

CBTU 51ST Annual Convention
Power of the Past, Force for the Future
WHEN WE FIGHT, WE WIN!!

The CBTU Conventions always reminds me of the work we need to do and who and what we need to do to keep the fight going.

Every time I listen to President Melvin and President Saunders, it gives me that burst of energy I need to keep doing what I do. They always speak with such fire and passion, from the panel discussions right down to President Melvin's, little "sermon" after choir rehearsal, its hard to sit still!!!!

One thing that was mentioned several times at the convention. We have to get our young people involved. We need to listen to what they have to say and don't be so quick to dismiss their views. We want to make sure we are doing what we can by teaching our children and young men and women coming up behind us so they can keep the fight going.

Sometimes as we get older we have got to learn to teach and then start moving out of the way. We get so set in our old ways and don't want to change. Change is necessary, inevitable and is sometimes good.

If you are 40 and under and ready to get involved. CBTU is looking for you. Reach out to me and lets get to work!

The business of Cannabis: Creating an Industry that Works for Everyone. YES, this was one of our Panel Discussions

** created 321,000 union jobs
** \$25 billion dollars, made, legally

Don't want to t make this a book. Great speakers and topics

Maxine Waters

CBTU - Rocked The Boat
Organized Labor
Biden is sending \$\$ to Ukraine because we have to stop Putan. Him and 45 support each other.
Government giving money to help the homeless and Section 8
21 states with voter suppression laws
The Fight for Justice never ends
We have to pass the baton on

Petee Talley

We need to get more involved in Civic Engagement
We had a record number of voter turn out in 2020 more than we did in 2012. We always seem to fall short when it comes to the mid terms elections.

There was so much more info shared, but don't want to turn this into a mini book!!

Elections

Yep, President Melvin was re elected!

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