

**REPORT FROM THE DIRECTOR FOR YOUNG WORKERS
TO THE ATLANTIC REGIONAL COUNCIL
APRIL 2024**

Friends,

In my role as the Director for Young Workers in the Atlantic region, I've had a rewarding journey and am grateful for the chance to contribute to the union at this level. My time in this position has been a valuable learning experience, and I'm excited about applying these lessons throughout the remainder of my term.

I've taken pride in fostering connections with regional young worker committees, providing a platform for open communication and building a network of engaged individuals across the region. Additionally, I've actively participated in and contributed to various regional council committees, working collaboratively to address the needs and concerns of our members.

While these accomplishments have been fulfilling, challenges have arisen, particularly in launching new committees in areas outside major urban centers and translating interest into engagement in cities like St. John's and Moncton. Despite these hurdles, I remain committed to finding effective solutions and enhancing our outreach efforts.

Looking ahead, I'm excited to continue learning and working with you all. Our shared goal of improving conditions for all members in the region remains at the forefront, and I am dedicated to addressing challenges alongside this team. Together, we'll work towards creating a more inclusive and impactful union, ensuring a brighter future for all our members in the Atlantic region.

Please accept my activity report as the Director for Young Workers, Atlantic.

In solidarity,

Ryan Smith

ACTIVITY REPORT

June 2023

Date	Event	Location
1-4	PSAC Atlantic Triennial Convention	St. John's, NL
8	PEI Young Worker Committee Meeting	Summerside, PEI (attended virtually)
22	PEI Young Worker Bowling Social	Teleconference
24	Halifax Young Worker Committee BBQ	Dartmouth, NS

September 2023

Date	Event	Location
15-17	PSAC National Young Worker Conference	Toronto, ON
26	Halifax Young Worker Committee Meeting	Dartmouth, NS
27	PEI Young Worker Committee Meeting	Virtual

October 2023

Date	Event	Location
26-28	Atlantic Regional Council Retreat	St. Andrews, NB

November 2023

Date	Event	Location
30	St. John's Young Worker Committee Planning Meeting	St. Andrews, NB

December 2023

Date	Event	Location
15-17	PSAC National Leadership Training	Ottawa, ON

January 2024

Date	Event	Location
6	Regional Health & Safety Prep Meeting	Phone
8	Atlantic Regional Health & Safety Meeting	Virtual

10	Halifax Young Workers Committee Annual General Meeting	Dartmouth, NS
12	Regional Environment Committee Prep Meeting	Virtual
18	Atlantic Environment Committee Meeting	Virtual
24	PSAC National Young Worker Hangout	Virtual
25	St. John's Young Worker Committee Re-Launch	St. John's, NL (attended virtually)

February 2024

Date	Event	Location
7	Fredericton Young Worker Committee Annual General Meeting	Fredericton, NB (attended virtually)
9	Halifax Young Worker Wing Social	Dartmouth, NS
10	Rally in Support of Java Blend Employees	Halifax, NS
20	Atlantic Regional Council Meeting	Virtual
27	Phoenix Freeze Out	New Glasgow, NS

March 2024

Date	Event	Location
5	Nova Scotia Federation of Labour All Committee Meeting	Dartmouth, NS
5	Halifax Young Worker Committee Meeting	Dartmouth, NS
15-17	PSAC Atlantic All-Chair Summit	Halifax, NS