

PLUMBERS & PIPE FITTERS LOCAL 370

The next Membership Meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, August 15th**, 2017 at 7:00pm. Please note this meeting date has changed to the **3rd Tuesday in August**.

Health Care Benny Debit Card

The Board of Trustees is pleased to announce that you should have received your debit card that can be used to access the medical reimbursement portion of your Supplemental Benefit Account (SBA) The cards will be effective July 1, 2017 and can be used for Internal Revenue Services (IRS) Section 213 (d) eligible expenses. The Fund will pay for your first card however, the cost for any additional or replacement cards will be the participant's responsibility. The cost for replacement or additional cards is \$5.00 per card. In addition the Fund will also pay the monthly administration fee for utilization of the card. SBA claims incurred prior to July 1, 2017 must continue to be submitted to the Fund Office for reimbursement. As a reminder, Participants are eligible to use the SBA as long as at least one thousand dollars (\$1,000) remains in the dollar bank. Participants will not be permitted to reduce their dollar bank below one thousand dollars (\$1,000) for anything other than monthly self-payments. The annual maximum reimbursable amount will continue to be \$5,000. If you have not received your card please call T.I.C. fringe administrators' toll free number 1-888-797-5862.

2017 Upcoming Night Classes

Electric Controls for Mechanical Equipment Service

Tuesdays and Thursdays
September 12th – October 19th
Time: 5-9pm

Rigging Certification

Mondays and Thursdays
4:30 - 7:30
September 11th - October 16th

First Aid CPR

September 13th at 4:30 pm

OSHA 30

Tuesdays and Wednesdays
4:30 - 7:30
October 3rd - November 8th

Committee and Board meetings are as follows:

Examining Board – Tuesday, August 15th 2017 at 4:00pm
FMR Committee – Tuesday August 15th 2017 at 4:00pm
PAC committee – Tuesday July August 15th 2017 at 4:30pm
Executive Board – Tuesday July August 15th 2017 at 5:00pm
Building Committee – Tuesday August 15th 2017 at 6:00pm

Finance Committee—Tuesday August 15th 2017 at 6:15pm
JATC Committee— Tuesday August 22nd 2017 at 3:30 pm

Local 370 office hours 7:30am – 4:30pm.

Sub/Sick checks will be processed 8:00am – 11:30 am and 1:30pm – 4:15pm daily.

Attendance award drawing for membership meeting information. Members need to be present and have dues paid to date to claim award. August award 150 dollars.

ALL GM Work requires Must Safety and Drug Testing: MUST safety modules are only valid for 4 years. Call the hall to sign up for the MUSTBSAFE.com website and complete all 18 safety modules. Members will not be eligible to work at any GM site until all 18 modules are complete and are current on their drug test. If your drug test is expired you must take one before you can be dispatched to any GM work. Drug tests are only valid for 1 year. Call The hall and we will print you a drug test authorization form.

Our web site is up and running. Check it out at ualocal370.org

We are now able to accept Visa, Master Card, Discover and American Express for window dues. If you want to take advantage of this service there will be a \$1.00 per month charge added to the monthly window dues fee and a 3% fee for all other transactions.

Plumbing, Mechanical and Residential Code Books are now available at the hall. The books are \$75.00 each.

Remember to keep your dues current. Any member failing to pay for 3 months shall stand suspended, unable to vote for a period of 1 year or run for office for a period of 2 years and subject to a \$50.00 reinstatement fee. Dues must be paid in 3-month increments according to our bylaws. Dues will be accepted up to 6:45 on union meeting nights.

Members wishing to take the U.A. welding certification test contact business agent, Bruce Roth for application and testing dates.

Local 370 ball caps and winter fleece caps are available at the union offices. Ball caps \$10.00 and fleece caps \$5.00. Pocket Tee shirts are available for \$10 dollars each. Hooded sweat shirts and long sleeve pocket tee shirts are available. The sweat shirts are \$25 and the long sleeve tee shirts are \$15. Golf polo and golf wind shirts are available for \$25.

If you shop on the internet, SHOP UNION MADE, log on to www.shopunionmade.com. T.I.C. fringe administrators' toll free number is 1-888-797-5862.