

## **Official Publication of Lo**cal Union #347

## $\sim$ President's Report $\sim$

Brothers and Sisters,

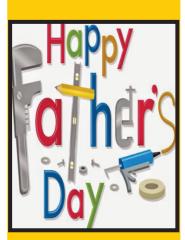
Summer is approaching us but a few cold rainy days are still hanging on. The May Union meeting had a strong attendance with around 156 members attending. I would like to see numbers like that or more each month. Allocations we're voted on and the outcome was \$1.06 on the check \$.24 in health and welfare \$.20 in the pension.

Also at the meeting, Rod Olson's retirement came across the floor and though I feel everyone's retirement is an achievement, I just wanted to mention Rod's commitment to Jolly Holiday Lights, time as an instructor and his dedication to our Local Union. Looks like work this Summer will be busy with some big projects starting. Congratulations to the apprentices that were accepted this year, you are the future of our industry. I strongly encourage you to get involved in your local union and be a part of your future. The 347 golf outing will be Saturday, July 15 at Terrace Hill golf course in Altoona starting at 8:00 AM. It is four man's best if you plan on playing, sign up at the hall.

In solidarity Jason Ballard

## **Political Corner**

Hello Brothers and Sisters,



Here in Iowa it seems like election season is year round especially for Randy and I. We are always bridging communications and relationships through our elected officials and Local Union #347. This year is no different as a matter of fact this year has been pretty brutal since we lost the Iowa Senate. We have been fighting an uphill battle with the legislators that want to destroy our existence by taking away everything our forefathers have fought & died and went to prison for. So if anyone could spare 2 to 3 hours a month to help us preserve the Union presence here in Des Moines it would be greatly appreciated.

Now we have very important elections coming up this year for both City Council & School Board. I know a lot of you probably think big deal but it is a big deal. These are the folks that protect our city, communities and our children!

We have been forging through a list of our members to see if everyone is registered to vote and let me say I am pretty appalled at how many are not registered. If you are not please contact the hall and we will mail them out for you and your family members. Otherwise you will be getting a phone call from someone at the hall not to ridicule but to help. Once again we are always looking for volunteers to help us in this very trying time. Any questions please contact the hall.

In Solidarity, Randy Tucker & Matt Marchese Local #347 Registrars Pat: phwells@ibewlu347.org Al: ajdeheer@ibewlu347.org Doug: dlbuchman@ibewlu347.org Scott: slfarnsworth@ibewlu347.org

Member Benefits, Misty: mrturner@ibewlu347.org Dues, Carol: caharvey@ibewlu347.org Re-sign: resign@ibewlu347.org



Last Months Job Referrals

43—Referrals sent out 12—Regular Calls 3—Short Call 9—Apprentice 15—CW 3 -VDV & VDV Installer 1– Residential



Garrett Lealand Petro Born: 5/12/2017 6 lbs., 5 oz. 18.5 " Parents: Adam Petro & Diana Ponce Claire Elizabeth Knutson Born: 2/24/2017 8 lbs., 1 oz. 20 1/2" Parents: Craig & Julie Knutson

### Apprenticeship Ne<mark>ws</mark>

Many of you may already know that we have donated some of the equipment from the new building to Twin Cedars High School in Bussey Iowa. Twin Cedars High School desperately needed new cabinets and tables for their chemistry classroom. They received a \$3,000 grant to purchase new equipment but that will not be enough for them buy every-thing they need. We reached out to Twin Cedars to see if they could use any of the DuPont/Pioneer lab cabinets and tables. Twin Cedars is very grateful for the donation, as it now allows them to use their grant money for other items needed in their chemistry classroom.

The Des Moines Electrical Apprenticeship, Local #33 Plumbers and Steamfitters Apprenticeship and the Carpenters Local # 106 Apprenticeship have all agreed to disconnect, disassemble and reassemble the lab cabinets for Twin Cedars Schools. At this time, Stroh has offered a truck to deliver the equipment.

The first part of this project is complete. The Des Moines Electrical Apprenticeship would like to thank the following people for their help on May 20<sup>th</sup> with the removal and staging of the tables and cabinets: Ryan Fitz, Jonathan Shumaker, John Conroy, Steve Glas, Dave Butler, Terry Pohlman and Pat Wells. We would also like to thank the following members of Local 33 for their help with the water and vent disconnections: Instructor Joe Shelton along with apprentices Grant McCoy and Anthony Fucaloro.

There is still another opportunity to help out. We have Saturday, June 10th set as the date to deliver and reconnect the equipment. If this is something that you would like to help with please contact me at the training center for details.

Thank you, Steve Hansen Training Director The following people will fall into reinstatement (\$30) if their dues are not paid by **June 30, 2017.** This list was run on May 22, 2017. This list is broken down into "A" and "BA" members.

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NATHANIEL	Ρ	ALLER	SHAWN	Μ	HAUF	SCOTT	D	MORROW	KURT	W	SPARKS
BRYAN	J	ALLER	BRANDON	L	HAUS	JASON	Ρ	MURPHY	SCOTT	В	STEELE
LUKE	L	BALDWIN	BENJAMIN	Μ	HEATH	CHRISTOPHER	М	MURPHY	BILLY	D	STOCKBAUER
JUSTIN	М	BEAM	AARON	R	HODGES	CURTIS	J	NELSON	TROY	Т	STOCKDALE
LEE	J	BECK	KERRY	А	HORNER	РНІ	V	NGUYEN	FRED	М	STURDEVANT
MATTHEW	Ρ	BERG	GARRETT	Κ	HOSTETTER	ANTONIO	R	NIZZI	TANNER	J	SUSIN
ANDREW	J	BIRCH	SAMUEL	L	HOUSTON	BRANDON	L	NORTH	DAVID	С	TERRILL
RANDY	D	BIRKENHOLTZ	CHRIS	D	HOWE	ERIC	J	NUNO	JESSE	L	THARP
ROBERT	Т	BOWMAN	ALEX	W	HUNEMULLER	MICHAEL	А	NUSS	RYAN	W	THODE
COREY	М	BRANT	MIKEL		HYDE	THAD	J	O'BRIEN	JAMES	L	THOMAS
MARK	А	BRINKMAN	ADAM	М	IRVING	MARK	W	O'CONNOR	CHARLES	J	THOMPSON
TRAVIS	D	BROCK	GAVIN	L	JACKSON- WEAVER	JAMES	Н	OLSON	BLAKE	Е	TICE-TAYLOR
BENJAMIN	М	BROWN	GERALD	J	JACOBS	MARK	А	ORFIELD	JASON	W	VANBAALEN
TRAVIS	W	BURLESON	LEWIS	D	JACOBSEN	RAMONA		PARKIN	BRIAN	L	WALLACE
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JAMES	F	BUTLER	CHRISTO- PHER	w	JOHNSON	TODD	Е	PAULSEN	EDWARD	н	WEERS
RAY		САМАСНО	TANNER	J	JOHNSON	PATRICK	J	PETERSON	ADAM	L	WHISNEY
RYAN	Т	CAMPBELL		D		PHILLIP	Е	PETRIE	RANDY		WHITFIELD
RICHARD	А	COHENOUR	ROB	R	JOINER KABELA	DAVID	Т	RAMSELL	ERIC	S	WILCOX
ANDREW	R	сох	ALAN	L		COLIN	Ρ	RANKIN	NICK	J	WILLENBORG
BRADLEY	М	DAGGETT	ZACKARY	L S	KELLER KEUBLER	TREVER	J	REED	JONAH	Т	WILLIAMS
MICHAEL	Е	DIRKSEN	JEREMY	Э	KUBLI	STEVEN	Μ	REICHARDT	TYLER	G	WILLIAMS
TYWON	J	DUDLEY			LANTZ	NATHAN	А	REILAND	ERIC	L	WILSON
JAKOB	D	ETTER	JUSTIN	A		DOUG	W	RENSLOW	TED		WORTHINGTON
RAYMOND	L	FAST	ANDREW	J	LAWLER	ROBERT	L	RICHT	JOHNNIE		WRIGHT
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JAMES	С	FREY	LINDSAY	J D	LESLIE	NATHAN	W	RUSSELL	TAMMY	L	COOPER
KYLE	R	FRITH	MATTHEW	s		JOSEPH	J	SANDERS	JEFFREY	D	COWIE
DOUGLAS		GOMES	ZACHARY		LITTLE	MICHAEL	D	SCHACHTNER	SCOTT	D	EASLER
THOMAS	В	GOMEZ				JASON		SCHERFF	BRIAN	А	GATEWOOD
NICHOLAS	R	GRAHAM	ROBERT	L P		KYLE	R	SCHLAPKOHL	MICHAEL	А	HANSEN
TYLER	L	GRAHAM	THOMAS		MANN MARTENS	BRIAN	К	SCHMIDT	STACY	М	HICKMAN
RICHARD	D	GRANDQUIST	SCOTT		MARTENS	SCOTT	В	SCHOONOVER	ERIC		HUGHES
JASON	В	GRANDSTAFF				ZACH	С	SCHRADER		М	
AUSTIN	В	GREEN	JORDAN	В	MAYER	CHRIS	L	SCHWIENEBART	MELVIN DUSTIN	J	KONRAD MCKEE
DAVID	А	GRETT	JEFF	L		CODY	М	SCROGGIE	TERRY	E	MUHLSTEIN
GARRETT	D	GRIMM	RICKY	J		BRYCE	В	SELLERS	ROBERT	J	REID
JASON	W	GROSVENOR		J	MOELLER	ERIK	L	SHELDAHL	ALVIN	K	SNYDER
JASON	R	HALBROOK	JAMIE JASON	R D	MOORMAN MOORMAN	DAVID	А	SMITH	MATTHEW	Е	VANCE
PATRICK	J	HANNAM	DON		MORGHEIM	AUSTIN	В	SMITH	ROBIN		YOUNG

The following people will be dropped if their dues are not paid by June 30, 2017. This list was run on May 22, 2017.

"A" Members

**"BA" Members** 

A	171	<u>embers</u>			
BRADLEY	R	BOGGESS	LUCAS	С	JOHNSON
JACOB	А	FARRELL	JESSE		VAN RIPER
JACOB		HILTON	LARRY	Е	COOK
COREY	А	LITTLE			
RONNIE	L	MARSHALL			
TONY	С	NESSELROAD			
DAVID	К	SHARON			
EDWARD	L	THORNTON			
ANDREW	D	PEACOCK			
GEORGE	А	CATALDO			
MATTHEW	J	TEMPLE			
JEVON	D	OAKLEY			
SEAN	Т	GRASTY			
BRIAN	R	COFFIE			
TIM	L	KLINGENSMITH			
ADAM	J	SCOTT			
DEMARCUS	J	DAMERON			
GREGORY	G	HUSE			
TRENTON	А	MCNAIR			
SCHUYLER	К	PAXSON			
MATTHEW	L	SCOTT			

Retirement is just around the next curve. To win that race you need an Investment strategy that will weather the road. Plan on attending the July 20<sup>th</sup> Investment Energy Conference (IEC) Racing event, presented by IBEW Local 347 and Principal Financial Group. There will be guest speakers to discuss your investment options, market updates and answer any questions you may have.

#### July 20<sup>th</sup>

**5:30-7:00** Dinner and soft drinks provided by Jethro's BBQ **7:00-10:00** Racing, video games, table games!

Location: 1350 SE Gateway Dr. 108 Grimes, IA 50111

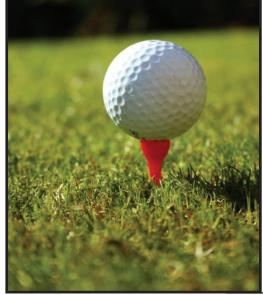
Challenge your friends, setup team challenges, or just experience the thrill of driving the fastest electric go-karts on a unique indoor track.



As with all of life's races, you'll want to hear new strategies and tips to make your race to retirement successful.

Roshek Financial – Dale Roshek Please RSVP: Misty (515) 243-1924 or Email MRTurner@ibewlu347.org

#### IBEW LOCAL #347 23RD Annual Golf Outing



#### LAST DAY TO REGISTER IS JULY 7TH.

DATE: JULY 15, 2017 TEE TIME: 8 AM TICKET: \$30/person WHERE: TERRACE HILLS GOLF COURSE DOOR PRIZES & LUNCH SERVED

SHOW UP BY 7:30 AM SHOTGUN START 8:00 AM

GET A PARTNER AND SIGN UP TODAY!

TERRACE HILLS GOLF COURSE 8700 NE 46TH AVENUE ALTOONA, IA

# **June 2**017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5 Trans-Lux Mtg. 2:30 & 3:15 PM ADT Mtg. 5:00 PM	6 EP-2 Mtg. 4:00 PM	7 Residential Mtg. 4:00 PM	8 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MTG. 5:00 PM	9	10 Annual Picnic
11	12	13 Firestone Mtg. 3:00 PM	14 Firestone Mtg. 3:00 PM Retiree Luncheon Noon @ Hall	15 KCCI Mtg. 1:00 PM	16	17
18 HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!	19 Stockman⁄ Deliveryman Mtg. 4:00 PM	20 Keystone Mtg. after work	21 V.D.V. Mtg. 4:00 PM	22 Fort Dodge Mtg. 5:00 PM	23	24
25	26	27 E-Board Mtg. 4:00 PM	28	29	30	



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Saturday, June 10th, 2017 From 12:00 PM—4:00 PM

Union Labor Park 640 NW Morningstar Drive Des Moines, IA 50313

This is a fun event for the entire family!

Activities will include: Bounce Houses Balloon Artist Pony Rides Gaming Trailer Temporary Tattoo Artist

Food and Beverages provided!

LOCAL UNION 347—www.ibewlu347.org Business Office open 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday-Friday: Phone: (515) 243-1924 For Job Calls, call after 4:30 PM daily and all weekend long: (515) 243-5412 Local #347 Benefits Website: www.ibew347benefits.com

LOCAL 347 HEALTH INSURANCE GROUP #78-380001	
Dollar Bank Billing & Claims Information: Call CompuSys	1-844-347-IBEW (4239)
To search for a United Health Care in-network provider call:1-8	866-596-8447 or go to <u>www.uhc.com</u> and click on Options PPO.

L.D.I. INFORMATION	(Prescription)—www.LDIRx.com
Retail & Mail-Order Press	cription and Drug Programs

To contact L.D.I. directly if you do not have internet access:

#### 1-866-516-3121

#### DELTA DENTAL INFORMATION—www.deltadental.com

When presenting your ID Card, please notify the provider to only use the last 9 digits or your Member ID #. To contact Delta Dental directly if you do not have internet access: 1-800-544-0718

#### V.S.P. INFORMATION (Eye Care)—www.vsp.com

To search for a provider or to look at available benefits go to <u>www.vsp.com</u> and click on member benefits. To contact V.S.P. directly if you do not have internet access: 1-800-877-7195

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TRADESMEN CREDIT UNION:		(515) 243-8735
RETIREE RESOURCES:	IBEW Retiree helpline: NEBF: Have your Card# or SS# ready	1-800-733-4239 1-301-556-4300

