

MAY DAY

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MAY DAY is here!

Be sure to read through today's email for all of the information you'll need to have a safe, joyful, powerful day in Raleigh with your coworkers and other community supporters.



Check out the [NCAE May Day Guide](#) before you head to Raleigh!

LOGISTICS:

- May Day Attendee Guide: kidsovercorporations.org/may-1-guide
- Guilford transportation Information (BUS SEATS STILL AVAILABLE!): tinyurl.com/MayDayTransport
 - Parking will be very limited.
 - Train tickets are SOLD OUT!
 - We recommend that you [get on the bus](#) with your coworkers!
- NCAE Transportation Information: link.ncae.org/MayDayParking
- Volunteers still needed: link.ncae.org/Volunteer-May-1st

BUSES:

- [Get your ticket today!](#)
- Show up at your designated parking lot at 8:00 AM on Friday! (Buses plan to pull out at 8:15.)
- Your Bus Captain will make sure you know when and where to meet the bus at the end of the day.
- *Check your email* for more details from Transportation Captain Lisa Randall.

LOCAL MEET-UP:

- Feel free to find your people at any point throughout the day!
- During regional breakouts at 1:30, Guilford will be meeting on the west side of the Mall, and your marshals will help you find where to be.
- Our Guilford team met for an Art Build on Saturday and created some beautiful displays for the Supreme Court landmark

May Day Escalation Calendar

DATE	SOLIDARITY EVENT
Wednesday, April 29	Kids Over Corporations Banner Drop with Indivisible mobilize.us/indivisible/event/827367/
Friday, May 1	MAY DAY IN RALEIGH! mobilize.us/ncae/event/932021/
Saturday, May 2	Triad May Day March & Rally actionnetwork.org/events/may-day-8
Thursday, May 14	GCAE Mass Meeting - May Day debrief and planning for the next big collective action! tinyurl.com/GCAEmass5-14-26

This is a movement! Remember, May Day Strong is making a *national* call for *no work, no school, no shopping* on May Day. It's even on TV! Labor leaders Richard Koritz and O.W. Sweeney talked to GCAE President Joanna Pendleton recently on the Greensboro local labor show, [You Gotta Laugh to Keep from Cryin](#), about May Day in NC and the Triad.

Plug In and Build YOUR Union

**NCAE May Day 2026:
Workers Over Billionaires**

mobilize.us/nea/event/92478

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Friday, May 1

Raleigh

Register

Triad May Day March & Rally actionnetwork.org/events/may-day-8	Saturday, May 2 Downtown Greensboro	Register
Retirement Workshop with Colleen Information	Monday, May 4 6:30 PM Virtual	Register
GCAE Mass Meeting tinyurl.com/GCAEmass5-14-26	Thursday, May 14 5:30 - 7:30 PM Smith High School	Register
Have a Building Meeting!	any time at YOUR work site!	Sample Agenda
Take a #RedForEd Group Photo	Every Wednesday at YOUR work site!	How To #RedForEd

Need some union swag? Check out the [GCAE Shirt Shop!](#)

Ways to Plug In with NCAE & NEA:

GCAE is the local affiliate of our state union, NCAE, and our national union, NEA. The following opportunities are available for all GCAE members ready to learn one more thing, take one more step, or dig just a little bit deeper.

- **Kids Over Corporations Community Info Session**
 - Wednesday, April 29, 6:30-7:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/ncae/event/915690/>
- **Volunteer at May Day!**
 - Friday, May 1
 - Raleigh
 - Sign up: <http://link.ncae.org/Volunteer-May-1st>
- **NCAE NBCT Network Support Sessions**
 - May 12, May 19

- Virtual
 - [Information & Registration](#)
 - **Connect with NCAE & NEA**
 - Fill out: <http://join.nea.org/north-carolina/connect>
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Ways to Plug In with Our Community Partners:

- **May Day: Solidarity in Action**
 - Wednesday, April 29, 8:00-9:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/mayday/event/942999/>
 - **GCS Community Zoom Call: Why is School Closed on May 1st?**
 - Thursday, April 30, 7:00-8:00 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/carolinafederation/event/941871/>
 - **May Day Triad, NC: March & Rally**
 - Saturday, May 2, 3:00-5:00 PM
 - Downtown Greensboro
 - Register: <https://actionnetwork.org/events/may-day-8>
 - **G4A Parent Power: Guilford Families Fighting for Our Schools**
 - Thursday, May 7, 5:45-7:30 PM
 - Greensboro
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/downhomenc/event/882748/>
 - **Public School Strong Organizing Meeting**
 - Tuesday, May 12, 7:00-8:30 PM
 - Virtual
 - Register: <https://www.mobilize.us/downhomenc/event/596321/>
 - **Participate in a study for inclusion specialists**
 - [Information](#)
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