

RANK-N-FILE



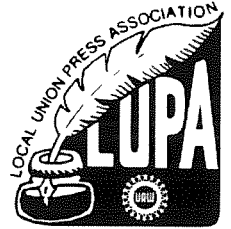
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Summer is quickly passing by and we will be celebrating Labor Day soon. Enjoy your holiday that celebrates all of your hard work throughout the year.

Before that, remember that we are having a picnic on August 26th at the Union Hall. Come and join in the fun.

I was able to go to Newton and join our brothers and sisters on the picket line in front of Thombert. They are members of Local 997 in Newton and are fighting for better wages and lower health care costs. If you are in Newton, stop and say hi and show them some support. We will be making donations to help them out.

Coming this fall, there will be elections for city councils and school boards. If you are interested in running for office and would like an endorsement, please contact us at the UAW Hall.

In solidarity,
Jim Chance

Retirees Helping

The following retirees helped assemble the Rank-N-File paper in July:

**Mike Mayer
Bruce Ehrig
Bob Healey**

The Fall Skilled Trades Conference will be held at the Pat Greathouse Education Center September 6th-9th, 2023 for Skilled Tradesmen. If interested in attending, you need to go to the UAW Hall and sign up.

In Solidarity,
Dan Vaske

Retirees July Meeting

Sid Hass called the meeting to order. The Pledge of Allegiance was given and roll call of officers was taken. The minutes of our July meeting are posted on the bulletin board.

Linda Fuller gave the financial report for the previous month. A motion to approve the report was made by Willie Acord. Seconded by Rich Park. Carried.

Old Business: The local's picnic is on August 26th. We could use some volunteers to help with registration and raffle ticket sales and preparing drinks.

New Business: The raffle tickets are here if anyone wants to purchase some today. Harvey Varnum suggested that when we purchase meat to grill, that we have them tenderized first.

Sid Hass, Joyce Bollhoefer, and Bill Schmidt will be going to Ottawa, Illinois next week for the Region 4 Retiree Council meeting.

Birthdays and Anniversaries: One Birthday – LeRoy Thoms.

Door prizes winners were Judy Dunsmoor, Diane Hass, and Marvis Drew.

50/50 winners were Linda Fuller and Larry Opperman.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Willie Acord. Seconded by Rich Park. The meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Recording Secretary,
Bill Schmidt

We would like to thank the membership for sending us to the Grievance Handling Training in Ottawa, IL. We learned a lot about the process and met a lot of new people from different locals that handle grievances in different ways.

We hope to bring back what we learned to better help and support our membership.

In Solidarity,
Phil Gavagan, Bryan Pickering,
Spencer Dieleman

CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

Employee Name

New Address/Street

City/State/Zip Code

Phone Number

Today's Date

Employee's Signature

If you have moved recently or are planning on moving, please fill out this change of address form and give to one of your union representatives or drop off at the UAW Hall.

FOR SALE

Sea Eagle Inflatable Boat with Motor ~ \$400 ~ Call Carl at 641-750-2954 or 641-750-9261
Tonneau Cover ~ Like New ~ Solid trifold ~ 6 months old ~ fits 2015-2023 Chevy Colorado & GMC Canyon ~ Asking \$200
Call Kelly ~ 641-844-3226

2012 Harley-Davidson Electra Glide Classic ~ only 20,000 miles ~ well maintained ~ lots of chrome ~ \$11,500
Call Kelly ~ 641-844-3226

Peterbilt Running boards, brand new, never been on a truck. Bought for a 1999 Dodge Ram club cab. \$100.00 or reasonable OBO. Cash only. 641-485-0959.

Springfield St. Victor 308, 4 (20 round) mags, soft case for gun, iron sights, 16" barrel, 1:10 twist rate ~ \$1,100 OBO ~ Call Calvin at 641-751-4972

WANTED

WW1 and WWII memorabilia ~ German, Japanese, USA. Cash paid. Bruce Bodie – Phone: 641-752-7555.

Howdy Gang! I'm taking this opportunity to announce my resignation as Editor of the Local 893 Rank-N-File paper.

After long thought and weighing of the good and bad, I have decided it is time to move on.

It was a difficult decision on my part. Being the Editor is something I honestly enjoyed doing, although most months it's a struggle to find material to fill the pages.

Aside from my years as Chief Steward, area steward, election committees, both Amalgamated and Unit 11, doing the paper was yet another way for me to do my part for my Union, something nobody seems to want to do anymore. That is sad.

I'm not sure how or who will be selected to fill my position. I guess call the Union Hall or stop by and let us know. (If you don't know the number, you should at least know the address. It's always amazed me by the amount of people who don't even know where the hall is!)

Thank you for the chance to serve you as Editor, and stay Union Strong and get involved!

In Solidarity,
Hoss Tompkins

THANK YOU

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for the beautiful bible you gave our family.
From Laura Thomas and the Family of Darrell Baker

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for thinking of us and for the bible.
From the Family of Ron Anderson

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for the gift of the Holy Bible.
From Nuala and the Family of Greg Smith

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for the bible.
From the Family of Lynn Meyer

Observed the first Monday in September, Labor Day is an annual celebration of the social and economic achievements of American workers. The holiday is rooted in the late nineteenth century, when labor activists pushed for a federal holiday to recognize the many contributions workers have made to America's strength, prosperity, and well-being.



Fisher Gun Club shoot dates 2023

~~April 23rd~~
~~May 7th~~
~~June 4th~~
~~July 16th~~
~~August 13th~~
September 24th

Each Fisher employee, retiree or coop and family member will receive 100 target fees paid to be split between family. Trap and skeet shooting takes place at the Marshall Gun Club west of the airport. Shoot starts at 1:00 pm.

Members will need to bring a shotgun (12 or smaller), ammo (trap loads only, largest size is 7 ½ lead shot) hearing protection, eye protection and a shell pouch.

Contact Darren Sellers for more details

T'was the night before school,
when all through the town,
the parents were cheering
- a robust sound!!

By nine, kids were washed
& tucked into bed where
memories of homework
filled them with dread!

New pencils, new folders,
new notebooks too!
New teachers, new friends -
their anxiety grew!

The PARENTS giggled
when they learned of this fright
and shouted "GO TO BED!!!!"
IT'S A SCHOOL NIGHT!!!

Annette Melner

UAW Amalgamated Local 893 Picnic

When: Saturday, August 26, 2023

Where: Local 893 Union Hall
411 Iowa Avenue West
Marshalltown, Iowa 50158
Bring lawn chair for comfort
Enter to park from Maytag Road

Events: ALL DAY Refreshments, Popcorn, Freeze Pops
Guest Speakers
Inflatables for Kids
Door Prizes
Raffles

9:00 a.m. Show-N-Shine Car Show
Enter your car from Iowa Ave. for car show

10-2:00 p.m. Live Music - D.J.
Bean Bag Tournament

NOON Lunch

1:00 p.m. Kids Tractor Pull
Dilly Bars

3:00 p.m. Tear Down Inflatables

4:00 p.m. Clean Up

Volunteers are needed and are greatly appreciated. If interested in volunteering or have any suggestions for the picnic, call the UAW Hall at 641-752-0685.

BACK TO SCHOOL



LOOK FOR THESE UNION-MADE PRODUCTS FROM THE UNITED STEEL WORKERS AND THE PRINTING, PUBLISHING, AND MEDIA WORKERS CWA. DON'T FORGET TO THANK YOUR UNIONIZED SCHOOL STAFF, TEACHERS, ADMINISTRATORS AND BUS DRIVERS FOR ALL THEY DO.

ACCO BRAND PRODUCTS:

- » Five Star school supplies and organizational gear
- » Mead School Supplies
- » Tetra Pak milk cartons made by USW Local Union 171 in Vancouver, Washington

ROARING SPRING PAPER PRODUCTS:

- » Modern Jen Journals and Folders
- » Construction Paper
- » Poster Board

- » Drawing Pads
- » Sketch Books
- » Composition Notebooks
- » Wire-bound Notebooks
- » Binders and Portfolios
- » Index Cards
- » Envelopes
- » Folders

BOISE PAPER PRODUCTS:

- » Boise X-9
- » Business Choice
- » Flagship
- » Office Depot
- » FasCopy

- » Xerographics
- » USA Xerographics
- » Grand and Toy
- » W.B. Mason

PACON BRAND PRODUCTS

- » Art 1st drawing/sketch pads
- » Array card stock & bond paper
- » Art Street construction paper
- » Bordette Decorative Border
- » Classroom Keeper Storage
- » Colorwave Tagboard
- » Colorbuff 3D decorative background
- » Decoral Art Roll Paper
- » Ecology recycled paper

- » Ella Bella photography backdrops
- » Fadeless paper
- » GoWrite! dry erase pads
- » Kaleidoscope colored paper
- » Little Fingers construction paper products
- » Peacock colored paper products
- » plast'r Craft modeling material
- » The Present-It easel pads
- » Rainbow Colored Kraft duo-finish paper
- » Riverside Construction paper
- » Spectra ArtKraft duo-finish paper
- » Spectra Glitter
- » Trait-tex yarn
- » Tru-Ray construction paper

DO BUY UNION-MADE TIRES

USW MADE TIRES

The U.S. Department of Transportation requires that all tires sold in the United States carry a code which shows, among other things, the company and plant that made the tire. The code would look like this: DOT BE XX XXX XXX. The two symbols (either two letters or a letter and a number) which follow "DOT" indicate the company and the plant where a tire was manufactured. For example, the above code indicates a tire made by B. F. Goodrich in Tuscaloosa, AL. The following is a listing of all U.S. and Canadian unionized tire plants and their DOT codes. By comparing this list to the code on the tire you are buying, you can be certain you are getting a USW-made tire.

Code	Company * City
BE	B. F. Goodrich * Tuscaloosa, Ala.
BF	B. F. Goodrich * Woodburn, Ind.
VE, YE, YU, 88	Bridgestone/Firestone * Des Moines, Iowa
D2, E3, W1, Y7	Bridgestone/Firestone * Lavergne, Tenn.
2C, 4D, 5D	Bridgestone/Firestone * Morrison, Tenn.
UP	Cooper * Findlay, Ohio.
UT	Cooper * Texarkana, Ark.
JU, PC, UK	Goodyear * Medicine Hat, Alberta
IJ, MD, PU	Goodyear * Gadsden, Ala.
DA	Dunlop * Buffalo, N.Y.
JN, MI, FY	Goodyear * Topeka, Kan
JE, MC, PT	Goodyear * Danville, Va
JF, MN, PJ	Kelly-Springfield * Fayetteville, N.C.
CF	Titan Tire * DesMoines, IA
JH, NN, PK	Titan Tire * Freeport, IL
D, plus, serial #	Titan Tire * Bryan, Ohio
CC	Yokohama Tire * Salem, Va.

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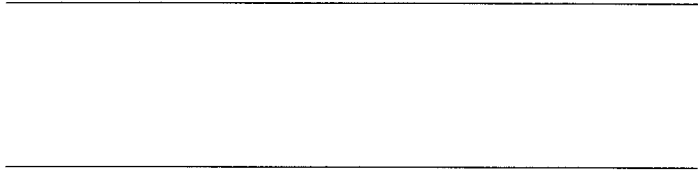
OUR EDITORIAL POLICY

TO OUR READERS: This paper is the voice of your local and international union. This is our **only** vehicle for bringing to you, on a regular basis, the views and actions of the leaders you elected, so you can evaluate them. Through the paper we explain union policies and show how your dues are spent.

The paper is also the voice of the members. We welcome articles from UAW members and stories about our members.

While we welcome your contributions, we ask that they be constructive. All articles should contribute positively to the welfare of this union and its members, and we will accept no attacks on any union leader or member. We will accept a thoughtful discussion of all related issues in the letters column, and reserve the right to reply to those that seem to reflect a misunderstanding of the union and its policies.

We look forward to hearing from you.



UAW CALENDAR – SEPTEMBER 2023						
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2
3	4 LABOR DAY OFFICE CLOSED	5	6 11:00/Noon Retirees Brd/Chap 3:45 p.m. Civil Rights	7 3:45 p.m. Lydall R&F 4:20 p.m. Women's Comm Community Serv	8	9 10:00 a.m. Lennox R&F
10	11	12 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd Recreation	13 4:20 p.m. Union Label	14 8:00 a.m. Retirees Staple	15	16 9:00 a.m. Amalg R&F Following Unit 1 R&F Unit 17 R&F
17	18 4:20 p.m. Education Comm	19	20 3:45 p.m. Ritchie R&F 4:20 p.m. Health & Safety	21 1:30/4:00 p.m. Lennox Stewards 4:00 p.m. Lennox Unit Brd. 4:20 p.m. Consumer Affairs	22	23
24	25 4:20 p.m. Veterans Comm	26 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd	27 5:00 p.m. IA River Labor	28 6:00 p.m. W.C. CAP	29	30

CANCELLED: