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~ Business Manager's Report ~

Sisters and Brothers,

With work remaining strong in our jurisdiction, we continue to rely on our traveling Sisters and Brothers to help get our work done. We could not have accomplished all we have without their support. We should all recognize the value of their work. They are here, working away from their home and their families. The Local is very appreciative of their time. Because every jurisdiction works under a different contract, occasionally I get questions about our Collective Bargaining Agreement. One of the most frequent issues is the workweek language under Article III, Section 3.01(c) of the Des Moines Inside Agreement. What this language is stating is that you must work all available straight time hours in a work week in order to be eligible for overtime that same workweek. An employers pay period does not supersede this language. A workweek typically contains 40 straight time hours Monday through Friday, but not always. For example, in a holiday week, there are only 32 hours of straight time available to you. In a week that the job shuts down due to weather, there will be less than 40 straight time hours available to you. You should also pay close attention to workweeks with 10 or 12 hour days. Example; If you are working five -10's and one - 8, and you miss Monday that week, you only missed 8 available straight time hours, NOT 10. I know this can be difficult to follow but if you view it from a perspective of available straight time hours, it seems to be easier to navigate. If you have any questions or have a shortened workweek, please give me a call so I can clarify your situation before it becomes a problem. Also, if you have other issues that you would like to see clarified, please let me know.

All participants of the Local 347 Health and Welfare Fund; its time for the annual Dependent Verification. You can do this easily online at <https://ibew347benefits.com>. You can also submit the printed form, listing all current dependents. You do not need to resend marriage or birth certificates if they have been submitted before. This audit procedure must be completed by each of us annually, it is necessary to protect both yourself and the Fund. If you are new to the Union negotiated benefits and need some assistance you can swing by the Hall or contact the Plan Administrator; CompuSys.

The Des Moines JATC has Journeyman training classes available in February, March and April 2023. This is a great opportunity to get ahead of the rest and get your CEU's done early!

Brotherhood Strong, Pat Wells

Newborns!



The Local Union expresses our sincerest condolences to the family of Retired Brother James 'Jim' Eugene Aller, age 88, of Indianola, IA. He passed away on 12/27/2022. He was a member of IBEW Local 347 for 66 years.



Brady Nelson

Born: 12.28.22
Weight: 7 lbs 11 oz
Length: 20 ³/₄ inches
Parents: Rex & Kyli Nelson

Kimberli Gurnett

Born: 12.27.22
Weight: 7 lbs 10.4 oz
Length: 19 inches
Parents: Dalton & Laci Gurnett

*2023 Local Union 347
Pin Party & Recognition Night*

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, 2023

COCKTAIL HOUR: 5:00 – 6:00 PM

DINNER SERVED: 6:00 PM

MEMBER AND ONE GUEST AT \$10.00 EACH

ADDITIONAL GUESTS MAY BE ACCOMMODATED AT \$30 EACH
(IF SEATS ARE AVAILABLE)

Bishop Ballroom

AT PRAIRIE MEADOWS
(ENTER THROUGH THE MEADOWS ENTRANCE)
1 PRAIRIE MEADOWS DRIVE
ALTOONA, IA 50009
515-967-1000

**A block of rooms have been reserved. They will go fast.
Use Group Code "030423" when
making your reservation.**
Mark your calendar for an evening to honor both the young
and the experienced.

RSVP BY FEBRUARY 17, 2023 TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRIZE DRAWING!

Please detach and mail to Local #347, 6890 S.E. Bellagio Ct., Ankeny, Iowa 50021
or drop off at our Hall. Please make checks payable to Local #347.

Name of Member/Retiree and Guest

Member(s) attending: _____ @ \$10.00 per member = \$ _____
Guest(s) attending: _____ @ \$10.00 per first guest = \$ _____
Total Number of Additional Guests: _____ @ \$30.00 per guest = \$ _____
TOTAL = \$ _____

Office Use Only: _____ Pin _____ Year Paid: CASH C.C. CHECK# _____

After dinner there will be prizes, music and dancing!



70 YEAR: George L Smith

PIN RECIPIENTS FOR YEAR ENDING 2022

60 YEAR: Andre Ekis, Lawrence K Enga, Ronald Gaskill, Ronald R Grant, John M Kennelley, Albert D Keul, Jimmy D Lewis, Richard C Mattson, Richard Stewart

55 YEAR: Douglas K Cervene, Thomas F Gollob, Larry W Harmon, Dennis D Moorman, Craig D Rahm

50 YEAR: Harold F Brown, Ben E Crawford, David L Smith, Stephen Torode, Stephen M Westberg, Scott J Zastrow

45 YEAR: Michael A Biermann, James E Buntenbach, James L Cowden, Danny D Fischer, Donald W Gurnsey, Bryan C May, Michael J Ramsey, Louis R Riccelli, Darrell J Smith, David W Tallman, Michael G Walsh

35 YEAR: James Arganbright, Russell J Breton, Dan E Comegys, Michael L Comer, Steven R Delaney, Alan T Henry, Dan A Lippert, Rodger J Routh, John B Stahowick, Edward J Washington, James D Watkins

30 YEAR: Rodney D Beier, Travis L Bougher, Timothy D Campbell, Timothy K Campbell, Bradley D Cervene, Gary L Clark, Richard B Corbin, Paul A Druart, Howard A Hecht, Jeffrey L Henderson, C. 'J.R.' A Legg, James O Marcusen, Daniel B Morris, Raymond M Striegel, David L Trautsch, Dennis R Vos, Ted F Wood

25 YEAR: Troy J Bemrich, Gary A Brown, Eric J Buchacker, Timothy A Clark, Craig W Collins, Jeffery W Cunningham, Dohn J Dean, Matthew J Endres, Dale L Erb, Gregory A Fox, C. Tylor Frederick, Aulden Goben, Terry J Goepferich, Corey L Goodyk, Jay P Grimes, Gary R Hagen, Ronald L Hawm, Aaron R Hodges, Michael R Hotman, Jeffery R Kerr, William J Kerr, William J Kovacevich, Tyson J Kuhl, Thomas J Ledin, David L Lester, Jeff L McCutcheon, Kevin P McLaughlin, Randal L Morris, Stanley A Nielsen, Michael A Pauscher, James R Perkins, Jason M Rahm, David L Reid, Michael T Ryan, James C Schieffer, Gary P Weil, Rodric J Welscher, Eric S Wilcox, Kip A Wisco

20 YEAR: Heather L Anderson, Derek A Ballard, Tracy L Bethards, Donald L Burke, Adam C Casady, Kolby R Dudney, Amanda L Easley, Joseph S Folsom, Kevin L Hansen, Tim J Hartman, Mark E Huston, Wesley S Jolliffe, John D Ladurini, Dennis P Lamoreux, Brian A Lundberg, Michael J Mouw, Kyle Overton, Nathan D Petty, Brian L Piercy, David J Riley, Matthew D Sass, Scott F Stamer, Anthony T Stelpflug, Terrell G Wade, Joseph W White, Andrew J Worsfold

15 YEAR: Adam W Barber, James E Bishop, Joshua R Boehler, Clint M Christensen, James D Davis, Benjamin T Duke, Bruce J Guy, Jason D Jones, Eric A Jorgensen, Michael S Lovelace, Chad A Lowe, Patrick E Merrick, Donald M Olson, Randall J Parsons, Donald J Pasco, Mathew R Ragan, Steven M Reichardt, Dan T Rodgers, Bryant D Rogers, Matthew D Rolland, Steve C Rothamel, William A Schaff, Rob D Schiernbeck, Jacob L Seelye, Joshua P Shortell, Jacob P Sleeth, Robert J Smith, Fred M Sturdevant, Chad P Terrell, Jacob M Thoma, Phillip M Thompson, Joshua L Todd, Dustin J Waage

10 YEAR: Joshua R Allsup, Mark A Brinkman, Andrew D Cochrane, Anthony J Durian, Ronald D Eaton, Shawn M Elliott, Jarod L Evans, Christopher R Fleming, Shane M Garr, David L Gier, William A Harding, Aaron S Haug, Eric J Heistand, Lewis D Jacobsen, Cole W Jennett, James D Kilby, Chase Kohler, Jordan M Martzahl, Jonathan D Miller, Michael J Mohler, Rene T Mullaney, Logan M Richardson, Nathan J Riesberg, Cory W Schmidt, Bryce B Sellers, William M Shaw, Stacy L Skelton, Trevor Stevens, Richard R Van Dyke, Eric L Wilson

5 YEAR: Randy J Ahrens, Devin E Anderson, Curtis L Balmer, Robert T Bowman, Taylor L Brown, Monica A Bruxvoort, Warren D Burger, Travis W Burluson, Lane D Carson, Randy L Case, Linda Cavanh, Jacob RJ Chase, Timothy D Crawford, Tyler J Cremeens, Cody R Cross, Brant C Cunningham, Dylan D Davis, Robert E Dawson, Timothy J Domayer, Kyle A Dornath, Brian N Drake, Joseph W Ellerbroek, Jeffrey A Erbes, John W Fisher, Terrence P Flatley, Jordan L Fraker, Tyler C France, Kyle W Freeborn, Ross A Gabriel, Chad M Geyer, Cory R Gleich, Kale A Goben, Orlando Gonzalez, Tyler L Graham, Garrett D Grimm, Brian F Gruber, Santiago Gutierrez, Jordan D Harding, Randi S Hartnell, Jason A Harwell, Thomas J Heavenlo, Tyler W Heckman, Christopher C Heer, Cody L Heistand, David C Hirsch Bautista, Jesse D House, Grant D Houser, Mason W Hughes, Joshua C Hugill, Dylan M Jensen, Michelle L Johns, Matthew A Johnson Walker, Joseph M Keller, Austin M Kelly, Matthew T Kurtz, Kathy W Landeros, Alexander J Lee, Zachary P Lee, Nicholas J Leonard, Timothy S Leroy, Robert L Lox, Jason D Lyon, Hussein H Mandil, Troy EL Martin, Rusty G McClure, Rita K McConnell, Benjamin I Miller, Hunter N Miller, Michael A Miller, Mervin D Minde, Seth D Monson, Nathan R Neuenkirk, Loudon W Niles, Mike L Oh, Devan J Olson, Joshua C Owens, Anya E Peter, Kenny K Phaydavong, Bowe R Porter, Austin L Pruitt, Timothy D Rabe, Brent S Ramthun, Ben M Reeves, Nathan A Reiland, Adriana M Reyes, Matthew H Ritchie, David A Rohde, Shawn J Rowles, Daniel W Rowling, Mesudin Saabanagic, Anthony E Sampson, John A Schwering, Jonathan M Simmons, Angel D Smith, Karl R Smith, Patrick R Sullivan, Jeremy C Swanson, Isaac M Taylor, James L Thomas, Rafael Torres, Nathan A Utsler, Joshua D Van Maanen, Jeremy D VanderWell, Drew M Vespestad, Devin J Waddill, Michael J Wakeman, David M Wicker, Ty A Wyatt.

The following people will fall into reinstatement (\$30) if their dues are not paid by **February 28, 2023**.
 This list was run on January 20, 2023. This list is broken down into "A" and "BA" members.

"A" MEMBERS

RANDY	J	AHRENS	KYLE	F	MCNAMARA
GEIR	T	ANDERSON	CHANDLER	H	MEDBERRY
OCTAVIA		ATKINS	CARRIE	J	MERICLE
CHRISTOPHER	A	BASH	DOMINIC	D	MEYER
ADRIAN	J	BAUTISTA	SETH	R	MORLAN
JUSTIN	L	BAXTER	JOVANI		MORQUECHO-RUIZ
LEE	J	BECK	BRANDON	S	MORRIS
SETHY	S	BILLYARD	SCOTT	D	MORROW
ROBERT	T	BOWMAN	RENE	T	MULLANEY
AUSTIN	C	BROWN	ZEBEDEE	J	NOEL
RODNEY	J	CARNEY	MIKE	L	OH
JOSE	M	CHAVEZ	RYAN	R	OSTRING
JAMISON	A	CHRISCO	ZACHARY	P	OWENS
MICHAEL		CLAMAN	AUSTIN	L	PRUITT
DEREK	E	CONOVER	ANTUAND		PRUNEDA
JOHN	R	CONROY	ZACHARY	A	RAY
TED	A	CROSS	ROBERT	L	RICHT
DON	E	DAWSON	CLINT	R	ROBBINS
JULIA	D	EBERLE	CHANCE	A	ROBISON
KEANAN	J	ELMORE	KORBIN	A	ROULSTON
JACOB	J	ENGLAND	ZACKARY	D	SALEVSKY
MATTHEW	J	EWALD	JAMES	C	SCHIEFFER
DUSTIN	A	EWING	JOHN	A	SCHWERING
CHARLIE	L	FOX	CHRIS	L	SCHWIENEHART
TY	W	FRAZIER	JASON	R	SENECAUT
LUIZA	J	FRITZ	BRENDAN	P	SHANAHAN
DAVID	L	GIER	ANDREW	A	SMITH
THOMAS	B	GOMEZ	AUSTIN	B	SMITH
ORLANDO		GONZALEZ	CHAD	R	STIVER
DONNA		GROSS-LOPEZ	DALTON	A	STOLL
MICHAEL	E	GUNN	RYAN	W	THODE
TYLER	J	HANKE	NATHAN	A	UTSLER
PATRICK	J	HANNAM	HUNTER	C	VOCKINGS
TYLER	W	HECKMAN	MICHAEL	E	WADDELL
KLAYTON	M	HEIMAN	DEVIN	J	WADDILL
SAMUEL	A	HENDERSON	GRANT	R	WALTERS
TRAVIS	W	HERMAN	CHANDLER	K	WELLS
STEVE	J	HERMANN	ADAM	L	WHISNEY
CALEB	J	HINZ	JONAH	T	WILLIAMS
JENNIFER	S	HITT	BRANDON	C	WOEBBEKING
REESE	E	HOUTAKKER			
LEWIS	D	JACOBSEN			
TANNER		JOHANSEN	SONIYA		AZHMAN
CORY	L	KELLER	ROBERT	K	BELL
CHRISTIAN	A	KIMMEL	JASON	L	CANADY
ERIC	A	KLINGENSMITH	BARON	A	CANTY
JAMES	L	KLOPPENBURG	AMY	L	DUFFY
DILLON	J	KOVACEVICH	JORDAN	L	FRAKER
ZACHARY	P	LEE	LEONARD	D	HAMPTON
KEATON	J	LENNING	ZEKRIA		HEJLAN
TIM	R	LEWIS	MOHAMMED		KHAN
KEVIN	L	LISK	SORAIDA		LEOS
PARKER	J	MARSCHEL	AHMAD RIAZ		MOHMAND
TROY	EL	MARTIN	SHAFIULLAH		NOOR
SPENCER	D	MAUK	MOHAMMAD FAHIM		PAYENDAZADA
ROBERT	J	MCCAULEY	JONATHAN	M	SIMMONS
			NOOR AGHAJAN		ZARMATJAN

The following people will be dropped if their dues are not paid by Feb 28, 2023. This list was run on Jan 20, 2023.

"A" Members

TRAVIS	D	BROCK
DOMINIC	M	BYERS
NATHANIEL	A	CASKEY
NOAH	W	DUDLEY
PATRISHA	L	FARLOW
LOGAN	J	FOETISCH
BRANDON	L	HAUS
ZACHARY	J	HOLTMAN
MICHAEL	T	LEYDEN
DOMINIC	L	MCCARL
FAITH	A	MONTGOMERY
ALAN	P	NEWELL
JUAN	E	RIVAS MARTINEZ
SHAWN	W	ROBERTSON
CALEB	D	SPAIN
WILLIAM	V	WEST
JORDAN	W	WRIGHT

"BA" Members

JOSEPH	S	CLAYTON
SHARBATULLAH		INTEZAR
ALI MOHAMMAD		KHAN
ABDUL QAYOOM		MAQSOODI
MYRON	O	SHERIFF

"BA" MEMBERS

SONIYA		AZHMAN
ROBERT	K	BELL
JASON	L	CANADY
BARON	A	CANTY
AMY	L	DUFFY
JORDAN	L	FRAKER
LEONARD	D	HAMPTON
ZEKRIA		HEJLAN
MOHAMMED		KHAN
SORAIDA		LEOS
AHMAD RIAZ		MOHMAND
SHAFIULLAH		NOOR
MOHAMMAD FAHIM		PAYENDAZADA
JONATHAN	M	SIMMONS
NOOR AGHAJAN		ZARMATJAN



Jan1st DROPS

Eaton, Andrew B	BA
Hass, Martin J	A
Hellyer, Tina E	A
JimenezJR, Brian M	A
Kelleher, Michael V	A
Kunze, Troy R	A
Merryfield, Nathan C	BA
Naeve, Dawson S	A
PritchardJR., Joseph B	BA
Reed, Caleb P	A
Saunders, Ryan D	A
Soe, Htoo D	BA
Taw, Moo	BA

February 2023

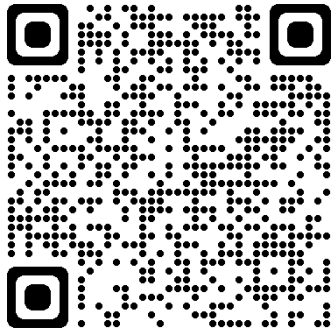
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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5	6	7 EP 2 4:00 PM	8 Retiree Lunch Noon at Hall. 	9 GENERAL MEMBER- SHIP MTG. 5:00 PM	10	11
12	13	14 <i>happy Valentine's day</i> Firestone Mtg. 3 PM	15 VDV Mtg. 4:00 PM Firestone Mtg. 3:00 PM	16 KCCI Mtg. 1:00 PM	17	18
19	20 Stockman/ Delivery- man Mtg. 4:00 PM	21 Keystone Mtg. after work	22	23 Fort Dodge Unit Mtg. 4:30 PM	24	25
26	27	28 E-Board Mtg. 4:00 PM RENEW 4:30 PM				
<div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <p>Pat: phwells@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Nichole: nchumbley@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Scott: slfarnsworth@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Misty: mrtturner@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Dave: dlreid@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Randy: rhtucker@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Re-sign: resign@ibewlu347.org</p> <p>Tim: tshawthorne@ibewlu347.org</p> </div>						

Please RSVP for the Retiree Lunch by calling Nichole at the Union Hall at 515-243-1924.

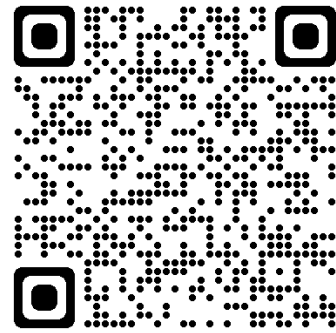


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Have your Card# or SS# ready	NEBF: Phone: 1-301-556-4300