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Plumbers, Steamfitters &  
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### NEW CREDIT UNION HOURS

Effective August 3, 2009, the Credit Union will be open at 8:00 AM and close at 4:45 PM and it will close daily for lunch from 12:30-1:30 PM. Remember on Union Meeting nights, the Credit Union is open until 7:30 PM.

### APPRENTICE ORIENTATION

Apprentice Orientation will be Monday, August 24, 2009, at 5:00 PM at the Union Hall. Book fees are due by Monday, August 17, 2009.

### 2<sup>ND</sup> ANNUAL SKILL T.R.A.D.E.S. FAMILY PICNIC

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Skill T.R.A.D.E.S. Family Picnic will be held on Sunday, August 16, 2009, from 11:00 AM until 6:00 PM at Pearson Park. They are requesting that each family provide a donation of \$10.00; along with a side dish or dessert to share. Please RSVP by August 7<sup>th</sup> by calling William (Bill) Peacock @ 419-460-8957 or Darrell Daniels, Sr. @ 419-508-2929.



### CO-ED CARDIO TURBO CLASS

A new co-ed session of Cardio Turbo Exercise Class will start on Monday, September 14, 2009. Join us every Monday and Wednesday for 10 weeks from 5:30-6:30 PM for this class in the Local 50 Union Hall.



**LABOR DAY PARADE & PICNIC**

Monday, September 7, 2009, is our Labor Day Parade and Picnic. Please note that we will be lining up at 8:00 AM near the Anthony Wayne Bridge on Ottawa Street. The parade will begin at 9:00 AM.



The picnic is being held at the Hall, rain or shine, after the parade. We are having it catered by Po Mo's Ribs. They will be serving hand carved ribs, pulled pork, smoked chicken and hot dogs. For entertainment, there will be a Moonwalk and a Rockwall, so bring the family.

Anyone interested in baking cookies to have available at the parade is encouraged to contact Basia (Barb) Lynn at 419-836-7489.



The Fremont Labor Day Parade is also scheduled for Monday, September 7<sup>th</sup>. The parade will form at 9:00 AM on North Front Street, just north of State Street. The scheduled start time of this parade is 10:00 AM.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Labor Day is almost here...as always, we would appreciate any help or support you could offer with the set-up and clean up on Monday. Please contact William "Bill" Peacock, Jr. at the Hall.

**DECEASED MEMBER**

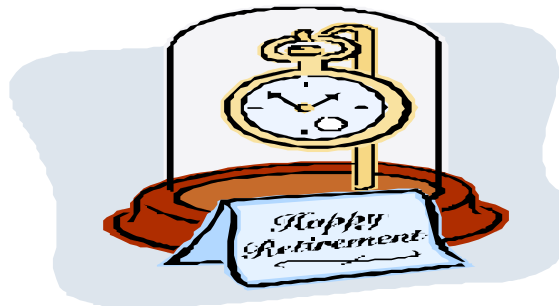
Richard J. Russell, Jr.                      6/28/09

**GOLF LEAGUE OUTING**

There will be a Local 50 Golf League Outing at Giant Oak Golf Course in Temperance, MI on Saturday, August 22<sup>nd</sup>. Shot-gun start at 9:00 AM (Please be there no later than 8:00 AM). The cost is \$70.00 and must be paid by August 3<sup>rd</sup>. Reminder, this outing is for Local 50 golf league members, Local 50 members and UA invited guests. Contact John Brocus at 419-467-2768 by August 3<sup>rd</sup> for sign up. Make checks payable to Local 50 Golf League.

**NEW RETIREES**

Robert Klorer	4/1/09
David Fobel	5/1/09
Douglas Schick	5/1/09
Angel Delacruz	6/1/09
Dell Barron	7/1/09
Paul Dunlap	7/1/09
David Zink	7/1/09

**SMOKING CESSATION DRUGS APPROVED**

The Health & Welfare Board of Trustees has approved smoking cessation drugs. Prescription drugs for smoking cessation are now covered under the Scriptsense pharmacy plan. Chantix and Zyban are included in the formulary as tier 3 medications.

Prescription Nicotrol inhaler is also covered as a tier 3 medication only after documented over the counter (OTC) patches or gum is tried without success; and, Chantix or Zyban has been tried with no success or the drugs are not medically indicated by your physician due to medical contraindications. Documentation from your doctor will be needed to support your use of the Nicotrol inhaler.

**MCA CLASSES**

It is important that all active and retired members who plan to work get this training done on a yearly basis. Call the MCA at (419) 666-6900 & Owens CC - Tracy Rd. at (567) 661-7357 to reserve a spot. The employee shall complete this training outside of normal hours and shall receive a stipend and/or other compensation (up to eight hours) as determined by the PIPE Committee. Some of the upcoming classes that will be given at the MCA Office and Owens Community College are as follows:

Wed., July 29, 2009 @ OCC Tracy Rd Call 567-661-7357	Drug Free Workplace Training Note: This has to be done each & every year	5:00 - 7:00 PM Employee 7:00 - 9:00 PM Supervisor Instructor: Bess Cochran
Thur., July 30, 2009 @ MCA Office	Adult CPR/First Aid & AED Note: SEATING IS LIMITED Instructors: Bess Cochran & Brenda Reid	4:30 - 9:30 PM Lite Dinner Provided
Wed., Aug 5, 2009 @ OCC Tracy Rd Call 567-661-7357	Drug Free Workplace Training Note: This has to be done each & every year	5:00 - 7:00 PM Employee 7:00 - 9:00 PM Supervisor Instructor: Bess Cochran
Wed., Aug 12, 2009 @ MCA Office	OSHA 4 Hr. Refresher Unit 4 Note: This is only if you have a 10, 16 or 30 hr. OSHA Card	4:30 - 8:30 PM PIZZA/POP Provided Instructor: Pattie Hamons
Wed., Aug 19, 2009 @ OCC Findlay Call 567-661-7357	Drug Free Workplace Training Note: This has to be done each & every year	5:00 - 7:00 PM Employee 7:00 - 9:00 PM Supervisor Instructor: Bess Cochran
Thur., Aug 20, 2009 @ MCA Office	OSHA 4 Hr. Refresher Unit 4 Note: This is only if you have a 10, 16 or 30 hr. OSHA Card	4:30 - 8:30 PM PIZZA/POP Provided Instructor: Brenda Reid
Thur., Aug 27, 2009 @ OCC Tracy Rd Call 567-661-7357	Drug Free Workplace Training Note: This has to be done each & every year	5:00 - 7:00 PM Employee 7:00 - 9:00 PM Supervisor Instructor: Bess Cochran

Note: You can also take the 4 hour refresher course on-line. Go to [www.MCANWO.org](http://www.MCANWO.org) and click on the link that says on-line training. To verify your training, go to [www.NWOSAFETY.com](http://www.NWOSAFETY.com)

**RETIREE'S ALUMNI MEETING**

The next Retiree's (Alumni) Meeting will be Wednesday, August 19, 2009, at 11:30AM and will be held at Bad Bob's Barbeque Restaurant at 27250 Crossroads Pkwy (behind Giant Eagle). At 2:00 PM, we are scheduled for a tour of Foundation 577. It is the former home of Virginia Stranahan; located at 577 East Front St., Perrysburg, OH.

**CEDAR POINT TICKETS**

Discounted tickets for Cedar Point are available through Local 14, located at 5411 Jackman Rd., Toledo. Good Any Day tickets are \$35.00, saving you \$8.99. Junior/Senior tickets (age 3 & older, but under 48" tall, and age 62 and older) are \$17.00. Local 14 also has discounted tickets to The Toledo Zoo. **CASH ONLY!** Call Local 14 Dues Office at 419-473-2854 - 7:30 AM to 4:30 PM if you need more information.



Fraternally,

Eric Osborn,  
Financial Secty-Treas.

**THOUGHT FOR THE DAY**

All that serves labor serves the nation. All that harms is treason...If man tells you he loves America, yet hates labor, he is a liar...There is no America without labor, and to fleece one is to rob the other.

- Abraham Lincoln







