NEIUPI Bargaining Update #1



In the Bargaining Session held on Tuesday, September 27, the NEIU Administration rejected EVERY ONE of the proposals that we have made in bargaining so far.

Among these are:

• A proposal authored by our membership to expand the language related to Diversity, Equity and Inclusion protections.

The Administration claims that they do not know how to operationalize the proposal.

• A proposal to provide technical assistance to faculty teaching hyflex classes (those that require us to teach in person and remotely at the same time).

The Administration claims they already provide enough tech support and do not want to single out a particular technology.

• A request that when classes are converted to tutored studies, the class gets to keep the room originally assigned.

The Administration does not want to give up control over their facilities.

The NEIU Administration does not respect us. If we don't want our working conditions to deteriorate further, we must present a united front and fight!

WHAT CAN I DO RIGHT NOW?

Wear Green on Tuesdays!

Every Tuesday this year will be "UPI Tuesday," so wear green! We will have activities and support for our bargaining team, informational speakers and tabling in Village Square. Stay tuned to these updates for more info.

Show up at <u>bargaining</u> and raise hell!

Stop by our table on UPI Tuesdays to get shirts, buttons, posters and swag and learn about our contract negotiations.

Meet with your constituency reps when they reach out to you.

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