

NEWSLETTER

DECEMBER 2015

MONTHLY MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Meeting Dates

Executive Board Meeting December 9th 5:00pm

Finance Committee Meeting NONE

Union Meeting December 16th 7:30pm

Pension & H/W NONE

JATC Meeting December 14th 3:30pm

Retiree Luncheon

WILL NOT BE HELD IN NOVEMBER & DECEMBER

PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 101

8 Premier Dr

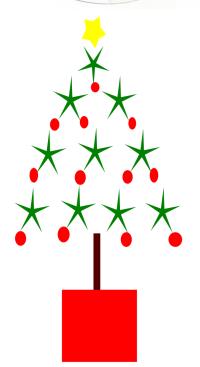
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DECEMBER HAPPENING

We will have our Annual Christmas Dinner at this month's Union Meeting. Please Plan to attend.

The Local 101 Office will be Closed:

Friday, December 25, 2015 for Christmas

Friday, January 1, 2015 for New Year's Day



CONGRATULATIONS:

WEDDING:

Eric & Emily Vasquez were married October 31st. Many years of happiness to them.

RETIREMENTS:

Steve Lotz retired on November 1st after 37 years of service. Thank You for your dedication & service.

2016 Monthly UA DUES RATES (Will remain the same):

\$33.00 *All Members until they reach 65

\$29.00 **All Ameren Employees and Retirees who are not yet 65

\$28.00 All Retirees who were 65 years of age December 31, 2014

\$27.00 All Retirees who were 65 years of age December 31, 2013

\$26.00 All Retirees who were 65 years of age December 31, 2011

\$25.00 All Retirees who were 65 years of age by December 31, 2006

\$20.00 All Retirees who were 65 years of age by December 31, 2001

CONTRACT ALLOCATION (JULY 1, 2015 - DECEMBER 31, 2015)

Current Wage:	\$37.00	Increase: \$0.50	= \$37.50
Current H & W:	\$ 8.55	Increase: \$0.00	= \$8.55
Current Pension:	\$ 5.70	Increase: \$0.00	= \$5.70
IAF/Training:	\$ 1.05	Increase: \$0.00	= \$1.05
Totals:	\$52.30	Increase: \$.50	= \$52.80

^{*}The allocation of the \$0.50 increase effective January 1, 2016 will be voted on at the December 16th Union Meeting.

^{*}Please note the increase of \$1.00

^{**} Please note the increase of \$1.00 per Section 130 of the UA Constitution

BENEFIT'S OFFICE

401(k) Changes

If you wish to make changes to or start your 401(k) please submit your forms by December 15^{th} to be effective January 1^{st} . If you need a form for changing your hourly deduction or investment choice contact the Hall or email Kelly at kelly@local101.net. You may also print the forms from the Local 101 website and mail or fax them to us.

Flu Shot Info (for covered members):

If you were unable to attend the **Health Fair** and would like to receive your Flu Shot: There are some Walgreens "Take- Care" clinics that are IN Network. You can call or visit a Walgreens and verify with them that they are a "Take-Care" clinic. Or you can go to an IN Network Urgent Care facility, verify with them that they can give you a flu shot and it is covered. You will NOT have to pay the \$75 ER co-insurance. They will bill your insurance for the flu shot. You can also call Coventry at 800-775-3540 for other covered facilities. Otherwise, your Dr.'s office can give it (office visit co-insurance may be charged) and the Immunization would be covered at 100%.

REMINDERS:

- When you have been laid off, it is your responsibility to inform the Hall. Please call to let us know your lay-off date. This includes members who have been traveling.
- When working a job that is out of Local 101's jurisdiction, it is not only a courtesy, but also <u>necessary</u> that you call the Business Manager of that particular jurisdiction. Jurisdictional Maps & Local Contact Information are available at our Hall.
- A locked Drop-Box has been placed adjacent to the Administrative Office Doors. Anyone needing to drop off union dues payments, confidential paperwork, etc. after hours is encouraged to use the box as it is checked every morning.

Election News:

Congratulations!! To the following Members who where elected by acclamation at the Nomination Meeting.

Business Manager:

Scott Deitz

President:

Dan McKenna

Recording Secretary:

Scot Luchtefeld

Inside Guard:

Tom Ott

Finance Committee:

Examining Board:

Brian McGee Carl Birkner

Jeff Mitchell Don Hanser

Bernard Gass Roy Rhew

The following Positions are up for Election:

Vice President (Elect 1)

Matt Biekert Dennis Feazel

Executive Board (Elect 4)

Steve Buettner

Corey Deitz

Zach Hawthorne

Dave Voss

Mike Cook

Dave Nebgen

Brian Poirot

Gabe Prange

Kent Jackson

The **Election of Officers** will be held on:

Monday, December 21, 2015 from 6:00 a.m. - 7:00 p.m.

In the event of a tie, a run-off election will be held on Monday, December 28, 2015 from 6:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m.

Both elections will be held at the:

Local 101 Hall

8 Premier Drive

Belleville, IL 62220

Please bring your UA Membership Card for identification.

TRAINING NEWS:

EXPIRED CERTIFICATIONS				
DAVE PRITCHARD	BRAZE 11/23/2015	DALE SCHREMP	BRAZE 11/21/2015	
SCOTT BROWN	BRAZE 9/17/2015	DAVE BODEN	BRAZE 9/14/2015	
WES BUEHNE	BRAZE 8/20/2015	BRENT LOEPKER	BRAZE 6/29/2015	
ROBERT VERNIER	BRAZE 6/14/2015	BRIAN ZURLIENE	BRAZE 6/2/2015	
SCOTT HEMANN	BRAZE 5/24/2015			

MED-GAS BRAZE CONTINUITIES

ADAM JUENGER	2/24/2016	RANDY CLEVELAND	2/16/2016	
MIKE SCHRAND	2/10/2016	JEFF MITCHELL	2/3/2016	
STEVE BUETTNER	1/26/2016	RICHARD RICHTER	1/21/2016	
STEPHEN MEISTER	1/15/2016	MIKE COOK	1/14/2016	
RICK SIGMAN	1/8/2016			
MED-GAS NFPA				
TIM ABEGG	2/28/2016	DAVE BUESKING	2/28/2016	
STEVE BUETTNER	2/28/2016	MIKE COOK	2/28/2016	
DAN MCKENNA	2/28/2016	STEPHEN MEISTER	2/28/2016	
DARRELL MICHAEL	2/28/2016	RICHARD RICHTER	2/28/2016	
MIKE SCHRAND	2/28/2016	DALE SCHREMP	2/28/2016	
RICHARD SIGMAN	2/28/2016	JAMES SIMPSON	2/28/2016	
ROBERT VERNIER	2/28/2016			

THE CLASS FOR THE NFPA RENEWAL WILL BE THURSDAY JANUARY 21, 2016 FROM 5PM -9PM. YOU MUST TAKE THE CLASS IN ORDER TO TAKE THE RENEWAL TEST. CALL THE HALL TO SIGN UP.

SMAW Welding

MIKE AMBRY	12/24/2015	PAT COLEMAN	2/3/2016		
NICK MILLER	12/1/2015	DAVE PRITCHARD	1/15/2016		
BRAD QUIRIN	12/11/2015	DON STITZEL	12/3/2015		
	<u>GT/</u>	GTAW Welding			
MIKE AMBRY	12/24/2015	PAT COLEMAN	2/3/2016		
NICK MILLER	12/1/2015	DAVE PRITCHARD	1/15/2016		
BRAD QUIRIN	12/11/2015	DON STITZEL	12/3/2015		

NOTICES:

- Bell Ringers are needed for the Salvation Army on December 12th @ the West End K-Mart from 1:00pm - 3:00pm or 3:00pm - 5:00pm.
- Local 101 Shirts are available at the Hall for \$20 and \$30
- Local 101 Hoodies are available for \$50

THE GREAT SOUTHWEST, LOCAL 101, LOCAL 360 AND LOCAL 439

PLUMBERS CONTINUED EDUCATION

PLACE:
LOCAL 101
8 PREMIER DR.
BELLEVILLE,IL

DATE: 1 / 9 / 2 0 1 6

TIME: 7 A M
REGISTRATION
8 A M SEMINAR
STARTS

SPONSOR # 750-159 COURSE # 750-159-S3

TO SIGN UP
PLEASE CALL
618-234-5504

REMEMBER TO HAVE YOUR
PLUMBING LICENSE #



THE THREE LOCALS IN COMBINATION WITH THE GREAT SOUTHWEST PHCC WILL BE HOLDING A CONTINUING EDUCATION SEMINAR. THIS SEMINAR WILL BE HELD AT LOCAL 101'S MEETING HALL. THE DATE OF THE EVENT IS JANUARY 9, 2016. REGISTRATION WILL START AT 7AM AND DOORS WILL CLOSE AT 8AM. YOU MUST CALL AND REGISTER PRIOR TO THE EVENT. WHEN YOU CALL YOU WILL NEED TO PROVIDE YOUR PLUMBING LICENSE NUMBER. ON THE DAY OF THE EVENT YOU MUST SIGN-IN AND REGISTER WITH YOUR PLUMBERS LICENSE. IF YOU DO NOT HAVE YOUR PLUMBING LICENSE YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE CREDIT FOR THE EVENT. THE TWO PRESENTERS THIS YEAR WILL BE BOB SCHAFER AND ERIC CALDWELL.

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RUN-OFF ELECTION 6 A.M. – 7 P.M. (IF-NEEDED)	21 ELECTION OF OFFICERS 6 A.M. – 7 P.M.	JATC MEETING 3:30 P.M.	7	Su Mo Tu We Th Fr Sa 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 © www.catendarpedia.com	MONDAY
29	22	15	∞	1	TUESDAY
30	23	16 UNION MEETING & CHRISTMAS DINNER 7:30PM	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING 5:00 P.M.	2	WEDNESDAY
NEW YEAR'S EVE	24 CHRISTMAS EVE	17	10	ess ,	THURSDAY
	CHRISTMAS DAY OFFICE CLOSED	18	11	4	FRIDAY
	26	19	BELL RINGING 1-5 P.M. K-MART	U1	SATURDAY