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LABOR DAY

Directions: What do you know about Labor Day? Use the information you find at the Web site below to answer the questions on this page.

Web Resources:

Why Do We Celebrate Labor Day?

<http://www.howstuffworks.com/question459.htm>



1. Who do we honor on Labor Day?

2. In what year was Labor Day declared a national holiday?

3. Where was the first Labor Day parade held?

4. Why did labor unions decide to celebrate Labor Day at the beginning of September?

5. Which U.S. president signed the law making Labor Day a national holiday?

Something to Think About: How will you celebrate Labor Day?

Learn More: Visit the Community Club at <http://teacher.scholastic.com/commclub> and read about some community workers. Then list some of the workers in your community and write a sentence describing what each worker does.