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

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

*Please note the increase of $1.00

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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.
BENEFIT’S OFFICE

401(k) Changes
If you wish to make changes to or start your 401(k) please submit your forms by December 15th to be effective January 1st. 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 necessary 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 were elected by acclamation at the Nomination Meeting.

**Business Manager:**
Scott Deitz

**President:**
Dan McKenna

**Recording Secretary:**
Scot Luchtefeld

**Inside Guard:**
Tom Ott

**Finance Committee:**
Brian McGee
Jeff Mitchell
Bernard Gass

**Examining Board:**
Carl Birkner
Don Hanser
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:

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### 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: 1/9/2016

TIME: 7 AM
REGISTRATION
8 AM SEMINAR STARRTS

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 SCHAFTER AND ERIC CALDWELL.
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