

RANK-N-FILE



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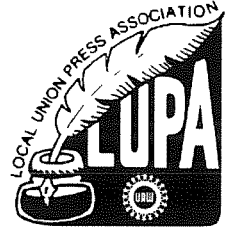
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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

This year has gotten off to a cold start but we have finally come to a slight warming trend.

In January, negotiations took place between our members of Unit 3, and Lydall Sealing Solutions. A tentative agreement was brought before the membership at a ratification meeting on January 31st. The agreement was rejected. We will have more information at a later date.

Once again, legislators in the State House are trying to slash unemployment benefits. Contact your representatives and tell them to oppose HF 2279 and SF 2249. These will only hurt working families when they need the benefits the most.

We have been working on updating our website and will give you more information on that in the future.

In solidarity,
Jim Chance

WANTED

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

Retirees Helping

The following
retirees helped
assemble the Rank-
N-File paper and
the 2022 calendar

in December:

Bruce Ehrig

Denny Davis

Bob Healey

Mike Mayer

CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM

Employee Name

New Address/Street

City/State/Zip Code

Phone Number

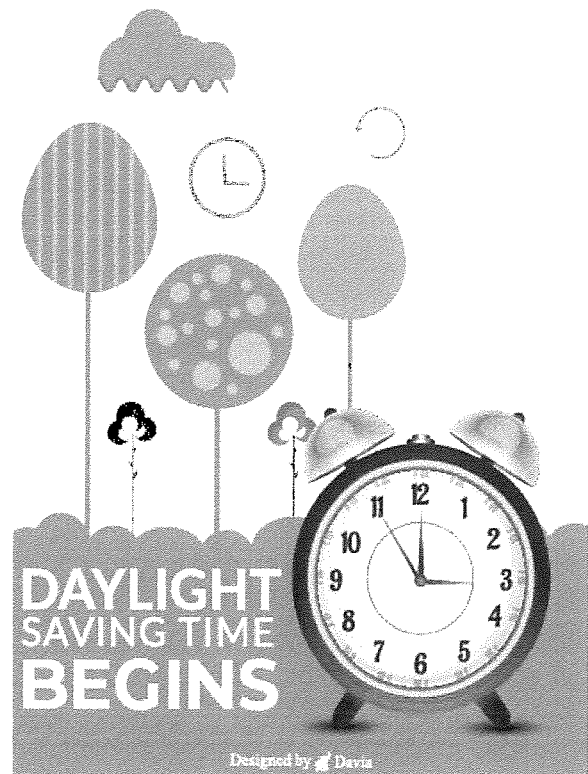
Today's Date

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.

JUST A REMINDER

Daylight Savings time is on
March 13th so remember to
"SPRING" forward 1 hour.



FOR SALE

New 2.5-gallon jug Def Fluid for diesel trucks ~ \$5
Tom Amundson
2208 Iowa Avenue West
641-691-0442

Honeywell 5500 portable generator on wheels ~ excellent condition ~ brand new ~ sells for \$700 ~ asking \$500
Call 641-485-7075 ~ leave message

Oversized Brown Leather Chair ~ Like New ~ Has Foot Rest ~ \$350
Call 641-328-1650

0-5" Brown and Sharp Mic Set ~ Wood Case ~ \$500 ~ Call Snapper at 641-499-0056

Bear Compound Bow with 80% letoff ~ lighted sight and camera to record your hunt ~ hunting arrows and tips with Lumenok Noks ~ many target arrows with shooting block and shooting release ~ all comes with a hard carry case. \$250 ~ Call 641-753-8941

TV Stand ~ glass ~ excellent condition ~ will fit up to a 50" tv ~ 40" long x 17" wide x 22" tall ~ \$90.00

16" round white clock ~ \$10.00

Oak quilt stand ~ custom made with a cross and a heart on the sides ~ excellent condition ~ \$75.00

End table ~ maple stain ~ excellent condition with drawer ~ \$50.00

Twin comforter set (black & white print) ~ complete with pillow sham, decorative pillow, mattress pad, two sets of sheets ~ all in excellent condition ~ \$35.00

Call Bruce Bodie ~ 641-752-7555

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for the bible.
The Edward Tordoff Family

UAW Local 893:
Thank you so much for the bible.

The Rick Drew Family

UAW Local 893:
Thank you all for your kindness.
Tamara Ruopp and the Family of Russell Ruopp

UAW Local 893:
Thank you for the beautiful bible.
The Family of Danny Tuttle

Unit 11:

I would like to thank the members of Unit 11 for my retirement collection. I miss you all and wish you the best.

In Solidarity,
Rich Park



THANK YOU

2021 Reports to The Membership

President

Jim Chance

With the new year in 2021 all of our units were busy working. Most of us were working overtime to get caught up after some slowdowns due to the pandemic. Most of our facilities were in the hiring mode.

We had Amalgamated Executive Board elections in the Spring. There were also several unit elections. Congratulations to all of our elected officers.

Unit 17 ratified a 3-year agreement with Ryerson in April. We were able to get rid of any 2-tier language that previously existed.

Several opportunities became available to us again. We were able to start having open Rank-N-File meetings. We opened the hall for rentals again. Our Education Center in Ottawa, Illinois also opened back up for conferences and workshops.

We were able to participate in the Oktoberfest parade once again. Thank you to all our members and families who represented us in the parade.

Unit 11 ratified a 5-year agreement with Lennox Industries on November 1st. Some good gains were made. We were preparing for a strike but were able to avoid it and get an agreement.

In December, our members of Unit 18 ratified a new agreement with the City of Marshalltown Parks and Recreation. The new contract will start in July 2022, with an immediate wage increase and an annual wage re-opener every year through the 5-year agreement.

Thanks to all of you who supported our brothers and sisters during the John Deere Strike, either through donations or joining them on the picket lines.

We have made it through a couple of difficult years by working together. We will continue to support each other and look forward to a brighter 2022.

Unit 1 - Fisher

Brad Fuller, Chairperson

2021 was a trying year with all the covid procedures and CDC guidelines changing all the time. 2021 was also the year for mass elections for our unit. We had Election Committee elections in January for four positions. We had Chief and Steward elections in February. In March, we had two Shop Committee positions up for election, as well as the Compensation Steward and the 2nd Shift Safety Steward. In May, we had Unit Chair and Recording Secretary, the other Unit 1 Executive Board and three CAP positions elections. I would like to congratulate and thank everyone that was elected and also ran for these positions to try to get involved with your union. I would also like to thank the people that were in these positions before the elections for their service.

In August, we received our first raise of the current contract. We had 20 new hires in 2021 that I'd like to welcome to Unit 1. We had 5 retirements in 2021 that I hope that are enjoying every minute of retirement.

I would like to challenge everyone to make their Rank-N-File meetings on the 3rd Saturday of every month, besides June, July and August. You as members run the union and not the ones you elected to be your voice. If everyone would come to these meetings and voice their concerns or support of problems that members are facing and if everyone is united it would be hard for the company not to listen.

In closing, if you don't like the direction that your union is going, get involved and try to change things for your betterment.

Lawn Mowing Bids

We are taking bids for the grounds at the UAW Hall for lawn mowing this coming season.

The deadline to turn them in will be March 10th, 2022.

NICHOLS' MOWING SERVICE



*Trimming/Weed
Eating*

Call or Text Jeff
641-751-5927

*NO Job
Too Small!!*

**FREE
ESTIMATES!**



**MARSHALLTOWN AND SURROUNDING AREAS
RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL**

FOOD SHELF LIFE RECOMMENDATIONS

Food is almost always good past the expiration date! Remember if something doesn't look right, err on the side of caution. If you don't see a specific food on this list, please visit Foodsafety.gov to search your item.

CANNED GOODS

Beans	3 years
Evaporated Milk	1 year
Frosting	10 months
Fruit, Pickles, Tomatoes, Baked Beans and Applesauce	1 year
Meats	3 years
Pie Filling	3 years
Seafood	4 years
Vegetables, Sauces, Gravy and Stews	2 years

JUICE & OTHER DRINKS

Bottled Juice	1 year
Canned Juice	6 months
Carbonated Drinks	1 year
Coffee and Hot Chocolate	18 months
Drink Mix	2 years
Tea Bags	2 years

INFANT CARE

Baby Food	Exp. Date
Formula	Exp. Date

STAND-BY, READY-TO-EAT FOODS

Broth; Beef, Chicken or Vegetable	3 years
Ensure	1 year
Fruit	3 years
Soup	3 years
Soy, Rice or Almond Milk (Shelf-Stable)	6 months
UHT (Ultra High Temperature) Milk	1 year
Vegetables	3 years

DRY GOODS

Baking Mixes, Cake, Muffin, Brownie, Etc.	1 year	Powdered Milk	3-5 years
Baking Powder	2 years	Bars; Granola, Protein, Cereal	18 months
Bouillon, Beef or Chicken	1 year	Nuts	2 years
Casserole Mix	9 months	Oil; Olive, Vegetable, Salad	2 years
Cereal and Oatmeal	1 year	Pancake Mix	9 months
Cookies	4 months	Pasta	2 years
Cornmeal	1 year	Peanut Butter	18 months
Crackers and Pretzels	8 months	Popcorn, Microwavable	1 year
Dried Beans and Lentils	2 years	Potato Chips	6 months
Dried Fruit	6 months	Pudding Mix	1 year
Flour	6 months	Rice	2 years
Graham Crackers	2 months	Sauce/Gravy Mix	6 months
Grits	1 year	Shortening, Vegetable	18 months
Instant Mashed Potatoes	1 year	Spices	1 year
Jerky	1 year	Stuffing Mix	9 months
Macaroni & Cheese Mix	2 years	Toaster Pastries	6 months
		Tortillas	3 months

CONDIMENTS & SPICES

Barbeque Sauce	1 year	Olives	18 months
Chocolate Syrup, Corn Syrup, Pancake Syrup	2 years	Pickles	18 months
Gravy, Dry Mix Packet	2 years	Salad Dressing	2 years
Jams, Jellies and Preserves	18 months	Salsa	2 years
Ketchup	18 months	Spaghetti Sauce	18 months
Mayonnaise	18 months	Spices	1 year
Molasses	2 years	Steak Sauce	2 years
Mustard	2 years	Worcestershire Sauce	2 years

FOODS THAT WILL LAST FOREVER IF STORED PROPERLY

- Honey
- Rice
- Sugar
- Maple Syrup
- Salt
- Baking Soda
- Pure Vanilla Extract
- Distilled White Vinegar
- Cornstarch



To get help or give help, visit www.foodbankiowa.org

UNION NIGHT AT THE ROUGHRIDERS



FEBRUARY 19TH & APRIL 1ST

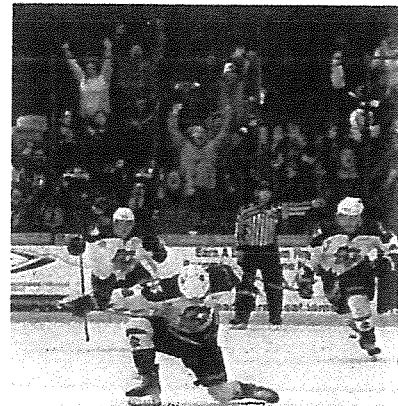


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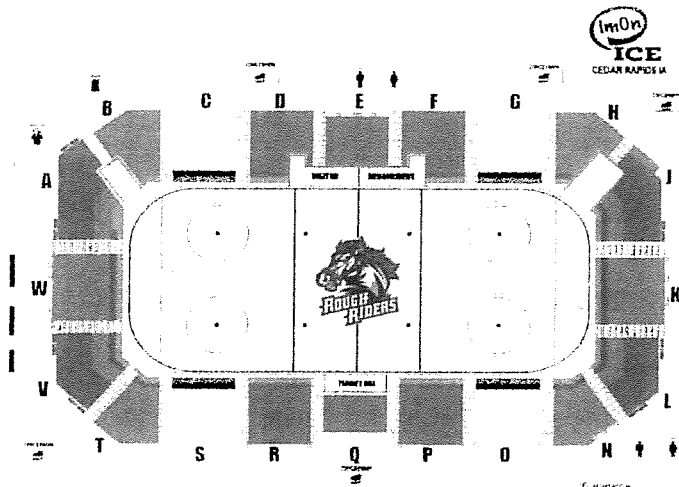


DISCOUNT TICKETS FOR ALL UNION MEMBERS COURTESY OF HAWKEYE AREA LABOR COUNCIL & CEDAR RAPIDS/IOWA CITY BUILDING TRADES

Section L, N, O



**TICKETS-ONLINE:
TICKETS.ROUGHRIDERSHOCKEY.COM
PROMO CODE: UNION**



**GREEN ZONE: 12.25
GRAY ZONE: 14.25
BLUE ZONE: 16.25
RED ZONE: 18.25**

LOOK FOR THESE UNION MADE PRODUCTS FOR YOUR ST. PATRICKS DAY CELEBRATION.

CORNED BEEF

- » Hormel
- » Thumann's
- » Winter's Premium Deli
- » Harris Ranch

POTATOES AND CABBAGE

- » Dole Fresh Potatoes
- » Purchase cabbage at a union grocery store like Safeway, Fred Meyer, QFC, Albertsons, Haggen or Giant Foods

BEER

- » Bass
- » Beck's

- » Blue Moon
- » Budweiser
- » Busch
- » Buttle Creek
- » Coors
- » Dundee
- » Duquesne
- » Lionshead
- » Mad River
- » Killian's
- » Miller Genuine Draft
- » Shock Top
- » Steelhead
- » Third Shift

WHISKEY

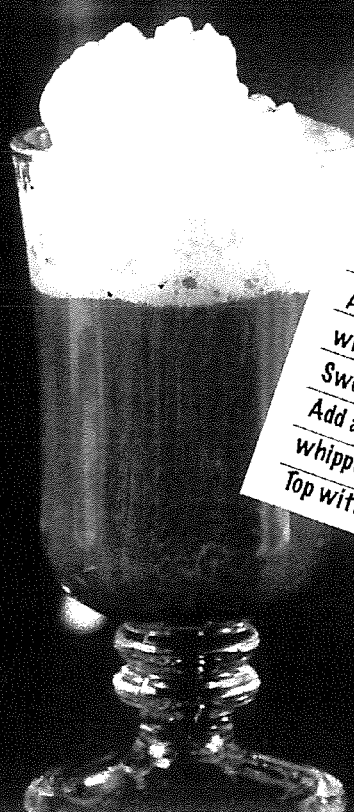
- » Jim Beam
- » Knob Creek Whiskey
- » Old Grand-Dad Whiskey
- » Bakers
- » Basil Hayden's
- » Henry McKenna
- » Old Crow


PARADE BANNERS

- » Is your union participating in a St. Patrick's Day parade? Look for a union printer for your banners and signs on our website at unionlabel.org



Union-Made St. Patrick's Day



 *Recipe By:* Union Label and Service
Trades Department, AFL-CIO

Union Made Irish Coffee:

Brew some union made Folgers coffee.

Add union made Henry McKenna Whiskey or other union made whiskey to a mug

Sweeten with American Crystal granulated or light brown sugar

Add a splash of coffee, leaving about 1/2-inch at the top for whipped cream

Top with Kedd-Whip whipped cream

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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 – MARCH 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd	2 11:00/Noon Retirees Brd/Chap 3:45 p.m. Civil Rights	3 4:00 p.m. Lydall R&F	4	5
6	7 4:20 p.m. CAP Committee	8 4:20 p.m. Recreation	9 4:20 p.m. Union Label	10 4:20 p.m. Women's Comm Community Serv	11	12 10:00 a.m. Lennox R&F
13	14	15 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd	16 3:45 p.m. Ritchie R&F 4:20 p.m. Health & Safety	17 8:00 a.m. Retirees Staple 4:20 p.m. Consumer Affrs	18	19 9:00 a.m. Amalg. R&F Following Fisher R&F Ryerson R&F
20	21 4:20 p.m. Education	22	23	24 1:30/4:00 p.m. Lennox Stewards 4:00 p.m. Lennox Unit Brd 6:00 p.m. WC CAP Meeting	25	26
27	28 4:20 p.m. Veterans Com	29 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd	30	31		

CANCELLED: