D)

**U.S. Senate:** Bob Casey (D)

**U.S. Congress:**

16<sup>th</sup> District - Ronald DiNicola (D)

17<sup>th</sup> District - Conor J. Lamb (D)

**Pa. Senate:**

46<sup>th</sup> District - James R. Craig (D)

**Pa. House of Reps:**

9<sup>th</sup> District - Chris Sainato (D)

10<sup>th</sup> District - Darcelle Slappy (G)

15<sup>th</sup> District - Terri Mitko (D)

16<sup>th</sup> District - Robert Matzie (D.)

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# President's Report

By Rick Galiano  
Labor Council President

\* The Pa. AFL-CIO has endorsed the candidacy of Darcelle Slappy for the Pa. House of Representatives 10<sup>th</sup> District seat. The Labor Council voted at its August meeting to recommend that the Pa. AFL-CIO endorse her candidacy. The ballot after the May primary election did not offer a pro-Labor choice

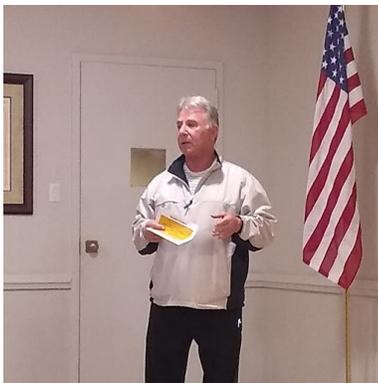
because the incumbent Republican was able to grab the Democratic nomination. Darcelle, a lifelong Democrat, provides the voters of the 10<sup>th</sup> District with a pro-Labor choice with her nomination by the Green Party.

\* Greg Kelly, IAMAW Lodge 52; Nick Johannngmeier, IAMAW District 98 organizer and Matthew Cowie, IBEW Local 712, were installed as Labor Council delegates at the Sep-

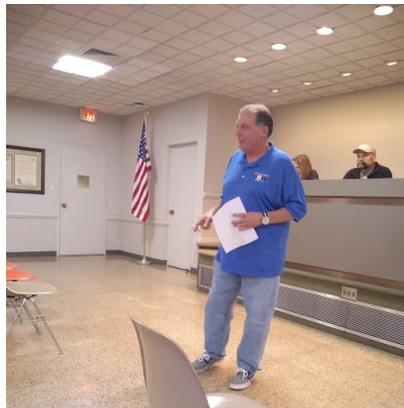
tember Labor Council. Nick was a NWALF staff until he began working for the IAMAW in January of this year. Welcome back to the Labor Council, Nick.

\* Thank you to IAM Local 1976 for sponsoring the food and refreshments at the September meeting.

\* A pictorial review of the September Labor Council membership meeting is below.



Joe Spanik, former Beaver County Commissioner and former Beaver County Labor Council Executive Board member, announcing a fundraiser for U.S. Rep. Conor Lamb at September membership meeting. Rep. Lamb is the Pa AFL-CIO endorsed candidate for the newly created Pennsylvania 17<sup>th</sup> Congressional District seat. The fundraiser will be held on October 15<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 PM to 6:30 PM at the Wooden Angel in Beaver. The list of hosts included Joe and IBEW International President Emeritus Ed Hill. Please see the event flyer at the end of this issue of the UNION BUG for additional details.



Dan Nunzir, Pa. AFL-CIO Labor 2018 Zone 9 Lead, addressing September Labor Council meeting. See Page 1 article for additional details.



Labor Council Community Services Director reporting to September Labor Council meeting on planning for the Labor Council's October 5<sup>th</sup> Beer and Wing Night fundraiser.



Labor Council President Rick Galiano administering oath of office to new Labor Council delegates at September Labor Council meeting. (L-R) Greg Kelly, IAMAW Lodge 52; Nick Johannngmeier, IAMAW District 98 organizer; and Matthew Cowie, IBEW Local 712.



Labor Council Executive Vice President Dan Onuska (L) and President Rick Galiano (R) express sympathy of the Labor Executive Board and membership to the families of Brian Sallis and Melissa Nesmith at September Labor Council meeting. Brian died on September 7<sup>th</sup> and Melissa died on September 8<sup>th</sup>. They were brother and sister. Brian was a member of IBEW Local 29 and Melissa was a member of SEIU Healthcare Pa. at the Brighton Wellness and Rehabilitation Center. Their father, Willie Sallis, has worked closely with the Labor Council as President of the Beaver County NAACP.



John Leonard of Faith Restorations, Inc. Food Pantry at September Labor Council meeting. Faith Restorations enhances the quality of life for those in need, especially veterans, through home repairs, food resources and spiritual support. John asked that union members support Faith Restorations by becoming sustaining donors ([www.faihtrestorations.org](http://www.faihtrestorations.org)) or mailing contributions to 186 Wagner Road, Monaca, PA 15061. Please see the flyer at the end of this issue of the UNION BUG for additional information.



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- Candy Bars

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# In Brief



Pa. AFL-CIO Secretary-Treasurer Frank Snyder and Darcelle Slappy, Green Party candidate for the Pennsylvania 10<sup>th</sup> House of Representatives seat, at USW Local 1211's rededication the NLRB v. J&L historical marker program in Aliquippa on September 27<sup>th</sup>. The Pa. AFL-CIO has endorsed Darcelle's candidacy.



Labor Council Trustee Rev. Kevin Lee addressing "Defeat Hate - Vote" rally on September 22<sup>nd</sup> at Beaver County Courthouse. The rally was sponsored by the Beaver County NAACP and the Beaver-Lawrence Moral Monday Committee. Rev. Lee pointed out that the Labor Movement is working closely with the Civil Rights Movement so that "hate cannot become the new normal."



Labor Council Executive Vice-President Dan Onuska and Beaver County Commissioner Tony Amadio with Terri Mitko, Pa. AFL-CIO endorsed candidate for the Pa. House of Representatives 15<sup>th</sup> District seat, at the Beaver-Lawrence Central Labor Council's Beer and Wing Night. The Beer and Wing Night was held at Robert's Roadside Inn in Beaver on October 5<sup>th</sup>. The proceeds will benefit the Labor Council's COPE fund.



Pa. AFL-CIO Secretary-Treasurer Frank Snyder (standing at left side of historical marker) with Beaver Lawrence Central Labor Council delegates at September 27<sup>th</sup> NLRB v. J&L Historical Marker Rededication Program: (L-R) Vice-Resident Mark Benkart, Nick Johannngmeier, Denise Cox, Executive Vice-President Dan Onuska, Christ Atsides, former Executive Board member Joe Spanik, Trustee Jan Carpenter and Vice-President Linwood Alford. Secretary-Treasurer Snyder welcomed the attendees on behalf of the Pa. AFL-CIO and its affiliated unions. His remarks focused on the need for a large turnout of labor union member in the 2018 general election in order to preserve the right to collective bargaining established by the U.S. Supreme Court decision in NLRB v. J&L. The program also featured a screening of "Struggles in Steel," a film about the efforts of Black Steelworkers to extend the rights established by the NLRB v. J&L decision to all industrial workers. The film's director, Tony Buba, moderated a panel discussion about the film after the screening. The Rededication Program was sponsored by USW Local 1211 who worked at J&L's Aliquippa Works and who were fired for participating in the drive to unionize the Works, provided the testimony that formed the factual basis of the Supreme Court's decision.



(L-R) Richard Wukich, New Castle NAACP President; Jeremy Mc Nutt, President, Carpenters Local 420; and Linwood Alford, Beaver-Lawrence Central Labor Council Vice-President and Director of Civil Rights and Economic Justice at Beaver County NAACP 21<sup>st</sup> annual Human Rights Banquet. The banquet was held on October 6<sup>th</sup> at the Club at Shadow Lakes in Hopewell Township. The theme of the banquet was "Take a Stand." The Labor Council delegation to the event included President Rick Galiano and Ex. Vice-President Dan Onuska.



Left: Beaver-Lawrence Central Labor Council Executive Vice-President Dan Onuska, left, with Congressman Connor Lamb at October 6<sup>th</sup> Beaver County NAACP banquet.

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We're on the Web:  
[pa.aflcio.org/349](http://pa.aflcio.org/349)

## Calendar of Events

- 10/12 We Can Make Darcelle Slappy Our Next State Representative [10<sup>th</sup> District] Spagetti Dinner: 5:00 PM-9:00 PM, Beaver Falls American Legion, 716 16<sup>th</sup> Street, Beaver Falls. See flyer at the end of this issue of the UNION BUG.
- 10/13 New Castle NAACP Freedom Fund Banquet: 6:00 PM, Stone Quarry Banquet Center, 4512 West State Street, Edinburg, Pa. 16132. Call Evelyn Ward, 724-654-0559 for tickets and additional information.
- 10/13 IBEW Local 201 Wing Bash to benefit Local 201 Social Fund; Robert's Roadside Inn, Bridgewater. Call Local 201 at 724-774-6958 for tickets and additional information.
- 10/14 Tea With The Candidates: 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM; Oak Arbor Grill; 500 Market St., Bridgewater; Hear from Amy Fazio, Terri Mitko, and Darcelle Slappy; hosted by Beaver County Voice for Change. See flyer at the end of this issue of the UNION BUG.
- 10/15 Reception in Support of Conor Lamb: 5:00 PM, Wooden Angel Restaurant, 308 Leopard Lane, Beaver. See flyer at end of this issue of the UNION BUG.
- 10/15 Beaver-Lawrence Central Labor Council Executive Board and membership meetings: Executive Board - 6:00 PM; Membership – 7:30 PM; IBEW 712, Vanport.
- 10/23 NewCastle NAACP Meet the Candidates: 7:00 PM, Local 261 Teamsters Hall, 351 North Gate Circle, New Castle. See flyer at the end of this issue of the UNION BUG.
- 10/27 Greater Westmoreland Labor Council 31<sup>st</sup> Annual Labor Recognition Dinner: 5:30 PM, Ferrante's Lakeview Restaurant, 6153 Route 30, Greensburg. See flyer and registration form at end of this issue of the UNION BUG.
- 11/06 **Election Day**
- 11/19 Beaver-Lawrence Central Labor Council Executive Board and membership meetings: Executive Board - 6:00 PM; Membership – 7:30 PM; PSEA Building, New Castle.

Calendar of Events submissions must be emailed to Jody Kohser, Calendar of Events Coordinator, at [jkohser@verizon.net](mailto:jkohser@verizon.net), by 6:00 p.m. on November 12th to be considered for publication in the November 2018 Issue of the **UNION BUG**.



# Volunteer for Labor 2018

## Labor Day – Election Day

Save the world one door or phone call at a time!  
Give us three hours and we will give you a better America for working people.

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- Make Phone Calls
- Help at HQ

### Our volunteer shifts are approximately 3 hours. I can help:

- One or more shifts as time permits.
- One shift a week.
- One or more days a week.

### Contact information:

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## **Phone Banks and Labor Walks**

**IBEW LOCAL 712**

**217 Sassafras Alley, Beaver, PA**

- **Daily Phone Banks & Canvas Walks 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.**
- **Evening Phone Banks Tuesdays & Thursdays 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM.**
- **Saturday Phone Banks and Canvas Walks 10:00 AM to 1:00 PM.**

**We need your help,** reaching out to union members and getting our union message out on pro-worker, pro-union candidates like **Governor Tom Wolf, U.S. Senator Bob Casey, and Congressman Conor Lamb along with other Labor-endorsed candidates.**

**If you can help, please contact:**

**Dan Nunzir**

**Cell – 724-601-1768**

**Email – [dnunzir@comcast.net](mailto:dnunzir@comcast.net) or  
[2018zone9@gmail.com](mailto:2018zone9@gmail.com)**



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# TEA WITH THE CANDIDATES

Join **TERRI MITKO**, **AMY FAZIO** and **DARCELLE SLAPPY** for a Ladies Tea on Oct. 14 at 11:30 a.m. at Oak Arbor Grille in Bridgewater. Hear from the candidates directly and ask questions. Tickets are \$25 and include a drink and finger sandwiches. **RSVP:** <https://bit.ly/2xth8Fh>

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Nancy Patton Mills

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**Monday, October 15, 2018**

5:00 PM – 6:30 PM

**At the Wooden Angel Restaurant  
308 Leopard Ln, Beaver, PA 15009**

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***31<sup>st</sup> Annual Labor Recognition Dinner  
&  
Celebration of the United Mine Workers***

**Saturday, October 27th**

**Lakeview Restaurant**  
6153 Rte. 30 West, Greensburg

**Fellowship and Cash Bar at 5:30 pm**  
**Dinner at 6:30 pm**

*Dinner \$65.00                      Tables of 8 for \$495.00*

**2018 Outstanding Labor Honoree**

***Ed Yankovich***  
***International District #2 Vice President***  
***The United Mineworkers of America***

**2018 Government Honoree:**

***Invited: Governor Tom Wolf***

**Special Recognition**

***Rita Yantko, Retired***  
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*Call Harriet Ellenberger, Dinner Chair, for more information 724-423-2878  
email: [ellenberger@zoominternet.net](mailto:ellenberger@zoominternet.net)*

Greater Westmoreland County Labor Council's  
***31st Annual Labor Recognition Dinner***

**Saturday, October 27, 2018**

**Ferrante's Lakeview, 6153 Route 30, Greensburg**

**Cash Bar & Fellowship at 5:30 pm – Dinner at 6:30 pm**

# Dinners at \$65.00 each \_\_\_\_\_ # Table(s) of 8 at \$495.00 each \_\_\_\_\_

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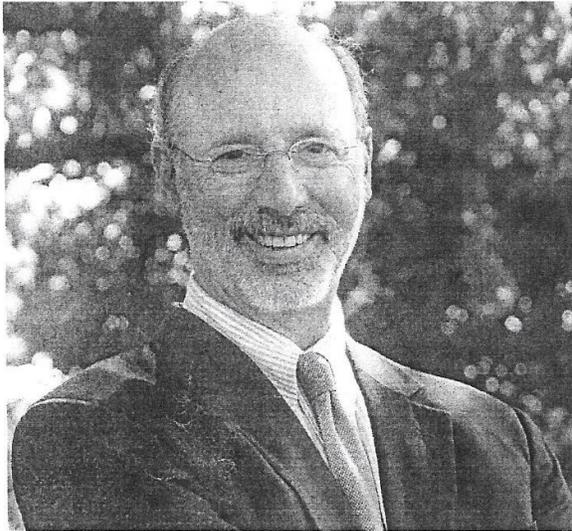
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# NAACP

## Meet the Candidates



**7:00 PM OCTOBER 23, 2018**  
**The Pennsylvania U. S. Senate Seat**

Governor - Wolf (Democrat), Wagner (Republican), Glover (Libertarian), Krawchuck (Green)

Lt. Governor - Fetterman (Democrat), Bartos (Republican), Bostick (Libertarian), Smith (Green)

U. S. Senate - Casey (Democrat), Barletta (Republican), Kerns (Libertarian), Gale (Green)

Representative in Congress - 16th District - DiNicola (Democrat), Kelly (Republican), Beeman (Libertarian)

9th District, PA House - Sainato (Democrat), vs Michalek (Republican)

10th District, PA House - Slappy (Green), Berstien (Republican)

17th District, PA House - Wentling Unopposed

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