

What Have Unions Done for You?

Well, a heck of a lot, actually. Let's run down a short list:

Weekends

Paid vacations

The 8-hour work day

Ending child labour

Work breaks, including paid lunch breaks

Equal pay for equal work for women

Abolition of sweatshops

Sick leave

Canada Pension Plan

Universal health care

The minimum wage

Pregnancy and parental Leave

The right to strike

Anti-discrimination rules at work

Overtime pay

Occupational health and safety

40 hour work week

Worker's compensation

Employment Insurance

Pensions

Public education

Collective bargaining rights for employees

Wrongful termination laws

Whistleblower protection laws

Anti-sexual harassment laws

Holiday pay