# **RANK-N-FILE**



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### PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Labor Day has passed and the kids are back in school. Summer is drawing to a close.

Our Rank-and-File meetings will start up again this month. Standing Committees will also start meeting again after our summer break.

It was good to see everyone who attended the picnic. Congratulations to all of the door prize winners. I'd like to thank everyone who pitched in to help with the picnic. It takes a group effort to put this event on. There were also some very nice cars there.

We were able to donate most of our leftovers from the picnic to the strikers of 997 in Newton. A contingent of our members delivered the food to them the day after the picnic. They also stayed and walked the line with them. If you are in Newton, give them a visit. It is greatly appreciated.

In solidarity, Jim Chance

Retirees Helping
The following retirees
helped assemble the RankN-File paper in August:
Mike Mayer
Bruce Ehrig
Bob Healey

WINNERS OF THE FAREWAY
GIFT CARDS FROM THE
RETIREE RAFFLE WERE:
\$100 - RICKI JENEA GUSTIN
\$50 - HELENA YANES
\$50 - TROY KELLEY
THANK YOU TO EVERYONE THAT
PURCHASED RAFFLE TICKETS.

## **Retirees September 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 August 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 Reita Acord. Seconded by Willie Acord. Carried.

Old Business: We had a good turnout at the picnic and our raffle went well. We want to thank all the retirees who helped at the picnic to make it a success.

New Business: It's good to see Elgin Spence is back attending our meetings. He is doing well. Thank you, Lisa, for helping him attend.

Fishers issued new insurance cards and there was some confusion as to some changes made on the card. The Shop Committee looked into it and said it was a screw up on the Blue Cross/Blue Shield end. Both cards are still useable, but cautioned that you should hold onto the old card for six months.

Birthdays and Anniversaries: Richard and Judy Dunsmoor – Anniversary – 60 years. Willie and Reita Acord – Anniversary and birthday. Diane Hass - Birthday.

Door prizes winners were Linda Fuller, Judy Dunsmoor, and Carol Luthe.

50/50 winners were Willie Acord and Bill Schmidt.

Steak winners – Joyce Bollhoefer, Joyce Elliott, and Willie Acord.

A motion to adjourn the meeting was made by Rich Park. Seconded by Tom Murphy. The meeting adjourned at 1:20 p.m.

Recording Secretary, Bill Schmidt

# CHANGE OF ADDRESS FORM Employee Name New Address/Street City/State/Zip Code Phone Number Today's Date Employee's Signature

The Garwin Little League would like to thank you for your generous donation. We were able to get a scoreboard with the money raised! The kids, families, fans, and coaches were beyond excited to have a scoreboard.

Thank you for supporting our amazing community!

Stephanie Aldrich & Jackie Stephenson

# 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

Mobility Electric Scooter ~ Like New ~ Runs Good ~ Easy takedown to put in car or SUV ~ 2 years old Paid \$1,400 ~ Asking \$1,200.
Call 641-753-8941
Brown Lift Chair Recliner ~ Good Shape \$800 new ~ Asking \$400
Call Don Fisher @ 641-328-1650

# **WANTED**

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



UAW Local 893:

Thank you so much for giving us a bible in honor of our father. That was very thoughtful. From the family of Don Mettlin

# Fisher Gun Club shoot dates 2023



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



# **ANNUAL FUNDRAISER**

Saturday, October 14, 2023 5pm to 7pm

Prime Rib Cheesy Potatoes Pasta Salad Fresh Baked Bun

Drive Thru Only \*23/plate

Lincoln AMVET Hall Lincoln, lowa

Thank You to all our veterans and those currently on command

### Retiree Council Conference

On August 8-10, 2023, Joyce Bollhoefer, Sid Hass and myself attended the Region 4 Retirees Council Conference in Ottawa, IL.

Our first speaker was Stuart Shoup, a legal representative from the UAW Legal Department. He spoke on Labor Law, Bargaining Law, and what are mandatory, permissive, and illegal subjects in negotiations.

Rico Diaz and Adrian Millsap from the Negotiations Department, told us that the Big Three negotiations are beginning and that all three will be negotiated at the same time.

The Region 4 Director and Assistant Director were next. They apologized for not being here to open the conference because they were in a video conference with the National Women's Conference in Black Lake. They told us about updates to the center and the new procedures are making it harder to get vendors hired to do some work. It's easier if they can do it themselves instead of complying with mounds of paperwork that takes months to get through.

They are starting negotiations on September 14<sup>th</sup> for the Big Three. The first one to get to economics will become the target for the other two.

Local 997 in Newton, Iowa is on strike at the Thombert plant. Masterlock ratified a closing agreement. He closed by saying, its good jobs are what we should be voting for in the upcoming elections, not hot button issues. Good paying jobs increases the tax base and elevates everyone.

After lunch, we listened to Jesus Palahox from the Illinois Alliance for Retired Workers. After that we met in our state caucus groups to elect delegates to open positions. Iowa had two vacancies. They were filled by Jim Mount and Ron McInroy.

We recommended with the rest of the Council to nominate and elect a new 3<sup>rd</sup> Vice Chair to Council's Officers. Ron McInroy was nominated but declined. Tom Courtney was nominated and accepted. Tom had to resign of the lowa delegation and J.J. Kean accepted that open seat.

Respectively Submitted, Bill Schmidt

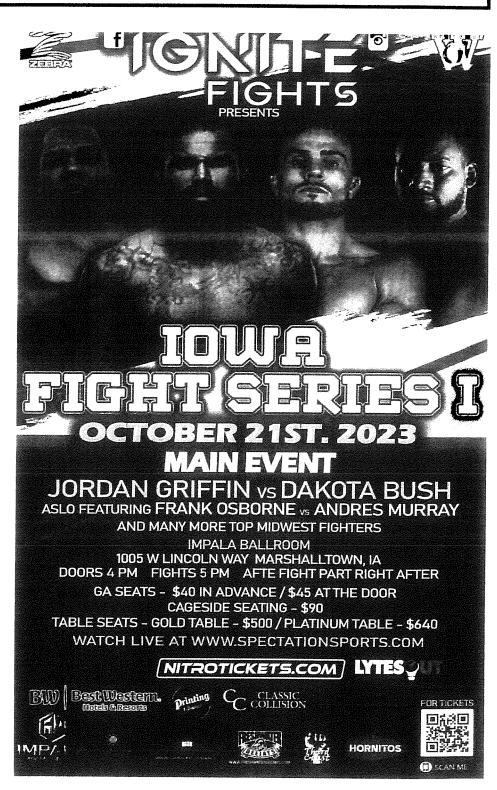
# UAW RAFFLE IOWA FIGHT SERIES

The UAW Local 893 is sponsoring a VIP table at the lowa Fight Series event on October 21, 2023.

The table holds 8 seats and we will have 4 winners of 2 tickets (value of \$160).

Raffle tickets
will be available
for purchase in
all plants
starting
September 13<sup>th</sup>.

Tickets will be \$1 or 6/\$5. Ticket sales deadline is October 2<sup>nd</sup> with the drawing to be held on October 3<sup>rd</sup>.



# CALLING ALL MEMBERS

UAW LOCAL 893 WILL BE
PARTCIPATING IN THE OKTEMBERFEST
PARADE WHICH WILL BE ON
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 2023.

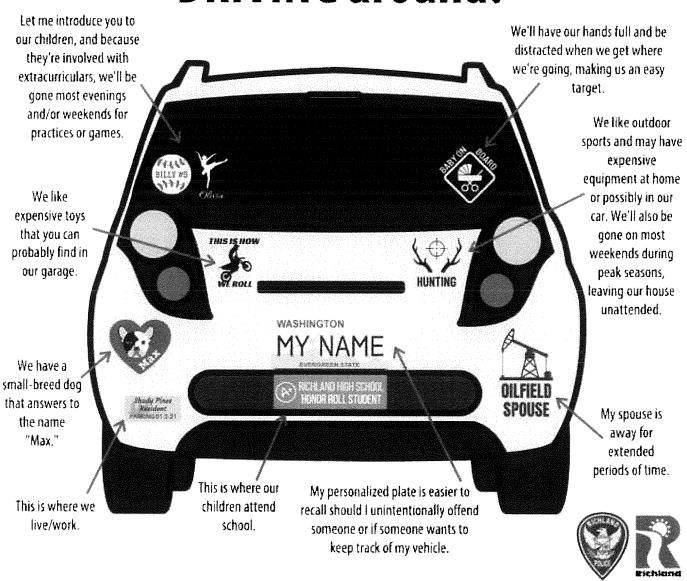
IF YOU WOULD BE INTERESTED IN WALKING IN THE PARADE, PLEASE CALL THE UAW HALL TO SIGN UP, OTHERWISE MEET ON OUR PARADE SPOT BY 9:30 THAT MORNING. OUR SPOT WILL BE RELEASED WHEN WE RECEIVE IT.

THIS WOULD BE A GREAT WAY TO GET INVOLVED WITH YOUR LOCAL UNION AND THE COMMUNITY.



Are you displaying your life story on your car? Times have changed ~ be safe with what you are putting out there for the world to see.

# What information are you DRIVING around?



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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.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 4:20 p.m. CAP Committee	3	4 11:00/Noon Retirees Brd/Chap 3:45 p.m. Civil Rights	5 3:45 p.m. Lydall R&F	6	7
8	9	10 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd Recreation	11 4:20 p.m. Union Label	8:00 a.m. Retirees Staple 4:20 p.m. Women's Comm Community Serv	13	14 10:00 a.m. Lennox R&F
15	16 4:20 p.m. Education Comm	17	18 3:45 p.m. Ritchie R&F 4:20 p.m. Health & Safety	19 4:20 p.m. Consumer Affairs	20	21 9:00 a.m. Amalg R&F Following Unit 1 R&F Unit 17 R&F
22	23 4:20 p.m. Veterans Comm	24 4:20 p.m. Amalg Exec Bd	25 5:00 p.m. IA River Labor	261:30/4:00 p.m. Lennox Stewards 4:00 p.m. Lennox Unit Brd. 6:00 p.m. W.C. CAP	27	28
29	30	31				

CANCELLED: