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LABOR DAY PARADES & 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 Rib. They will be serving 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 7th. 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.

Labor Day

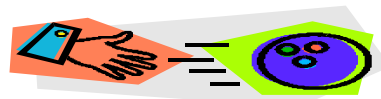


VOLUNTEER TODAY

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, 419-662-5456 ext. 118.

L50 BOWLING LEAGUE

The L50 Bowling League will begin September 12, 2009. Teams will consist of 4 bowlers. The league will be 17 weeks at \$10.00 per week, every other Saturday at 6:30 PM. Last date to sign up will be September 8th. Please contact Bill Peacock at 419-662-5456 ext. 118 or Jodi Miller.



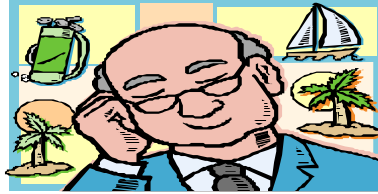
FUND RAISER

Ryan Damask is a 1st year apprentice that lost everything in a house fire August 5th. We are having a raffle to help Ryan and his family. The tickets are \$5.00 per ticket or 6 for \$20.00. The winner gets a \$500 Best Buy gift certificate.

Tickets can be purchased at the Finance Office, and some of the stewards. Call Eric at 419-662-5456 ext. 111 if you have any questions or need tickets mailed to you.

NEW RETIREES

David Bird	8/1/09
Donald McClain	8/1/09
George Stuller	8/1/09

**DINNER DANCE**

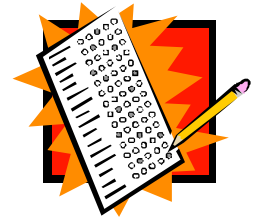
The Local 50 Dinner Dance will be Saturday, November 7, 2009, at Gladieux Meadows, 4480 Heatherdowns Blvd., Toledo. Cocktail hour starts at 6:30 PM with dinner at 7:30 PM. Make sure you mark your calendars so you can be there.

**RETIREE'S ALUMNI MEETING**

The next Retiree's (Alumni) Meeting will be Wednesday, September 16, 2009, at 11:30 AM and will be held at Pete's Garage, 930 N. Telegraph Rd., Monroe, MI. Join us for lunch and please bring ideas and suggestions for future meetings.

UPGRADE TEST

If you are interested in taking an upgrade test, the tests will be given Tuesday, September 29, 2009, at 6:00 PM at the Union Hall. You must have your application turned into the Finance Office by Tuesday, September 22, 2009. If you have any questions, call the Finance Office.

**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 the class in the Local 50 Union Hall.

**NURSE VACATION DAYS**

The nurse will be on vacation the following days: 9/4, 9/8 and 9/11.

DECEASED MEMBERS

George J. Jakubowski	7/30/09
Daniel P. Kemritz	8/3/09
John R. Powers	8/19/09

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 or Owens 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., Sept 16, 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., Sept 17, 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
Tues., Sept 22, 2009 Thur., Sept 24, 2009 Tues., Sept 29, 2009 Thur., Oct 1, 2009 Tues., Oct 6, 2009 Thur., Oct 8, 2009	30 Hour Safety Class @ MCA Office Note: You MUST attend all 6 sessions to get cr. for the class SEATING IS LIMITED RSVP no later than Thur., Sept 17, 2009	4:30 - 9:30 PM Dinner Provided for each Class Instructor: Bess Cochran-COSS
Wed., Sept 30, 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 and DFWT on-line. Go to www.MCANWO.org and click on the link that says on-line training. To verify your training, go to www.NWOSAFETY.com

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Only a fool would try to deprive working men and women of the right to join the union of their choice.

- Dwight D. Eisenhower

Fraternally,

Eric Osborn
Financial Secty-Treas.



