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Official Notice of Nomination for Election of Officers for Plumbers & Steamfitters Local Union 157

Nominations for Officers of Plumbers and Steamfitters Local 157 will be held during the regular Union Meeting on Friday, November 4th, 2016, beginning at 8:00 pm, Indiana time, in Local 157's Terre Haute Meeting Hall.

The term of office for the positions listed below will be for three (3) years, beginning January 1st, 2017.

No Member shall be eligible to be nominated for any office in the Local Union unless they are a "Journeyman" and have been in "good standing" for a period of two (2) years immediately prior to the Election.

The Officers to be elected are:

Business Manager
Financial Secretary-Treasurer
Business Agent
President
Vice-President
Recording Secretary
Inside Guard
Executive Board (elect 4)
Finance Committee (elect 3)
Examining Board (elect 4)

Local Union By-Laws prohibit any Member from being a candidate for more than one (1) elected office at any one time.

The election of Local Union Officers will be conducted on Saturday, December 3rd, 2016, between the hours of 7:30 am and 4:30 pm, Indiana Time (6:30 am to 3:30 pm, Illinois Time), at the Local 157 Offices in Terre Haute, Danville, Lafayette and Hutsonville Training Center.

In the event of a tie for any office, a run-off election will take place on the next Saturday, December 10th, at the same four (4) voting locations; between the hours of 7:30 am and 4:30 pm, Indiana Time.

Nominations will be conducted for each Office separately and any member nominated for an Office must be present to accept the nomination; or have a written statement on file with the Local 157 Recording Secretary stating the Office which is acceptable and their willingness to run for election to that Office. The statement must also include the reason for not being able to accept the nomination in person.

No Member who directly or indirectly owns, operates or holds stock in a plumbing, pipefitting, HVAC, or other related business employing Local 157 Members may hold an Elected Office.



**Congratulations to Local
157 Member
Mike Pleasant
on his election as
UA Assistant General
President.**



Business Manager's Report

Greg Thoennes

Work has slowed down throughout the jurisdiction with the exception of the outage at Duke Energy in Edwardsport. There are several good size projects being bid and we are all waiting on some good news concerning one of the fertilizer projects. Work has been picking up in many areas of the country and I believe as we move into 2017 we will start seeing projects in our Local begin. We have been fortunate that our sister Locals have been able to provide travel opportunities for our Members.

The 39th UA Convention was a great event and the Local was well represented by your Delegates. This was a very informative, well run Convention and I believe everyone left with renewed enthusiasm and appreciation for our great organization. I also was humbled and honored to serve on the Laws Committee and have the opportunity to second the nomination of Mike Pleasant as our Assistant General President. General President Hite has done a great job leading the UA for the past 12 years and we look forward to great things from the new leadership team of Mark McManus, Mike Pleasant and Pat Kellett. J. B. lists the highlights of the changes to the UA Constitution that were approved in his article which will go into effect January 1, 2017.

The UA Instructor Training in Ann Arbor was held in August. This is always an outstanding week for our instructors to learn new and updated techniques to share with our apprentices and with journeyman upgrade classes. I want to thank all that participated and congratulate Allen Winters on his instructor graduation and Rich Cheever for graduating as a Training Coordinator. The Training Department also received a large grant from the U.A. for the purchase of laptops and desktop computers, welding machines and a portion of the cost for a Chamfermate machine for beveling weld coupons.

The transition to Nyhart as the record keeper for the Indiana Pipe Trades Defined Contribution Pension Plan has been completed and is going very well. Their website 401k.nyhart.com is similar to what we were using and they also have an app for your smart phone. The app can be found by searching "Nyhart 401k" in your app store.

The Labor Day events went very well this year. We had very good attendance at the Labor Picnic in Lafayette and all of the Labor Day Parades. I want to thank everyone that participated in this strong showing of organized labor in our communities.

This year's Local 157 Picnic was threatened by rain but ended up being a nice day with a huge turnout. The Picnic Committee, Training Department, office staff, Benefit Club and volunteers worked hard to make sure this event was enjoyable for all. The apprentices did an outstanding job all day wherever they were needed. We have tried to make this a family friendly event with all of the kids' activities and I think it was very successful.

The General Election is coming up on November 8th. It is very important that you vote and support those candidates that work in the interest of organized labor and working people. The UA has endorsed Hillary Clinton for President. We have a great chance to win a US Senate seat back with Evan Bayh. In Indiana we need to support John Gregg for Governor. The good news this election is that two of our good friends Clyde Kersey, District 43 and Sheila Klinker, District 27, don't have an opponent. Please make sure you are registered and exercise your right to vote.

Piping Industry News

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PLUMBERS & STEAMFITTERS LOCAL 157 OFFICERS

Business Manager	- Greg Thoennes
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Business Agent	- Wilbur E. "Webb" Crouch, III
Field Representatives	- David Hoopingarner
	- Stephen A. Snyder
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Recording Secretary	- Jeff Lindley
Executive Board	- Greg Lanam, Dirk Porter, Matt Melin, Steve Shaffer
Finance Committee	- Tim "Mudflap" Wright, Greg "Buff" Seward, Jonathan Wooten
Examining Board	- Steve Pearson Jr, Kenny Thompson, Tom Huss, John Christeson
Inside Guard	- Justin "Opie" Weger

Business Agent's Report

Wilbur E. "Webb" Crouch, III



As of this publication there are 231 Journeymen and 96 Apprentices actively seeking employment with 110 Members on travel jobs. For the month of July we dispatched 137 Journeymen and 18 Apprentices with 30 call backs and 78 Members to travel jobs. For the month of August we dispatched 123 Journeymen and 22 Apprentices with 35 call backs and 52 Members to travel jobs. Work in the jurisdiction is improving but at a slow pace.

The start date of the fall outage at Edwardsport has been pushed back to the last week of September. ICS currently has 80 pipefitters on site and will need an additional 160 when the outage starts. According to onsite supervision this number may grow due to added scope of work by Duke and the possibility of some discovery work as well.

B&S Plumbing was the successful bidder on the Health and Human Resources project at ISU. The approximate start date for the mechanical portion is November which will put a few of our Members to work. This will depend on how the weather affects the concrete pours and steel erection.

Bowen Engineering is currently working on the first phase of the water treatment project at Cayuga Powerhouse. At this time I am being told that ICS has the larger mechanical portion of this project but I have nothing confirmed yet.

The REG project in Danville is currently doing start up work and will be complete in a few weeks. Morris was officially awarded the October 2017 Alki unit turnaround fabrication and installation at Marathon. They should start seeing ISO's for fabrication the first week of October and will tentatively start field work the first part of 2017.

I still have no new information concerning the Terre Haute S&G Fertilizer project, Tuscola Fertilizer project or the Newport site.

In closing I would like to congratulate our new incoming Apprentices. I hope everyone can make it to the October quarterly meeting to see them swear in and for our service pin awards.

Financial Secretary Treasurer's Report

John "JB" Strange



The 39th General Convention of the United Association was productive and a big success. The gathering of all local unions and Pipe Trades Associations from across the country and Canada met for a week to debate constitutional provisions, politics, and issues that directly affect our members and families. The delegates to the convention were also tasked with electing our leaders for the next five years.

First let me congratulate the "McManus Team" which includes Mark McManus as General President, Local 157's own Mike Pleasant as Assistant General President, Pat Kellett as General Secretary Treasurer along with their team of General Executive Board Members, Administrative Assistants, Directors, International and Special Representatives. I believe we are under great leadership going forward.

There were some important changes to the constitution that were made at the convention. I thought I would touch on some of the more notable ones in this article to give members some "heads up" on changes effective January 2017.

The biggest change made that passed, which eventually led to a roll call vote, was allowing apprentices who have successfully completed their third-year of apprenticeship the privilege of voice and vote. This was a very contentious resolution, but when all was over, there were several delegates that voiced the appreciation of the open and honest process that expressed the will of the membership.

There was a resolution that required locals that charge a working assessment of three percent or more from a traveler to remit the equivalent or a one percent to the traveler's home local. Locals that collect less than three percent from travelers to remit one-third of the monies to the travelers home local. This resolution was submitted from the General Officers to help support smaller locals or locals with little work and to try and limit their financial failing or consolidation with other locals.

Another resolution changed the UA Burial Expense Benefit. The current benefit was calculated on the number of years of continuous service a member had with the UA. The change made was to improve it to a single flat net \$2,500 benefit to all members with at least six months of UA membership. **(Continued on Page 4)**

Financial Secretary/Treasurer's Report - Continued

John "JB" Strange

The change that affects most members is dues increases. At the convention it was approved that there was to be a \$2 dollar a month dues increase which will take effect January 2018. Local 157 by-laws require members to pay the minimum dues provided in the UA constitution. That will bring our quarterly dues payment to \$93 a calendar quarter.

Let me conclude by thanking everyone that helped make the Labor Day events and our Local Union picnic another success. These events are memorable because of the hard work and dedication our officers, staff, apprentices, benefit club and volunteers put into these occasions. There are not enough thanks to go round or enough room to mention everybody involved by name, so again, let me just give a big collective "Thank You" to everyone involved.

Field Representative's Report

Steve Snyder



Work in the Northern jurisdiction has slowed in the recent weeks. Most of the slowdown has come from the 2017 school year starting up and the heavy industrial work reaching completion.

Subaru Industrial Automotive has pushed back the Paint #2 expansion until spring of 2017. All other major capital improvement projects have been put on hold until further notice. All indications with the reprieve from building stem from several large design issues that have become more apparent as car production continues. There has been some recent piping work released to DYAD Mechanical and Shambaugh and Son that should keep current crews busy in the weeks ahead. No information was available for the size and scope of the fall outage at this time. I will keep everyone posted as things progress.

Purdue work has slowed as school has started back up. Creighton Hall of Animal Science is currently underway. DA Dodd was awarded that project as should be manned up later this fall. Several lab remodels continue throughout campus as well as tunnel infrastructure work. The Rolls Royce facility continues on the edge of campus and should hit the opening date of spring 2017.

St. Elizabeth East Patient Tower bids have been pushed back once again. Groundbreaking has commenced and underground plumbing has started and was awarded to Leech and Russell Mechanical Contractors. The concrete and rebar footings have also started. I have been following this job closely and will keep you updated as things progress. I would hope by the time you are reading this article, the MEP contracts will be awarded. Plans are in the design stages to replace or remodel the Central Campus School of Nursing facility. The cost estimates are in the 10-12 million dollar ranges with a spring of 2017 scheduled start date. The \$10 million dollar Crawfordsville facility is still tracking to begin this fall carrying over into the summer of 2017.

Evonik Tippy Labs work has started picking up once again. Right now some restoration work has been released by engineering with more to come in the weeks ahead. Hiring has started and I look to get several more pipefitters mobilized as work becomes available. Some of the scope of work includes new centrifuges, pressure vessels, pumps and associated piping. There is also tentative plan for \$60 million of new construction planned for the 2017 year. All this is still in the design and procurement stages.

As a trustee and committee chairman on the Tippecanoe Building Trades Council I had the pleasure to help present a \$10,000 check to the United Way of Greater Lafayette. These funds were generated by the 25th annual golf outing that the Tippecanoe Building Trades puts together and is used for the fundraising division for the contractors and building trades for their annual event. I am proud to report that the amount raised this year has set a new monetary record for total dollar amount raised for a one day event for the Building Trades. I want to thank everyone who contributed to the success of this achievement. In the last three years I have witnessed first hand the impact that the United Way has, not only on our distressed Members but the local community as a whole. From helping expecting mothers with nowhere to turn, families that don't know where their next meal comes from, retired people who can't make ends meet and everything in between. It has been one of the greatest rewards personally to be a small part of a bigger picture of help.

I also want to say thanks for everyone that attended the Local 157 Golf Outing at Rocky Ridge. It was a great turn out compared to last year. I believe everyone had a good time and I look forward to helping set this up and expand this next year. If you are interested in helping, please feel free to call me anytime. I would like to thank golf committee chair Jeff Casto for his tireless efforts and Business Manager Greg Thoennes for allowing me to start this up once again.

Field Representative's Report David Hoopingarner



I would like to thank everyone who was involved in the Labor Day Parades, Labor Day in the Park and the annual Local 157 Family Picnic. We had great weather and a great turn out for all events.

After the shutdown at Edwardsport we anticipate work at ISU, Marathon and Cayuga. Evansville and Indy are expecting more work in late October. IP&L in Evansville will have a dry fly ash job. This job is scheduled to run approximately 10 months. In December at Gibson Powerhouse also out of Evansville will have a dry fly ash job that is expected to run 7 to 10 months. Indy has several projects coming up which include Eli Lilly, two hospital projects, Rolls Royce and McCallister. These are all long term projects. Local 25 out of Rock Island, Illinois has a John Deere Plant expansion and an Alcoa project which is also long term. Local 23 out of Rockford, Illinois has a 3 month outage at a car plant working 7, 10's for approximately 90 days in January. Also out of Local 23 in February, is a nuclear powerplant outage. This job is a 70 plus day job needing approximately 300 men. Out of Hobart, Indiana Local 210 has a 160 million dollar hospital coming out of the ground, a 45 million dollar cancer center being built, some school projects of around 60 million dollars and 8 million dollars in assisted living projects coming up in the fall. Local 452 out of Lexington, Kentucky has a Toyota Plant expansion in late October as well as a shutdown at the refinery. Boston, Massachusetts Local 537 will have a St. Arbor job this fall. Contractors Azco and O'Connor will be hiring welders and fitters. If you are interested in any of these jobs, please contact me and I will try and get you out to one of them.

TRAINING NEWS

Rich Cheever
Training Coordinator

**From the Educational Trust Department
of Plumbers & Steamfitters Local 157**

Jeff Ehrlich
Welding Coordinator

Mike Smelser
Assistant Training Coordinator

The last week of August marks the start of a new school year for our Apprentices and Instructors. As we begin this new school year, we are looking forward to a year full of unprecedented hands on training. From the addition of solder/braze class to the first year through plumbing classes in the second and third years, all will be coupled with hands on training.

The hot topic with the beginning of the new school year seems to be the latest version of the same Rules and Regulations that have been in place for years. These Rules and Regulations are available for viewing on the bottom of the home page of www.157trainingcenter.org. The only major change is that a points system has been put in place to ensure equal enforcement of the Rules. As always, please visit this website for updates about the Apprenticeship as they happen. We try to keep the site as up to date as possible.

The annual UA Instructor Training Program took place beginning August 13th. The Training Coordinator, Assistant Training Coordinator, Welding Coordinator and 12 Instructors attended this year's training. We are proud to announce that Allen Winters graduated the program as a UA Certified Instructor, and Rich Cheever graduated as a UA Certified Training Coordinator. Also, both Troy Bennett and Shaun Coomey became certified to teach OSHA. The other Instructors in attendance were Carter Crouch IV, Nick Elliott, Ron Greenlee, Joe Musenbrock, Greg Piercy, Eric Reynolds, James Rogers, Gary Stanley and Brent Taylor. We greatly appreciate these individuals allowing us their time to benefit this training program.

The 2 supplemental welding Saturdays each month are currently on hold due to poor attendance. If the Apprentices express enough interest it will be taken into consideration for restarting this "field weld training" program. The weld shop will be open the third Saturday of each month during the weld testing for Apprentices to practice if they so choose.

It should be noted that those interested in the Continuing Education classes for the Illinois Plumbing License, that there are 2 opportunities to attend: Saturday October 8th in Hutsonville, Illinois from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. CST and Wednesday October 26th in Danville, Illinois from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. CST.

Stand together and remain 157 proud.



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Phone: (812) 877-2581
Fax: (812) 877-4542**



Tim Thacker
Administrative Manager

During the months of June and July 2016 your Health & Welfare Plan staff processed 16,205 claims, totaling \$6,306,566.97.

In this article, I would like to state the Initial Eligibility rules for active employees.

Initial Eligibility shall begin on the first day of the second month following any calendar quarter during which an Employee works and is credited with three hundred (300) hours or more of covered employment for an Employer or Employers and payment for the same at the applicable rate is received from said Employer or Employers by the Plan Office.

In the event that a Participant works less than three hundred (300) hours in his/her initial calendar quarter or his/her Employer(s) make(s) payment for less than three hundred (300) hours, the Participant may pay the difference in order to meet the Initial Eligibility requirements. Payment shall be in an amount equal to the difference in the hours reported and three hundred (300) multiplied by the applicable Employer contribution rate and may only be made at the beginning of the initial Benefit Quarter.



In Memoriam



Robert E Bauers Sr, a retired Building Trades Journeyman from Brazil, Indiana passed away on July 15th, 2016. Robert was born on June 15th, 1937 and was initiated into the United Association on July 10th, 1956.

Harold G Hanner, a retired Gas Distribution Journeyman from Rockville, Indiana passed away on August 7th, 2016. Harold was born on August 14th, 1930 and was initiated into the United Association on September 21st, 1978.

Ivan R Cunningham, a retired Building Trades Journeyman from Linden, Indiana passed away on August 23rd, 2016. Ivan was born on September 16th, 1931 and was initiated into the United Association on February 24th, 1959.

James H Bell, a retired Building Trades Journeyman from Danville, Indiana passed away on September 3rd, 2016. James was born on March 14th, 1930 and was initiated into the United Association on October 2nd, 1970.

WELD TESTS AT THE TERRE HAUTE TRAINING CENTER



Saturday, November 19th, 2016 at 8:00 am
Saturday, December 17th, 2016 at 8:00 am
Saturday, January 21st, 2017 at 8:00 am

You must call the
Training Center at (812) 877-1736 and let them know
you are interested.



Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959, As Amended

Title V - Safeguards for Labor Organizations Prohibition Against Certain Persons Holding Office (29 U.S.C. 504)

A union has the right to impose reasonable candidacy qualifications, which may include, or even exceed, the requirements of Section 504.

Section 504 of the LMRDA prohibits individuals convicted of certain crimes from holding union office or employment or serving in other prohibited capacities.

Sec. 504. (a) No person who is or has been a member of the Communist Party* or who has been convicted of, or served any part of a prison term resulting from his conviction of, robbery, bribery, extortion, embezzlement, grand larceny, burglary, arson, violation of narcotics laws, murder, rape, assault with intent to kill, assault which inflicts grievous bodily injury, or a violation of title II or III of this Act, any felony involving abuse or misuse of such person's position or employment in a labor organization or employee benefit plan to seek or obtain an illegal gain at the expense of the members of the labor organization or the beneficiaries of the employee benefit plan, or conspiracy to commit any such crimes or attempt to commit any such crimes, or a crime in which any of the foregoing crimes is an element, shall serve or be permitted to serve—

- (1) as a consultant or adviser to any labor organization,
- (2) as an officer or employee position such as president, vice-president, recording secretary, financial secretary, treasurer, director, trustee, executive board member, business agent, manager, organizer, or clerical employee.
- (3) as a labor relations consultant or adviser to a person engaged in an industry or activity affecting commerce, or as an officer, director, agent, or employee of any group or association of employers dealing with any labor organization, or in a position having specific collective bargaining authority or direct responsibility in the area of labor-management relations in any corporation or association engaged in an industry or activity affecting commerce, or
- (4) in a position which entitles its occupant to a share of the proceeds of, or as an officer or executive or administrative employee of, any entity whose activities are in whole or substantial part devoted to providing goods or services to any labor organization, or
- (5) in any capacity, other than in his capacity as a member of such labor organization, that involves decisionmaking authority concerning, or decisionmaking authority over, or custody of, or control of the moneys, funds, assets, or property of any labor organization, during or for the period of thirteen years after such conviction or after the end of such imprisonment, whichever is later, unless the sentencing court on the motion of the person convicted sets a lesser period of at least three years after such conviction or after the end of such imprisonment, whichever is later, or unless prior to the end of such period, in the case of a person so convicted or imprisoned, (A) his citizenship rights, having been revoked as a result of such conviction, have been fully restored, or (B) if the offense is a Federal offense, the sentencing judge or, if the offense is a State or local offense, the United States district court for the district in which the offense was committed, pursuant to sentencing guidelines and policy statements under section 994(a) of title 28, United States Code, determines that such person's service in any capacity referred to in clauses (1) through (5) would not be contrary to the purposes of this Act. Prior to making any such determination the court shall hold a hearing and shall give notice of such proceeding by certified mail to the Secretary of Labor and to State, county, and Federal prosecuting officials in the jurisdiction or jurisdictions in which such person was convicted. The court's determination in any such proceeding shall be final. No person shall knowingly hire, retain, employ, or otherwise place any other person to serve in any capacity in violation of this subsection.

(b) Any person who willfully violates this section shall be fined not more than \$10,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.

(c) For the purpose of this section—

(1) A person shall be deemed to have been "convicted" and under the disability of "conviction" from the date of the judgment of the trial court, regardless of whether that judgment remains under appeal.

(2) A period of parole shall not be considered as part of a period of imprisonment.

(d) Whenever any person—

(1) by operation of this section, has been barred from office or other position in a labor organization as a result of a conviction, and

(2) has filed an appeal of that conviction,

If the individual is barred from elective office or other position for which any salary would be otherwise due if that individual were not barred by virtue of disqualifying conviction and the individual has appealed disqualifying conviction, any salary shall be placed in escrow by the individual employer or organization responsible for payment of such salary. Payment of such salary into escrow shall continue for the duration of the appeal or for the period of time during which such salary would be otherwise due, whichever period is shorter. Upon the final reversal of such person's conviction on appeal, the amounts in escrow shall be paid to such person. Upon the final sustaining of such person's conviction on appeal, the amounts in escrow shall be returned to the individual employer or organization responsible for payments of those amounts. Upon final reversal of such person's conviction, such person shall no longer be barred by this statute from assuming any position from which such person was previously barred.

* The U.S. Supreme Court on June 7, 1965, held unconstitutional as a bill of attainder the section 504 provision which imposes criminal sanctions on Communist Party members for holding union office (U.S. v. Brown, 381 U.S. 437, 85 S. Ct. 1707).

Lafayette Labor's Day in the Park



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~ Officer Elections ~

Saturday, December 3rd, 2016

Terre Haute Training Center
7:30 am to 4:30 pm (EST)

Lafayette Meeting Hall
7:30 am to 4:30 pm (EST)

Danville Meeting Hall
6:30 am to 3:30 pm (CST)

Hutsonville Training Center
6:30 am to 3:30 pm (CST)



PLEASE NOTE THE EXTENDED VOTING HOURS



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Terre Haute
&
Palestine Parades

2016 Local 157 Family Picnic

FOOD, Kids Games, Bingo, Pony Rides, Swings, Trains, Putt-Putt, Music,

Cornhole, Horseshoes.....and lots of **FUN!**







To view all pictures from this year's Picnic, go to www.ualocal157.org and click on the Piping Industry News tab on the left.



2016 Local 157 Family Picnic



VOTE

Election Day

Tuesday, November 8th, 2016

Download the Indiana Voters app on your Smartphone for valuable information!

Retiree's Christmas Luncheons

Lafayette – Tuesday, December 6th, 2016 at Noon (EST)
Lafayette Meeting Hall

Danville – Thursday, December 8th, 2016 at Noon (CST)
Danville Meeting Hall

Terre Haute – Friday, December 9th, 2016 at Noon (EST)
Terre Haute Meeting Hall

2016 Holiday Gift Baskets

With the Holidays quickly approaching it is once again that time to send in monetary donations and requests for food baskets. Requests for food baskets must be made by Local 157 Members, either for themselves, another Local 157 Member, or for their immediate family member. However, Union Members will be given first priority. Please use the attached form to submit your request and return it to Local 157 ~ Basket Fund Request ~ 8801 E Milner Avenue ~ Terre Haute, IN 47803 or call the main office at (812) 877-1531 or toll-free at (866) 373-3157

Requests must be received in the main office by November 14th and those who are approved to receive a basket will be notified by phone.

Baskets will be distributed on November 22nd and 23rd.

Name _____ City/State _____ Basket Requested For: _____ Number of Household Members _____

Name _____ Local 157 Member who is making the request _____ Phone # _____

(This section must be completed)

All donations and requests can be mailed to
Local 157 ~ Basket Fund Request ~ 8801 E Milner Ave ~ Terre Haute, IN 47803

October 2016

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
						1 Union Meeting 10:00 am TH Meeting Hall Service Pin Awards
2	3	4  Lafayette Retiree's Luncheon - Noon	5	6  Danville Retiree's Luncheon - Noon	7	8  Illinois Plumbing Continuing Ed Class Hutsonville 8:00 am to Noon.
9	10 	11	12	13	14	15  UA Weld Test 8:00 am (Subject to attendance)
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
23	24	25	26  Illinois Plumbing Continuing Ed Class Danville 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm	27	28	29
30	31 					

November 2016

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		1	2	3	4  Union Meeting 8:00 pm Terre Haute Meeting Hall Officer Nominations	5
6  Daylight Savings	7	8  VOTE TODAY ★★★★★	9	10	11  Veteran's Day	12
13	14  Final Day for Basket Fund Request	15	16	17	18	19  UA Weld Test 8:00 am (Subject to attendance)
20	21	22	23	24  <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>	25	26
27	28	29	30			

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Quarterly Union Meeting
Saturday, October 1st, 2016 at
10:00 am in the Terre Haute
Meeting Hall
Service Pin Ceremony

Monthly Union Meeting
Friday, November 4th, 2016 at
8:00 pm in the Terre Haute
Meeting Hall - Officer
Nominations

Local 157 Officer Elections
Saturday, December 3rd, 2016
7:30 am to 4:30 pm
(Indiana Time)
6:30 am to 3:30 pm
(Illinois Time)



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HEALTH & WELFARE PLAN.....P.O. BOX 3040

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