

PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 773

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Newsletter



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NOTICE OF MEETING FOURTH MONDAY

Meeting Date: -8/22/2022

THE 8/22/2022 UNION MEETING HAS BEEN CANCELLED

ENJOY THE REST OF YOUR SUMMER!



OFFICERS

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From the Recording Secretary

The August Union meeting has been suspended/canceled as a result of a motion made and carried at our July meeting requesting it be suspended due to low attendance and quorums not being met these past several months. Please enjoy the month off and we hope to see more faces at our September Union meeting. Brothers and Sisters, let's not forget the importance of our monthly meetings!

From the Business Manager

Brothers and Sisters, as Recording Secretary Justin Jeffrey said, I hope to start seeing more and more of you at our monthly Union meetings as we move into the coming months. There is continual business that must be conducted and your active participation is most definitely needed and certainly wanted. This is our livelihood, and it's together that we continue moving forward as one.

In closing, I would like to wish all of our Union Brothers and Sisters and their families a Happy Labor Day. It is fitting after my opening above to ask that we remember the creation of the labor movement and the incredible contributions made for the strength, prosperity, and well-being of our country. Be well everyone.

From the Benefits Office

Pension Fund

The Fund Office mailed out Alive and Well Letters to all of our current pensioners in June 2022. If you have not returned your Notarized Alive and Well Letter, please do so immediately.

The Fund Office mailed out yearly pension benefit letters. Included in the mailing was a summary of hours submitted by contributing contractors for the 2021-2022 plan year, and an estimate of your pension benefit at age 65. Please note that while the Normal Retirement Age is considered to be 65, many members are eligible to take an unreduced early pension benefit at age 62. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Pension Office.





If you have any unused, usable eyeglasses, please consider donating them!

Brother Val Baez, also a member of the Lions Club, is always collecting eyeglasses to be recycled and reused for those in need.

Donation boxes are located in the main foyer and in the meeting hall. Simply drop them in and Val will bring them to the Lions Club for proper recycling.



The Union and Benefits Offices will be closed on Monday, September 5th in observance of Labor Day.

From the Training Office

2022-2023 SCHOOL YEAR ORIENTATION DATES



GLENS FALLS TRAINING CENTER - Tuesday, September 6th at 5:00pm

Apprentices, as a reminder, your attendance at Orientation is MANDATORY, and you must bring the required payment of \$150 that night for your yearly initiation fee and school books. We look forward to welcoming our many new Apprentice Brothers and Sisters and welcoming back everyone else for a great year. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to reach out to Training Coordinator Jake Ringer on his cell at 518-307-9424. See you all very soon!

GLENS FALLS FACILITY INSTRUCTORS: as you are already aware, this is just a reminder that your help is needed to clean up and organize our training facility as we prepare to open back up for the 2022-2023 school year. We will also be having an Instructor meeting this evening and your attendance, as always, is appreciated.

Glens Falls Clean-Up Day/Instructor Meeting: Tuesday, August 23rd beginning at 4:30pm

There is no UA Weld Test Day scheduled for this month. Monthly test days will resume Saturday, September 17, 2022 at our Glens Falls Authorized Testing Facility. Reminder: it is YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to keep your welder continuity up-to-date! If you need a form to have your continuity updated by your contractor, are unsure of when your weld process expires, or simply have a question, please don't hesitate to contact Jake or Alexis!

Continuing education training: if there is a class you are interested in taking, please don't hesitate to reach out to the Training Department via our website, call Training Coordinator Jake Ringer on his cell phone at (518) 307-9424, or call the Training Department at (518) 792-9157.

To log in to the members only section of our **
website, your User ID is your last name and your **
password is your UA member #.

If you have any questions or need help navigating through the site, please feel free to call the Union Office.

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Updated Membership Information Needed

It is vital that Local 773 know how to reach our members. If you have moved, or if any of your personal information has changed recently, please complete the following form and mail it to:

Plumbers & Steamfitters Local 773, PO Box 312, Glens Falls, NY 12801

Name:		
Old Address:	City, State, Zip:	
New Address:	City, State, Zip:	
New Home Phone:	New Cell Phone:	
Effective Date of change (s):		