Press Advisory for Immediate Release For Labor Day, Monday, September 4, 2017

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Workers to Celebrate Labor Day with LaborFest 2017 on Monday, September 4th

Madison, WI – The South Central Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO (SCFL) will celebrate Labor Day with its annual LaborFest on Monday, September 4th at the Madison Labor Temple grounds on South Park Street. *Natty Nation* and *Chris Plata with Extra Hot* will perform. The event is free and open to the public. Family-friendly activities include magic shows, face painting, a bounce house, balloon twister, and a caricature artist.

This year, we are featuring a Harley Davidson Raffle to raise proceeds for St. Jude's Children's Hospital, Research for Esophageal Cancer, and a Workers Memorial stage and garden. Our thanks to Carol Copan for her generous donation.

SCFL's Community Services Committee will be collecting deodorant, small bottles of laundry detergent, liquid body wash, shampoo, toothpaste, toothbrushes, hand/body lotion, and food gift cards for homeless students in the Madison area.

Who: South Central Federation of Labor, AFL-CIO (SCFL)
What: LaborFest 2017, a family-friendly celebration open to the general public
Where: Madison Labor Temple Grounds, 1602 S. Park St.
When: 12:00 PM – 5:30 PM, Monday, September 4th (Labor Day) 12:00pm: Cris Plata with Extra Hot
1:00pm and 3:00 PM: Magic shows by Scott the Great
2:00pm: Solidarity Roll Call w/ Mark Hoffmann from IBEW Local 159 leading us in the song, Solidarity Forever
3:00pm: Natty Nation

Cost: Free, with food and beverages available for purchase.

For more information: Contact the SCFL office at 608-256-5111 or TheFed@scfl.org

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