

2024 AFT Massachusetts Awards Dinner

We're excited to celebrate the 2024 winners at the Edward M. Kennedy Institute for the United States Senate. Senator Kennedy was a champion for working people who always fought for our public schools, good jobs, full employment, and safe working conditions. Senator Kennedy was also a champion of public education. AFT Massachusetts, like Senator Kennedy, is proud to champion our students.

Musicians



Nichelle J. Mungo

Associate Professor, Voice,
Berklee College of Music
Vice President for PT Faculty,
Berklee Faculty Union



David Thorne Scott

Professor, Voice,
Berklee College of Music
Executive Vice President,
Berklee Faculty Union

Keynote Speaker



Chrissy Lynch

President,
Massachusetts AFL-CIO

Musicians



Paul Gaudet

Elementary Music Teacher (*Retired*)
Billerica Teachers (AFT #1677)
Lowell, MA



Katie Cohen

Industrial Areas Foundation,
Lead Organizer
Shenandoah Valley, Virginia



Congratulations to our Locals celebrating Anniversaries with the AFT.

AFT Local 1033
AFT Amesbury
2/24/1949 – 75 years

AFT Local 1037
Lynn Teachers Union
4/21/1949 – 75 years

AFT Local 3199
Assabet Valley Federation of Teachers
4/1/1974 – 50 years

AFT Local 3234
Nashoba Valley Federation of Teachers
4/1/1974 - 50 years

AFT Local 3275
Holliston Federation of Teachers
9/1/1974 – 50 years

Congratulations to our Massachusetts AFL-CIO 2024 Labor Scholarship Award Recipients.

All recipients will receive a \$1,500.00 scholarship award. Winners were selected based on their score on the Massachusetts AFL-CIO annual labor examination and must have a parent or guardian who is a dues-paying member from one of our AFT Massachusetts locals.

Kathleen A. Kelley Scholarship Award

Stella Portadin
Mansfield High School

Jay Porter Scholarship Award

Madison Kelly
Bishop Feehan High School

Albert Shanker Scholarship Award

Sean Monteiro Gomes
Boston College High School

Christos Meimeteas
Hamilton Wenham Regional High School

Grace Wilson
North Attleboro High School

Connor Goudreau
Timberlane High School

Ryan Murphy
St. John's Prep High School

Sandra Feldman Scholarship Award

Sophia Lyons
Framingham High School

Matthew Maderos
Boston College High School



Beth Kontos, President · Brant Duncan, Secretary-Treasurer



Chrissy Lynch, President

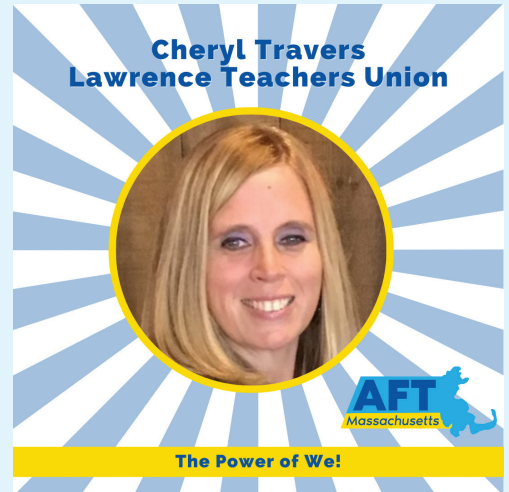
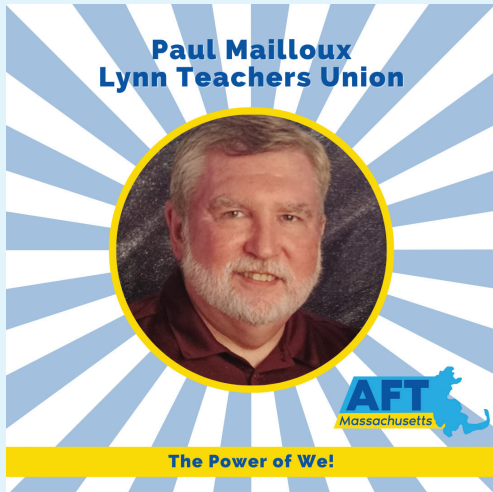
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Congratulations to our AFT Massachusetts 2024 Distinguished Service Award Recipients.

The AFT Massachusetts Distinguished Service Awards are presented annually to AFT Massachusetts members who have demonstrated an outstanding level of service and dedication to their local union.

DESE licensed member in the PreK-12 system, vocational education, or school collaboratives



Retired AFT Massachusetts member



Public and private higher education system employee, municipal librarian, or nurse



Non-licensed member in the PreK-12 system, vocational education, and school collaboratives (paraprofessional or school related-personnel PSRPs)

Emerging Leader

