

***Dave Nickle***

***Peterborough and District Labour Council***

***Labour Activist of the Year Award***

**Dave Nickle worked in a number of jobs to pay his way through university and has a great respect for the challenges faced by average Canadian workers. Dave currently teaches at Thomas A. Stewart Secondary School and has held many positions within his local union, the Ontario Secondary School Teachers Federation, including as past president for District 14.**

**If you're up early Saturday mornings you can usually catch a glimpse of Dave down at the Farmers' Market with a petition in hand fighting for justice.**

**Dave is a member of the Peterborough Health Coalition as well as social justice and anti-poverty committees, to name just a few where he gives his time freely. He has been the provincial New Democratic Party candidate for three consecutive elections and has served on the executive of the Peterborough and District Labour Council for many years. He is always ready and willing to support labour's issues and to serve his community.**

**The Labour Council is proud to present the 2007 Labour Activist of the Year Award to Dave Nickle.**

**Nominated by Margot Marshall and Dean Shewring**