



# Official Publication of Local Union #347

## ~ Business Manager's Report ~

Sisters and Brothers,

There will be a special order of business held at the February 8, 2018 General Membership Meeting concerning contract asking's for the June 1, 2018 Des Moines Inside Agreement. Please make every effort to be in attendance to discuss this important issue.

The National Electrical Benefit Fund has approved a temporary return to work amendment for 2018. All eligible NEBF Retirees will receive notice. This amendment will allow a qualified NEBF Retiree to return to work for a contributing employer for up to 600 hours while still receiving his NEBF benefit. For additional information on this valuable opportunity call the Hall or contact NEBF at 301-556-4304.

Doctor on Demand will have a representative at the January 11, 2018 General Membership Meeting to discuss the added telehealth benefit to the Plan. She will present a brief demonstration and answer any questions you may have. DOD will treat and prescribe medications for things like allergies, colds, flu, UTI's, sports injuries, skin rashes, etc. The intent of this new service is to cut back on non-emergency visits to the doctor's office and the ER, saving the plan money in an effort to lower our premiums. This service will be very convenient for those that wake up in the middle of the night feeling ill. DOD is a 24-hour service. They can call in a prescription to your local 24-hour pharmacy and you can simply go pick it up, saving you the hassle of a waiting room at 2am.

The cost of a telehealth visit to you will be \$0 vs. the cost of copay at a Doctor's office or ER visit. To prepare for this change, go to the app store and download the app and familiarize yourself and your spouse with the services provided. Search for Doctor on Demand in the App Store, it is represented with dr+ (in a blue square). All participants will be receiving additional information from the plan administrator.

The Board of Directors of the IBEW LU 347 Scholarship Fund will begin accepting applications for the 2018 scholarship in January. We award three scholarships of \$1,000 each to the dependent children of current or retired members of IBEW Local Union 347 who are currently and have been in good standing for at least 2 consecutive years (without an honorary withdrawal) preceding the May 1 application deadline. In addition, there are two others worth mentioning, the Richard John Griglione II Memorial Scholarship Fund which offers three \$1,500 awards to the dependents of Union members and the South Central Iowa Federation of Labor Jim Caffrey Scholarship Fund which offers \$500 to kids in Union households. We have information and applications for each of these available at the Hall.

Apprentices, don't forget to stop at the Hall or the JATC and pick up information on the 2018 St. Patrick's Day parade float design contest. March 17 will be here before you know it!

Thank you to Brothers Matt DeAngelo, Stephen Coxe, Jason Ballard and Scott Farnsworth for volunteering for the start up crew for Jolly Holiday Lights. The date to tear down the display is Saturday, January 13. Any help is very much appreciated, we will be at the Adventureland campgrounds by 8am that day.

Thank you to Brothers Mark Dunagan, Chris Barr, Tim Hawthorne, Dave Reid, Doug Buchman and Scott Farnsworth for working the IHOP collection sites, Brothers Joe Rivas, Lanny MacCleary, Matt DeAngelo and Chris Barr for volunteering at the Nada's Silent Night event and to Misty and her daughter Paige Turner, Brothers Dan Rawlings and Dave Reid for their help with the phone banking, all this during the 2017 Toys for Tots drive. On Toys for Tots Tuesday alone we collected 10,265 toys, which is over double what was collected during last year's single day event. The event also brought in \$50,197.07 in cash donations. So far the US Marine Corps has served over 20,000 children in need this holiday season.

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I would also like to thank the following Sisters and Brothers for helping with the Christmas party: Kathy Landeros, Tim Hawthorne, Adam Casady, Clinton O Conner, John South, Doug Wolf, Ryan O String, Tim LeClaire, Mike Jones, Vincent Ramsey, Ben Duke, Jason Ballard, Randy Ahrens, Josh Duke, Randy Tucker, Joe Rivas, Scott Farnsworth, John Stahowick, Rick Chumbley, Rick Andrews, Daniella Vaughn, Doug Buchman and Lilly Stroud.

Also, a special thank you to Retiree Brother Gerry Granberg for fabricating and installing the hand rails in front of the Hall.

Hope you enjoyed the holidays, here's to an incredible 2018!

Brotherhood Strong,  
Pat Wells

## ~ President's Report ~

Brothers and Sisters,

I Hope everyone enjoyed the holidays. We had an awesome turnout at the local 347 Christmas Party this year, it was nice to see members and their families attend. I would like to thank Tom Bianchi and his family for the great food they prepared and served and also everyone who helped set up and tear down.

December's meeting was a good turnout. Nate Boulton spoke to the floor about his focus on being governor of Iowa in the next election. Nate is very on track with business in Iowa and knows how to keep the workforce needs in mind. Our current financial status in Iowa is not good and we desperately need change.

Contract askings will be at the February General Membership meeting so I encourage members to attend and speak on the behalf of the contract. ALWAYS remember your Local Union negotiates our wages and benefits. This has been done through generations of good Union men and women that believed in everyone not just themselves.

In solidarity,  
Jason Ballard  
President IBEW Local #347

## ~ Political Corner ~

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

I hope each and everyone of you and your families had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. I hope you got rested up, because there is a lot of work to do in the coming months. We voted at the last Union meeting to formerly endorse Nate Boulton for Governor. We will continue to support his campaign even as we look to the 3rd and 4th District House races. There are still quite a few good candidates that we hope to meet and continue to develop relationships with. If you would like to attend a rally, or meet and greet, or lobby please contact either Matt, or myself. If you would prefer call the Hall. There have been some pretty good signs if you are part of the working class. In almost every race including a House race in Virginia that was decided by one vote are trending Democratic. Yes, for all of you that say your vote doesn't count whoops there it is. The final tally: 11,608 for Simonds to 11,607 for Yancey. I have to admit that I didn't think I would ever see that happen in a race that large. This coupled with a Senator from Alabama being a Democrat is pretty stunning as well. Granted Doug Jones had a poor opponent, but they primaried him in, so they have no one to blame but themselves.

This is why I feel that they passed the tax cut. It is so brazenly a corporate give away that I am almost impressed with their ruthlessness. Such narcissism and greed speaks to a dedication of purpose that is hard to find. However, if I was a rich guy I am seeing this as maybe my last hurrah for a while and we better make hay while the sun shines. I say this because they can see the political tides turning in this country and will grab as much as they can while in power. This isn't Trump I am talking about here.

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Oh no, while of course he will benefit (if he isn't in prison, or moved to Russia) this is a Republican plan. There are so many things wrong with this bill and how it will not benefit our country as a whole. The non-partisan CBO has said this is going to blow another hole in our budget. AWESOME, that is just what I was hoping for from a conservative House and Senate, more debt. I guess that is where Kim Reynolds gets her game plan. Don't worry though they will be cutting Medicare and Social Security soon so that should fund those tax cuts. I don't really see where health care and retirement are all that important any way. The country is fed up with it as a whole. They couldn't pass any legislation, but of course they can agree to give their donors a nice juicy tax break. What they did give us expires and is a pittance of the cuts. But they want to blame social programs that help the majority of Americans ignoring the facts.

A Republican friend of mine said he felt our Republican members should have a rebuttal letter to our Pro-Union article. I am in favor. I actually want to hear justification for borrowing more money to give more money to people who have almost all of it anyway. That is a story that begins once upon a time...

In Solidarity  
Matt Marchese and Randy Tucker  
Registrars

## Membership News

*The Local Union would like to express it's sympathy to the families of the following members:*

Retiree Brother Montie Mortenson passed away on November 12, 2017 at the age of 98. He was a member for 63 years.

Retiree Brother Raymond Barr passed away on November 24, 2017 at the age of 76. He was a member for 55 years.

Retiree Brother Lee Roy Bell passed away on December 3, 2017 at the age of 63. He was a member for 44 years.

Retiree Brother James Gambrall passed away on December 17, 2017 at the age of 82. He was a member for 56 years.

## Newborns!

William Oliver Lawson

Born: 10/26/2017

19 1/4 "

6 lbs. 3 oz.

Parents: Chad & Maria Lawson

Josephine Irene Crudele

Born: 11/25/17

19 1/2 "

7 lbs. 6 oz.

Parents: Adam & Jessica Crudele

**Congratulations to all these members for attending  
every General Membership Meeting in 2017.**

Tracy Bethards, Rick Chumbley, Kevin Goben, Mike Gomez, Dustin Kelly, Tim LeClaire, Lanny MacCleary, Matt Ragan, Dustin Schmidt, John Stahowick, Doug Wolf

### Last Months Job Referrals

122—referrals sent out    94—Regular Calls    2—VDV    5—Apprentice    21—CW







## Apprenticeship News

The Des Moines JATC will be moving all apprentice classes and administrative services to the new training center beginning in February, 2018. The schedule for this transition is as follows:

- **February 5th through February 16th, 2018** - no apprentice classes held. Impacted classes have been rescheduled. A separate letter has been sent out to all impacted apprentices and employers notifying them of the training schedule changes. Please review the letter to see which of your apprentices have been rescheduled.
- **Until the close of business on February 9th, 2018** - Administrative services will remain at 1948 NW 92nd Ct, Clive 50325
- **Beginning February 12th, 2018** - Administrative services move to 10700 Justin Dr., Urbandale 50322
- **Beginning February 19th, 2018** - All apprenticeship classes will be held at 10700 Justin Dr., Urbandale 50322

We ask for your patience and understanding during the transition to the new training center should you encounter any difficulties in reaching us.

### January JW Training

For the month of January, the JATC will offer the following classes at the current training center location.

Tues, Jan 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Raceway/box fill	3hrs
Mon/Tues, Jan 8 <sup>th</sup> & 9 <sup>th</sup>	Transformers	6hrs
Tues/Wed, Jan 9 <sup>th</sup> & 10 <sup>th</sup>	Codeology	6hrs
Mon/Tues, Jan 15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup>	Codeology	6hrs
Tues, Jan 16 <sup>th</sup>	Dwelling Calcs	3hrs
Tues, Jan 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Raceway/box fill	3hrs
Tues, Jan 30 <sup>th</sup>	Dwelling Calcs	3hrs

**2018 PIN PARTY/RECOGNITION NIGHT**

**SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 2018**

**COCKTAIL HOUR: 5:00 – 6:00 PM**

**DINNER SERVED: 6:00 PM**

**BISHOP BALLROOM**

**Enter through The Meadows entrance**

**\$10.00 per person**

**Located at Prairie Meadows**

**1 Prairie Meadows Drive**

**Altoona, IA 50009**

**515-967-1000**

**A block of rooms have been reserved. They will go fast.**

**Use Group Code "03102018IBE" when making your reservation.**

**Mark your calendar for an evening to honor  
both the young and the experienced.**

**After dinner there will be prizes, music and dancing!!!!**

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RSVP BY FEBRUARY 16, 2018 TO BE INCLUDED IN THE PRIZE DRAWING!**

**Please detach and mail to Local #347, 850 18th Street, Des Moines, Iowa 50314  
or drop off at our Hall. Please make checks payable to Local #347.**

**Name of Member or Retiree**

**Name of Guest attending:**

**Total Number Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$10.00 per person = TOTAL \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**Office Use Only: \_\_\_\_\_ Pin \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_ Paid: CASH C.C. CHECK# \_\_\_\_\_**



# PIN RECIPIENTS FOR YEAR ENDING 2017

65 YEAR PIN: MELVIN J. KEUL • GEORGE L. SMITH

60 YEAR PIN: NONE

55 YEAR PIN: JOHN W. DUNCAN • ANDRE EKIS • LAWRENCE K. ENGA • RONALD GASKILL • RONALD R. GRANT • JOHN M. KENNELLEY • ALBERT D. KEUL • JIMMY D. LEWIS • DAVID L. MATTSON • RICHARD C. MATTSON • RICHARD K. RUGE • RICHARD STEWART

50 YEAR PIN: DOUGLAS K. CERVENE • THOMAS F. GOLLOB • LARRY W. HARMON • WILLIAM R. MINTLE • DENNIS D. MOORMAN • RICHARD D. NAUMAN • CRAIG D. RAHM • ROBERT L. SAF • JACK D. STUBBS

45 YEAR PIN: HAROLD F. BROWN • BEN E. CRAWFORD • DAVID L. SMITH • STEPHEN TORODE • STEPHEN M. WESTBERG • SCOTT J. ZASTROW

40 YEAR PIN: MICHAEL A. BIERMANN • JAMES E. BUTENBACH • 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 PIN: NONE

30 YEAR PIN: JAMES ARGANBRIGHT • RUSSELL J. BRETON • GERALD E. BRINCKS • DAN E. COMEGYS • MICHAEL L. COMER • JON A. CUMMINGS • STEVEN R. DELANEY • ALAN T. HENRY • DAN A. LIPPERT • RODGER J. ROUTH • JOHN B. STAHOWICK • EDWARD J. WASHINGTON • JAMES D. WATKINS

25 YEAR PIN: 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. 'JR' A. LEGG • JAMES O. MARCUSEN • DANIEL B. MORRIS • RAYMOND M. STRIEGEL • DAVID L. TRAUTSCH • DENNIS R. VOS • TED F. WOOD

20 YEAR PIN: TROY BEMRICH • MICHAEL A. BLAKE • 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 • CHARLES T. FREDERICK • AULDEN GOBEN • TERRY J. GOEPFERICH • COREY L. GOODYK • JAY P. GRIMES • GARY R. HAGEN • JASON R. HALBROOK • RONALD L. HAWN • AARON R. HODGES • MICHAEL R. HOTMAN • JEFFERY RD. 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 • ROBERT L. RICHT • MICHAEL T. RYAN • JAMES C. SCHIEFFER • GARY P. WEIL • RODRIC J. WELSHER • RYAN D. WHEATLY • ERIC S. WILCOX • KIP A. WISCO

15 YEAR PIN: ROSE M. ALLEN • DEREK A. BALLARD • TRACY L. BETHARDS • DONALD L. BURKE • ADAM C. CASADY • KOLBY R. DUDNEY • AMANDA L. EASLEY • 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 • TODD E. PAULSEN • NATHAN D. PETTY • BRIAN L. PIERCY • DAVID J. RILEY • MATTHEW D. SASS • SCOTT F. STARMER • ANTHONY T. STELPFLUG • HEATHER A. TALBOT • TERRELL G. WADE • JOE W. WHITE • JAMIE W. WILLEY • ANDREW J. WORSFOLD

10 YEAR PIN: ADAM BARBER • JAMES E. BISHOP • JOSHUA R. BOEHLER • JEREMY R. BRANNEN • CLINT M. CHRISTENSEN • TAMMY L. COOPER • JAMES D. DAVIS • BENJAMIN T. DUKE • PAUL D. FINK • BRUCE J. GUY • GREGORY A. JENNINGS • JASON D. JONES • RON E. JONES • ERIC A. JORGENSEN • MICHAEL S. LOVELACE • CHAD A. LOWE • PATRICK H. MURPHY • DONALD M. OLSON • RANDALL J. PARSONS • DONAL J. PASCO • MATHEW R. RAGAN • STEVEN M. REICHRARDT • DAN T. RODGERS • MATTHEW D. ROLLAND • STEVE C. ROTHMEL • WILLIAM A. SCHAFF • ROB D. SCHIERNBECK • JOSHUA P. SHORTELL • JACOB P. SLEETH • NATASHA C. STUCKER • JACOB M. THOMA • PHILLIP M. THOMPSON • DUSTIN J. WAAGE

5 YEAR PIN: ELIZETH ALBARRAN • JOSHUA R. ALLSUP • SHANE N. BENDGEN • JAMES A. BOLDEN • MARK A. BRINKMAN • ERIC G. BROWN • ANDREW D. COCHRANE • COREY D. COMEGYS • ANTHONY J. DURIAN • RONALD D. EATON • SHAWN M. ELLIOTT • JAROD L. EVANS • CHRISTOPHER R. FLEMING • SHANE M. GARR • DAVID L. GIER • MICHAEL A. HANSEN • WILLIAM A. HARDING • AARON S. HAUG • ERIC J. HEISTAND • STACY M. HICKMAN • LEWIS D. JACOBSEN • COLE W. JENNETT • JAMES D. KILBY • CHASE KOHLER • CHAD D. LAWSON • JORDAN M. MARTZAHN • MATTHEW M. MAY • JONATHAN D. MILLER • MICHAEL J. MOHLER • RENE T. MULLANEY • ANTHONY C. RADEBAUGH • LOGAN M. RICHARDSON • NATHAN J. RIESBERG • CORY W. SCHMIDT • BRYCE B. SELLERS • WILLIAM M. SHAW • TREVOR STEVENS • RICHARD R. VAN DYKE • MATTHEW E. VANCE • JUSTIN D. VANDER WAAL • ERIC L. WILSON





## Local #347's 2018 St. Patrick's Day Parade Apprentice Float Design Contest

Please list up to 4 Apprentices for your team. Each team member must be an IBEW LU 347 Apprentice in good standing. Apprentices from different classifications may be on the same team, for example: a team can be made up of one DSM Inside, one Ft Dodge Inside, one VDV and one Residential Apprentice. The winning design team will receive up to \$1000 for the purchase of materials directly related to the construction of the float.

Each member of the winning team will receive \$500.

Name	Cell #	Classification	Period
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Team Leader, point of contact: \_\_\_\_\_.

Will you need to use one of the Local #347 trailers? \_\_\_\_\_. If not, you may use one of your own or incorporate a design that does not use a trailer at all. If you do use a 347 trailer it cannot be structurally altered, for example, removal of railings or seating already constructed.

You must submit a detailed description of your design. It should describe the overall concept, team member roles, the materials to be used and also describe any special circumstances that need to be taken into consideration. Your description must include basic drawings or pictures of the finished design. Please note, this parade does not allow the "tossing" of candy. It must be handed out.

Your finished float design will be pulled through the parade by LU 347. All team members will be required to participate in the construction, delivery, parade and clean up (including returning the existing Labor Day float back to its original condition if used). Winners will receive their cash awards upon completion of described duties.

Submissions must be addressed to the Good of the Union Committee and received by IBEW LU 347 on or before Friday, February 2, 2018.

Winners will be notified by Friday, February 9, 2018.

The following people will fall into reinstatement (\$30) if their dues are not paid by **January 31, 2018**. This list was run on December 21, 2017. This list is broken down into “A” and “BA” members.

### “A” Members

KILE	E	ANDEWAY
ZACHARY	J	BAETSLE
BLAYDE	C	BAKER
ROBERT	L	BANNER
JAMIE	M	BAUGHMAN
JOSHUA	T	BENSLEY
RICHARD	L	BISHOP
LEONARD	A	BROWN
TAYLOR	L	BROWN
JON	T	BUNTING
ANTHONY	J	BURNS
AARON	M	CHAPMAN
RANDALL	J	CHRISTIE
BRANT	C	CUNNINGHAM
ROBERT	K	DENNIS
MICHAEL	E	DIRKSEN
JORDAN	M	DORRIAN
ANTHONY	J	DURIAN
CURTIS	L	EMRICH
ERIC	W	ERICKSON
SCOTT	A	ESPE
JAKOB	D	ETTER
MATTHEW	J	EWALD
SAMUEL	R	FARRELL
EVAN	E	GARR
ORLANDO		GONZALEZ
RICHARD	D	GRANDQUIST
STEVEN	D	GRUBB
BENJAMIN	B	HAMILTON
MICHAEL	A	HAMRICK
WILLIAM	A	HARDING
SCOTT	J	HEATER
CODY	L	HEISTAND
ALEXAN- DER	M	HENSLEY
STEPHEN	L	HENSON
SHANE	J	HOWARD
TRAVIS	L	HURLEY
CHRISTO- PHER	D	HYLER
ADAM	M	IRVING

ADAM	J	IVANOVICH
GAVIN	L	JACKSON-WEAVER
KENDRICK	G	JEFFERSON
DYLAN	M	JENSEN
BRYAN	W	JOHNSON
MATTHEW	A	JOHNSON-WALKER
NIC	D	KAHOE
ROGER	S	KEHO
MICHAEL	V	KELLEHER
ZACHARY	P	LEE
BRIAN	J	LEEPER
MATTHEW	S	LINDLEY
ZACHARY	T	LITTLE
JASON	D	LYON
TROY	E L	MARTIN
JORDAN	M	MARTZAHN
JACOB	T	MCKNIGHT
MICHAEL	A	MILLER
JEROME	J	MILLER
SETH	D	MONSON
JAMIE	R	MOORMAN
JASON	D	MOORMAN
SCOTT	D	MORROW
RENE	T	MULLANEY
PHI	V	NGUYEN
JUSTIN	M	OLIVER
JORDAN	S	PALMER
TODD	E	PAULSEN
THEODORE	E	PERSCHALL
PHILLIP	E	PETRIE
BEAU		PICKERING
BRIAN	T	PIPPERT
DAVID	T	RAMSELL
CHRIS	V	RICHARDSON
LOGAN	M	RICHARDSON
ROBIN	D	RILEY
CLINT	E	RUSSELL
CHAD	D	SCHNELL
MARTIN	A	SCHNOOR
ERIK	L	SHELDAHL

JACOB	P	SLEETH
STEPHANIE	M	SLIGER
ANDREW	A	SMITH
ZACHARY	E	SPAIN
JORDAN	T	ST. ARNOLD
LEE	R	STAHL
TANNER	J	SUSIN
MATTHEW	R	TALLMAN
DAVID	C	TERRILL
PHILLIP	M	THOMPSON
BLAKE	E	TICE-TAYLOR
DAVID	L	TREAGER
DEREK	J	VANDER WAAL
DAVID	C	VANNOY
DREW	M	VESPESTAD
JEFFREY	L	VOLL
DUSTIN	J	WAAGE
CODY	A	WEATHERMAN
EDWARD	H	WEERS
RODRIC	J	WELSHER
ADAM	L	WHISNEY
NICK	J	WILLENBORG
NICOLAS	C	WOODS
TED		WORTHINGTON
JORDAN	W	WRIGHT

### “BA” Members

ELIZETH		ALBARRAN
JEFFREY	D	COWIE
TIMOTHY	E	DEAHL
STACY	M	HICKMAN
DEXTER	A	JOHNSON
MICHAEL	J	MOHLER
KEVIN	J	NEGUS
KRISTY	D	RATTRAY
ERIC	M	WESTBERG
ROBIN		YOUNG

The following people will be dropped if their dues are not paid by January 31, 2018. This list was run on December 21, 2017.

### “A” Members

JOHNATHON	R	ALEXANDER
CHRISTIAN	J	CROUSE
TODD	P	EMERY
JEFFREY	R	FOSTER
GARRETT	D	GRIMM
RUSSELL	L	GULLICKSON
MARTIN	J	HASS
RAYMOND	J	LAWLER
JORDAN	B	MAYER
THOMAS	J	SCHAEFER
TYLER	A	WESTON
JONAH	T	WILLIAMS
MILES	A	YOUNG

### “BA” Members

LINDSAY	M	CAREY
FELIX	F	CISNEROS
CASEY	R	GRAY
CHRISTINE	M	LENSCH
JOHN	D	RIDDLE
EARL	R	SMITH

## DEC. 1ST DROPS

### “A” Members

Nicholas W. Campbell  
Kyle Frith  
Martin Petersen  
Jose Salgado

### “BA” Members

Ashley Birkinbine



# January 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1 HAPPY NEW YEAR!	2 EP-2 Mtg. 4:00 PM	3	4	5	6
7	8 Trans-Lux Mtg. 2:30 & 3:15 PM	9 Firestone Mtg. 4:00 PM	10 Firestone Mtg. 4:00 PM Retiree Luncheon Noon @ Hall	11 GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MTG. 5:00 PM	12	13
14	15 Stockman/ Deliveryman Mtg. 4:00 PM  M.L.K. Day	16 Keystone Mtg. after work	17 V.D.V. Mtg. 4:00 PM	18 KCCI Mtg. 1:00 PM	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 Fort Dodge Mtg. 5:00 PM	26	27
28	29	30 E-Board 4:00 PM	31			



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**850 18th Street**  
**Des Moines, Iowa 50314**

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**U.S. Postage**  
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**DES MOINES, IA**

**Permit No. 2665**

**Quick Notes:**

- **Remember that as of January 1, 2018 dues will increase by \$1.00 per month for all members.**
- **Pin Party/ Recognition night is March 10, 2018.**

Pat: phwells@ibewlu347.org  
Al: ajdeheer@ibewlu347.org  
Scott: slfarnsworth@ibewlu347.org  
Doug: dlbuchman@ibewlu347.org

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

**LOCAL UNION 347—[www.ibewlu347.org](http://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 Fax #: (515) 243-8772  
Local #347 Benefits Website: [www.ibew347benefits.com](http://www.ibew347benefits.com)

**LOCAL 347 HEALTH PLAN 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: 1-866-596-8447 or go to [www.uhc.com](http://www.uhc.com) and click on Options PPO.

**L.D.I. INFORMATION (Prescription)—[www.LDIRx.com](http://www.LDIRx.com)**

Retail & Mail-Order Prescription 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](http://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](http://www.vsp.com)**

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

**LOCAL 347 PENSION PLAN & 401K #4-31329 Admin. by Principal:**

[www.principal.com](http://www.principal.com). When calling have your P.I.N. ready 1-800-547-7754  
Address changes: 1-800-547-7754

**TRADESMEN CREDIT UNION:**

(515) 243-8735

**RETIREE RESOURCES:**

IBEW Retiree helpline: 1-800-733-4239  
NEBF: 1-301-556-4300  
Have your Card# or SS# ready