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Thursday 31ST October

Pre-Conference Events

10:00am – 3:00pm

(Parallel) Campaign College (closed to media)

EPMU, Cashel Street, Central City

7:30pm – 9:00pm

Community and Local Organisations Forum

Inner-city Venue - TBC

Friday 1ST November

7:30am – 9:00am (TBC)

Corporate Reception (closed to media)

Venue TBC

Sector Meetings (closed to media) (confirmed in bold)

Time slot available	Sector	Location	Room
9:30 am - 1:30 am	Affiliates	Wigram Events Centre	Brevet
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Ethnic	Wigram Events Centre	Main Hall
9:00 am - 1:30 pm	Kirk	Wigram Events Centre	TBA
9:30 am - 1:30 pm	Local Government	Wigram Events Centre	Planning Room
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Pasifika	Wigram Events Centre	Classroom
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Rainbow Labour	Wigram Events Centre	Morrison 2
9:00 am - 1:30 pm	Regional and Rural	Harvard Community Lounge	Harvard 1
10:30 am - 1:30 pm	Te Kaunihera Maori	Harvard Community Lounge	Harvard 2
10:00 am - 1:30 pm	Women's	Wigram Events Centre	Theatre
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Young Labour	Wigram Events Centre	Morrison 1

12:00 noon – **Registration opens; closing time for amendments** to the Policy Platform, and to Policy Proposals

2:00pm – 4:30pm

Policy Workshops – 6 subject-based groups meeting for 2 ½ hours with refreshment break as required.

Considering amendments to the Policy Platform and to the prioritised Policy Proposals, and other Policy Proposals.

Various rooms and Harvard Community Lounge

5:00pm – **closing time for amendments** to Constitutional Remits

Sector Meetings (closed to media)

Time	Sector	Location	Room
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Environment	Wigram Events Centre	Morrison
5:30 pm - 6:30 pm	Senior	Wigram Events Centre	TBA



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Friday 1ST November continued

5:30pm – 6:00pm

**A Guide to the Conference
for first time attendees**

*Rachel Boyack, Sonya Church, a
Christchurch representative and
Policy Council representative
Room TBC*

5:30pm – 6:00pm

**Meeting of Conference
Business Committee**

(closed to media)
Speakers Lounge – Backstage

5:45pm – 6:00pm

Media Briefing

*Main Plenary Hall - Wigram
Events Centre*

Opening evening programme

6:30pm to 10:00pm

In Main Plenary Hall - Wigram Events Centre and then the Harvard Lounge

5:45pm

Doors open

6:30pm-6:50pm

Mihi Whakatau (Tangata Whenua welcome)

6:50pm-6:55pm

Introduction by NZLP President – Moira Coatsworth

6:55pm – 7:00pm

Introduction by MC – Megan Woods, MP for Wigram

7:00pm – 7:10pm

Leaders' Opening Address – David Cunliffe

7:10pm – 7:30pm

Civic welcome to the City, including Poto Williams, Labour Candidate for Christchurch East

7:30pm – 7:40pm

(Wrap-up; music)

7:40pm – 10:00pm

**Conference Welcome Social – Harvard Community Lounge (located across the road from the venue)
with barbeque, salads and live music by “Eastern”, an immensely popular local band - “a string band that roars
like a punk band, that swings like a gospel band, that drinks like a country band, that works like a bar band, that hopes like folk
singers, and sings love songs like union songs, and writes union songs like love songs, and wants to slow dance and stand on
tables, all at the same time”. Sponsored by Labour’s affiliated unions.**



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Saturday 2nd November

7:00am – 8.30am

Multi-Faith Breakfast

Venue to be confirmed

7:00am – 8:30am

Women's Breakfast

Venue to be confirmed

9:00am – 9:05am

Introduction by Megan Woods MP, MC

All following Saturday events in Main Plenary Hall - Wigram Events Centre unless otherwise stated

9:05am – 9:25am

Address by **Labour Party President Moira Coatsworth.**

9:25am – 9:35am (may not be required)

NZC Elections – Candidate introduction

9:35am – 11:00am

Policy Platform Session 1

Introduced by David Parker (Deputy Leader and Chair of the Policy Council) and Moira Coatsworth

11:00am – 11:20pm **REFRESHMENT BREAK**

11:20am – 12:45pm

Policy Platform Session 2

12:45pm – 1:45pm **LUNCH BREAK**

12:45pm – 1:45pm

Meet and Greet Session with Expo Stallholders

Expo stall area - Wigram Events Centre

1:45pm – 2,15pm

Address by Helen Kelly, President, NZCTU

2:15pm – 2:45pm

Goran Roos, Honorary Professor, Warwick Business School, UK; founder of Intellectual Capital Services Ltd, a leading technology and business futures think tank; a world expert in innovation management and strategy.

introduced by Deputy Leader, David Parker

3:10pm – 3:55pm

Leaders Address – David Cunliffe

Main Plenary Hall - Wigram Events Centre

4:00pm – 6:00pm

Door knocking in Christchurch East for by election campaign (*transport provided*)

6:30pm – 12:00am

Conference Social Event – Night of Maori Magic (*limited numbers*)

Christchurch Polytechnic Institute of Technology Marae - Pre-ticket sales

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Sunday 3rd November

7:30am - 8:45am

Rainbow Breakfast

St Asaph Kitchen, St Asaph Street

7:30am - 9:00am

Diplomats & Guests Reception Breakfast

Brevet Lounge - Wigram Events Centre

(closed to media)

8:30am - 9:00am

Labour Party Properties Ltd AGM (closed to media)

Morrison Room - Wigram Events Centre

8:30am - 9:15am

New Zealand Council Elections

Ballot paper pick-up at

Administration & Registration Desk - Wigram Events Centre

Voting by 9:15am at

Main Plenary Hall - Wigram Events Centre

9:15am – 9:20am

Introduction by Megan Woods MP, MC

All following Sunday events in Main Plenary Hall - Wigram Events Centre

9:20am - 9:45am

General Secretary Address and New Zealand Council Annual Report (closed to media)

9:45am – 10:45am

Constitutional Remits Session (closed to media, followed by media briefing)

10:45am – 11:00am

Presentation of Gold Badge Life Memberships

11:00am – 11:45am

Plenary on policy proposals (closed to media)

11:45am - 12:00pm **REFRESHER BREAK**

12:00pm – 12.45pm

Plenary on policy proposals *continued* (closed to media)

12:45pm -12:50pm

Announcement of New Zealand Council election results

12:50pm -1:45pm

Closing comments - TBA

1:45pm -2:00pm

Tribute to the late Hon Parekura Horomia

Closing Karakia / Waiata