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Barbs Beat!!

- Let's talk about logging in...so many of us start the log in process before our tour starts. Don't do it! For example, if you're scheduled to work at 8 am, don't even begin to sign in until 8 am. We do NOT work for free! No one can require or even ask us to do this if they're not paying us. Time is money, even if it's just a few minutes. If you add up those minutes over the course of a week, month or a year that's valuable time that you gave away. Slow systems are not our problem!
- Speaking of money, CPS and attendance lump sum payments are coming on 3/6. CPS is \$829.00. Our RSU payment will come on 3/20 and it is \$1621.00.
- Your local stewards will be happy to answer questions or concerns regarding any of these items. Our team works for YOU!

Steward Spotlight

My name is Lou DeCarolis. I have been working at Verizon for almost 20 years. During that time I've definitely come to appreciate the benefits that belonging to the union has provided to me and my family.

One of the most memorable for me was during the last strike when the company offered its last best and final offer. About that time I read an article that quoted a union representative that stuck with me, it said "united we bargain divided we beg." Without the bargaining power of the union we would not have the benefits we have today. I will do everything in my power to represent and prevent my fellow union brothers and sisters from being treated unfairly.



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