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SUBORDINATE LODGE NO. 13

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June 24, 2015

READ CAREFULLY - IMPORTANT NOTICES

Please be advised that the REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of Local Lodge #13 will be held on **Wednesday, July 8, 2015 at 7:00 P.M.** at the Frank Donlon Hall, 2300 New Falls Rd., Newportville, Pennsylvania.

The Union Hall will be closed on Friday, July 3, 2015 In observance of the 4th of July Independence Day Holiday

Fraternally yours, Scott A. Werkheiser, President - Local Lodge No. 13

FROM THE DESK OF THE BUSINESS MANAGER

*****ACCEPTANCE OF CONTRACT PROPOSALS*****

We are accepting proposals for our upcoming Construction Agreement Contract Negotiations. All proposals must be typed or legibly printed. Proposals may also be mailed to the attention of the Business Manager. The cutoff date for all proposals will be July 8, 2015.

*****CONSTRUCTION AGREEMENT NEGOTIATING COMMITTEE*****

At the June Regular Monthly Meeting the Local Lodge No. 13 Construction Negotiating Committee was elected. The following members will serve on the Committee; John E. Clark, Jr., Scott Werkheiser, Martin Williams, Jr., BJ Cryder, Corey Perchinski and Martin Willis with Tom Green as an alternate.

Nuclear OutagesThere will be two upcoming nuclear outages. PCI Energy at Exelon Peach Bottom will be 2 weeks of 40 hours starting 8/4/15 then 3 – 4 weeks of 6 - 12's starting 8/17/15. CBI at Peach Bottom will start 9/21/15 for 2 – 3 weeks of 6 - 10's. Please contact Martin Williams or the union hall if you are interested in these upcoming nuclear outages.

MOST Annual Drug Testing Reinstated The MOST Board of Trustees have amended the Drug Policy to include annual testing. This new policy will take effect on August 31, 2015. MOST has sent renewal cards to everyone who hasn't tested from February 1, 2013 to the present so they know that they need to test. Anyone who does not comply with the new policy by that date will move to the ineligible list until a negative drug screen has been completed and received by the MOST office. Any questions please contact MOST at 800-395-1089.

- ***Family/Retiree's Picnic*** Was a tremendous success and we would like to thank all of the volunteers who helped during the course of the day. The 50/50 winner was Paul Pompeii; Horseshoe winners were Jim Pearson and Alex Williams. The Sick and Distress 50/50 winner was Hunter Hitchens son of Chris Hitchens. Our Basket auction was a big hit again this year; a big thank you to Dennis Feeney, Lauren Rogers, Berry Mankins and Lisa Bland for their donations.
- ***Boilermakers Local Lodge No. 13 Beach Party*** will be held Saturday, July 11, 2015 at Westy's Irish Pub, 101 East Walnut Avenue, North Wildwood, NJ 08260. Westy's has a parking lot available for us. It is located 2½ blocks from Westy's at Spruce and New York Avenues (diagonally across from McDonald's). See enclosed flyer.
- ***11th Annual Boilermakers Bike Run*** will be held Saturday, July 11, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. sharp leaving from Skeeter's Pub, Coles Road and Rt. #168, Blackwood, NJ 08012 (5 miles north of Barb's Harley Davidson) arriving at Westy's Irish Pub, 101 East Walnut Avenue, North Wildwood NJ around 2:00 p.m. See enclosed flyer.
- ***Boilermakers Local 13 Clambake*** will be held on Saturday, August 22, 2015 at the Checkerboard Inn, Trucksville, Pennsylvania. More details to follow soon.
- ***Scholarship Memorial Cards*** are available from the office. These cards can be obtained by sending a check payable to the Local #13 Scholarship Program for \$10.00 either with the name and address where the card is to be sent, or have the card forwarded to your home to have available for services. A memorial page will appear in the 2016 Scholarship Program in honor of those we would like to remember.
- *** Monthly dues*** Monthly dues increased to \$43.35 per month effective January 1, 2015. Remember to put your registration number on your check. Due to security concerns please do not put your social security number on your check, only your registration number. Local #13 will no longer be able to cover members who allow their dues to go into arrears! A \$500.00 reinstatement fee will be imposed. It is your obligation to the union to pay union dues on time.

Congratulations and lot's of luck to our newly retired member's Robert Condon, Christopher Monahan and Derek M. Matonti.

- ***Retired and Active Boilermakers from Northumberland and Surrounding Counties*** meet the 2nd Wednesday of every month at 9:00 a.m. at the El-Rancho Restaurant on Route #11, Northumberland, Pennsylvania. If interested, contact Ron Olson at (570) 765-2567 or (570) 743-6971.
- ***Retired Boilermakers from the Maryland and Northern Delaware areas*** meet monthly for a breakfast gathering at the Elkton Diner in Elkton Maryland at 8:00 a.m. on the first Wednesday of every month. The Elkton Diner is located at the Big Elk Mall in Elkton on the Northeast corner of Routes 40 and 213. If interested, contact Ron Demmler (410) 398-1348 or Lloyd Seal (302) 328-6470 or Bill Twupack (410) 378-2236 or email rdemmler30@comcast.net
- ***Upstate retired Boilermakers*** meet the 2nd Tuesday of every month for breakfast at 8:00 a.m. at the Perkins just off the Buckhorn exit of route #80 (between Bloomsburg and Danville). If interested contact Lester Yarnell at (570) 864-3350.

- ***Social Gathering*** several of our members have been attending a social gathering in the Scranton/Clark Summit area. They meet at Gin's Tavern in Factoryville, PA and will be meeting at 1:30 p.m. on Saturday, July 11, 2015. If you are interested, please contact Rich Kelley at (570) 689-9380, Mike Mongiello at 570-842-2638 or Joe Harvey at (570) 836-2487.
- ***Zumba Class*** held at the union hall on Monday and Thursday nights from 7:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Cost is \$5.00 and a portion of the proceeds benefit the Entertainment Fund.
- ***AT&T Cell Phone Subscribers*** Take advantage of the Union Plus AT&T 15% Discount on wireless service for union members. Visit UnionPlus.org/ATT for more details.
- ***Cell Phones for Soldiers*** Boilermakers Local Lodge No. 13 is a collection site for cell phones for soldiers. Drop off any old cell phones that you are not using at the union hall. We will then forward them to the Cell Phone for Soldiers office. Their goal is to help our soldiers serving overseas call home by providing prepaid phone cards.

Fraternally yours, John E. Clark, Jr., Business Manager/Secretary-Treasurer

From the Desk of the Dispatcher

Please keep calls to the union hall to a minimum after 2:00 p.m. We start dispatching work at 2:00 p.m. and it is unfair to members waiting to be called for work to be delayed by tied up phone lines. Also, many times we have to fill jobs for that same night and are delayed due to many incoming calls. If you need to call the hall for matters other than dispatch please call before 2:00 p.m. Also, remember to call in your layoff on the day you are laid off. Although it is the duty of the job steward to call in layoffs, it is ultimately the member's responsibility to contact the union hall. The best way to inform the union hall of your layoff is to call the union hall after 4:30 p.m. and leave a message on the recorder that you were laid off. Leave the date you were laid off and the name of the job you were laid off from.

Notices from the Training Coordinator

*****Classes being held at the Union Hall*****

C.B.I. Services, Inc. Welder Training/Testing

There will be a Welder Training and Testing Class for C.B.I. Services, Inc. for the SXL Mariner East (tanks) Project Marcus Hook, PA. This class will be held at the union hall **possibly June 29**th (exact dates to be determined). Work attire is required. This class will consist of welder training to prepare for 3 position plate test flux core mig and stick. Call the union hall to reserve a spot for this class. If you reserve a spot for this class you will be contacted in the near future with the date and time you are scheduled.

Hydrowash Class

There will be a Hydrowash Class for J.J. White, Inc. held at the union hall on **Wednesday**, **July 8**, **2015** at **8:00** a.m. Work attire is required. Please call Tina at the union hall to reserve a spot!

M.O.S.T. 5 Hour Refresher Course

Will be held at the union hall on Wednesday, July 29, 2015 at 9:00 a.m.

Rigging Training Classes at the Union Hall

The following Rigging Module Classes will be held at the union hall on the dates listed below. All classes will begin promptly at 8:00 a.m. and will last 8 hours. Call Tina at the union hall to reserve a spot!

Rigging Module #1 and #2 (Module #1 and Module #2 are now combined into one class)

Monday, August 10, 2015

Rigging Module #3

Tuesday, August 11, 2015

Rigging Module #4

Wednesday, August 12, 2015

*****Classes being held Upstate at the Tuscarora Fire Company***** 301 Mulberry St. Tuscarora, PA 17982

Upstate Rigging Training Classes

The following Rigging Module Classes will be held at the Tuscarora Fire Co. on the dates listed below.

All classes will last 8 hours.

Rigging Module #1 and #2 (Module #1 and Module #2 are now combined into one class)

Tuesday, August 4th at 8:00 am

Rigging Module #3

Wednesday, August 5th at 8:00 am

Rigging Module #4

Thursday, August 6th at 8:00 am

Please contact Tina at the union hall to sign up for these classes.

The following members passed away

Arthur D. Carrow passed away May 28, 2015. Cards can be sent to:

Brandi Carrow (Daughter), 317 West Commerce Street, Smyrna, DE 19977 Robert Carrow (Brother), 432 Eagles Nest Road, Townsend, DE 19734

Samuel L. Fleming passed away June 20, 2015. Cards can be sent to:

Scott Fleming (son), 403 Seven Points Road, Sunbury, PA 17807

Please remember in your prayers our sick member(s)

William Hamilton, Jr.
Mike Dennis Hartman
Roy A. Haydt
Michael Impagliazzo
William Shingler
Harry Storz, III
Tom Taylor

15 S. Butterfly Drive
1309 Haynes Run
116 Avenue A
1525 Sweetbriar Drive
450 Alfarata Road
300 Willow Drive
705 Bicentennial Blvd.

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Lewistown, PA 17044
Cinnaminson, NJ 08077

Dover, DE 19904

*****SPECIAL NOTE***** Any sick member requesting that their name and address be included on the sick list will need to sign an Authorization Form. Please contact Tina at the union hall if you would like an authorization form mailed to you. Note: These members are not all collecting Sick & Distressed benefits. They are listed so you may keep in touch and let them know you are thinking of them. If you are collecting Sick & Distress benefits and are ready to go back to work, please notify the union hall. Failing to do so in a timely manner could jeopardize your last benefit check.

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BEACH PARTY **WESTY'S IRISH PUB**

101 East Walnut Avenue North Wildwood, NJ 08260

SATURDAY, JULY 11, 2015 2 - 6 P.M.

COST \$30.00

Cost includes beer, wine, mixed drinks, soda, buffet, music

ADDRESS:

101 East Walnut Avenue, North Wildwood, New Jersey, 08260

Parking available in Westy's lot at New York & Spruce Avenues

TELEPHONE:

(609) 522-4991

DIRECTIONS: Go across the Walt Whitman Bridge, follow directions to the Atlantic

City Expressway. Get off at the Garden State Parkway South, continue on to the North Wildwood Exit. Follow signs into North Wildwood, make left at McDonald's, follow to first right (Spruce Ave). Westy's is two

blocks down on right hand side.

MOTELS:

Greater Wildwood Hotel & Motel Association

609-522-4546 or contact them on the internet www.wildwoods.org

Angelsea Blues Festival New Jersey Barbecue Festival being held at same time.

FREE BEACH WITHIN WALKING DISTANCE! **OUTSIDE DECK --- OCEAN VIEW** BEAT THE RUSH AND LEAVE EARLY, Traffic at this time of the year is very heavy. BE WISE DON'T DRINK & DRIVE Cabs are available:

Yellow Cab 522-0555 Caribbean Cab 523-8000 Checker cabs 522-1431




