

HAPPY NEW YEAR 2008

ELECTRICIANS LOCAL 82

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*JATC
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*Union Meeting
Monday, February 4, 2008
5:00 p.m.
January attendance was 69*



*Charlie E. Toon Memorial
Fish Fry/Monte Carlo*

Saturday, February 23rd

5:00 p.m. - midnight

*\$10.00 in advance - \$13.00 at door
Proceeds go to
CET Memorial Fund
and Local 82's Softball
Teams*



Members Delinquent in Dues

PAID THROUGH OCTOBER

Brian Audas
Tarry Bowman
Nick Burtis
Ed Canan
Mark Clark
Chris Craft
Steve Crawford
John Dailey
Cory Eckert
Gerald Farmer
Ben Gentry
Brandon Gillum
Carl Gregg Jr.
Travis Harrison
Hank Howard
James Key
Denny Lewis
Ralph McCoy
Jeff McCoy
James McQuage
Jerry Montgomery

Brad Randolph
Fred Robertson
Bobby Saunders Jr.
Jody Steinbarger
Cliff Strange
Chris Trusty
Andrew Wallace
Chad VanWinkle
Matt Wheeler
Ron White

PAID THROUGH SEPTEMBER

Dave Aleksin
Lynn Auttelet
Andrea Bashaw
Martha Corley
Rocky Davis
Shane Denson
Scott Green
Steve McKinney

Kevin Meenach
Mike Mitrousis
Denny Norrod
Brian Renfrow
Brad Singer
Steve Snavely
Edward St. Pierre
Shawn Sutter
Charles Taylor
Jack Yarnell

PAID THROUGH AUGUST

Denny Ashworth
Denny Ayers
Mark Edens
John Holt
Jason Kelley
Mike McDonald
Pat McKibben
James Price
Joe Seidenschmidt

Russ Sharp
Bob Sims
Derek Smith
Dean Spurling
Bryon Stacy

PAID THROUGH JULY

John Burkhardt Jr.
Nathan Kussman
Richard May
Ashley Mouser
Rodney Reed
Michele Sparklin

OUT ON DUES

Dan L. Lewis
Ryan Heeter
Joe Wheeler



Edward "Bud" Manley
8/31/18 - 12/30/07
71 year member

**Our sympathy is
extended to friends and
family:**
Mike Manley (son)
**Tom Poeppelmeier (son
in law)**
Mark Poeppelmeier
(Grandson)

Dues for 2008

Monthly	\$30.70
Quarterly	\$92.10*
Semi Annually	\$184.20*
Annually	\$368.40*

* Deduct \$1.00 per quarter if paying by cash or check. No discount if paying by credit card. You can now pay your dues online. Visit our website at www.ibewlocal82.org

A Note from Financial Secretary, Charla Parker

Until a member actually retires from the International they must still pay monthly dues. Members retiring only from Local 82 are forgetting about their dues, then they show up on the Delinquent List. Please call me at 937/898-4239 or 1/888/568-8282 ext. 1103 if you have any questions.

Attendance Drawing

February drawing worth about \$550. No winners at the Dec. or Jan. meetings. Name drawn in December was Dave McNamara. Ron Thompson's name was drawn in January.

December Sick List

Mark Corron
Dennis Davidson
Rick Forness
Justin Holloway
Leslie Hunter
Jeff Patterson

2008 CODE UPDATE CLASS

The JATC will be offering a two day course on the Significant Changes to the 2008 National Electrical Code. The course will be 12 hours in duration.

John Humphrey will be the Instructor.

The course will be held on two Saturdays, February 23 and March 1, 2008.

Classes will start promptly at 8:00 a.m. and finish up around 3:00 p.m.

There will be a lunch break, but you will be responsible for your own lunch.

The course has been approved by the Ohio Construction Industry Licensing Board (OCILB) for continuing education credits for contractor recertification requirements. For this purpose the class is segmented into two 6-hour sessions, so you can attend one or both of the sessions as is required for your recertification needs.

The course has also been approved by the Ohio Board of Building Standards (OBBS) for continuing education credits for Certified Electrical Safety Inspectors.

This course has also been approved for continuing education credits for the State of Kentucky Licensing Board requirements for our members who have Kentucky electrical and master electrical licenses.

YOU MUST HAVE A 2008 CODE BOOK TO ATTEND THIS CLASS. CODE BOOKS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE FINANCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. THE JATC HAS A VERY LIMITED NUMBER OF CODE BOOKS AND WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE ANY CODE BOOKS FOR THIS CLASS.

All eligible students will receive a stipend payment of \$120.00. You must attend all 12 hours of the course to be eligible for the stipend payment.

Please call the JATC office at 937-264-2052 and talk to Dick Brooks at ext. 1202, or Brandy at ext. 1200 to register for this class. Registration will be on a first come, first served basis.

FOR ALL CLASSES, PLEASE USE STUDENT DOOR #5, LOCATED AT SOUTHEAST CORNER OF BUILDING

GOLFERS WANTED

**WGA Dayton is looking for golfers to
play on our traveling tournament
team.**

Requirements

Must be an IBEW member in good standing.

**Able to travel and devote Wednesday, Thursday, and
Friday of the third week in August each year for
tournament play.**

**Tournament expenses average \$210 for golf, hospitality,
and team shirt, plus room, meals, and transportation.**

**All interested golfers please send your full name,
address, IBEW card number, phone numbers and email
address printed on an 8.5"X 11" sheet to Bill Melke
4785 Joyce Dr. Dayton, Ohio 45439 or Fax 937-294-3605**

Respond no later than 2/15/08

Questions call Bill 937-239-9343 or Nick Comstock 937-898-4239

In 1968, Charlie Toon came as a nobody without relatives or connections to the Electrical Trade and filled out an application. He always felt blessed that he was accepted as an apprentice with Local #82 and tried to never take his opportunities for granted. He believed in the union and fought to the best of his knowledge to make it better for all.

We, his family would like to say thank you from the bottom of our hearts for the outpouring of love shown to Charlie and to us during this difficult time.

We wanted to write a personal note to all his brothers and sisters that honored us with their presence at the visitation and funeral mass but it has been impossible to read all the names in His Remembrance Book let alone try to find the addresses. We have ask that this be read at the Union Meeting or conveyed to the membership as the officers see fit.

We will continue to do what ever we can to support Local 82 and their membership because we too believe in their standards of buying American made products and services.

We will forever be grateful for the flowers, memory blankets, the food, the cards, the donations made to his family and to our church and especially those who graced us with their presence with words of comfort.

We loved him dearly and it has been heartwarming for us to see and hear that others loved him too. Thanks to all of you that have supported Charlie in his years of service and may God Bless each and every one of you.

Atha, Betsy & Chris Whitney, Kathren, Chris & Christine Toon

Apprenticeship Graduation Pictures

Do you have any apprenticeship graduation pictures? Bob Keller has volunteered to update the apprenticeship graduation pictures that have been around the hall for several years. Some class pictures are missing and some have no names of the graduates. If you have any pictures you would like to share, Bob can make copies. If you would like to take a trip down memory lane and try to identify some of the people in the pictures, or share some interesting stories, call Bob at 937/848-8339. Some of the pictures are from classes when the hall was located at Fifth and Ludlow Streets in downtown Dayton.

Electricians Credit Union 937/264-2055

Have you checked out the Credit Union lately? They offer savings, loans and VISA Credit Cards. You can sign up for payroll deduction to add to your savings, pay your loan or pay your monthly union dues. Stop in and see Diane, Mary Beth, Liz or Denny for information on the programs they offer. They are located on the 2nd floor in the Local 82 Building. Hours are 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday. Open until 6:30 p.m. on Union Meeting Nights.

ATTENTION APPRENTICES - The Credit Union is a great way to start saving for your school books for next year. Also, if you're a probationary apprentice you'll have initiation fees to pay when you become a member of the IBEW, or if you're already a member a weekly payroll deduction to the Credit Union can take care of your monthly dues.

Scholarships

The IBEW Founders Scholarship is available only to IBEW members. Applications are available at the hall. Stop by and pick one up or give us a call at 937/898-4239 and we'll be glad to mail you a copy.

Contractor's Course

A Contractor's Course will be offered March 28, 29, 30, 2008 at the Union Hall of Local 683 in Columbus. This course is being conducted by Pro Union Consulting, L.L.C. It covers business planning, estimating, record keeping and many other subjects related to starting your own electrical business. The cost is \$475 per person. For further details please contact Jim Taylor at the hall at 937/898-4239 or 1/888/568-8282 x1102.

Union Privilege Programs

Check out www.unionplus.org for benefits offered to Union Members. There are credit cards, mortgage loans, credit counseling, scholarships and car rental discounts just to name a few.

Local 82 Retirees Club

If you're retired from Local 82 come out and join the Retirees Club. They meet the 1st Wednesday of each month at the hall at 12:00 noon. They plan different activities, have carry in lunches and just have a good time. Come to the next meeting scheduled for Wednesday, Feb. 6th.

Officers of the Club are:

Lenny Reinert - President

Bob Ulrich - Vice President

Jan Berner - Treasurer

Lena Gantner - Recording Secretary

Upcoming Events for 2008

Here are a few of the activities we have planned for this year:

Fish Fry/Monte Carlo

Saturday - February 23

IBEW Softball Tournament hosted by Local 82

Saturday & Sunday

July 26 & 27

Kettering Fields

Dragons Party Decks

Tuesday - June 24

Tuesday - August 19

Reds Excursion

Saturday - August 16

Annual Pin Dinner

Friday - August 22

From the Referral Agent

It has come to our attention that quite a few workers have expired Drug Cards. It is the MEMBERS responsibility to check the expiration dates and to inform their employer when expiration is close. It is the EMPLOYERS responsibility to educate and provide periodic/yearly testing. The referral office will need to do a better job of checking Drug Cards - - - so be forewarned about this issue. Please have your cards updated to avoid being turned down for employment.

Also, if you plan on traveling to another Local to work, make sure you are registered in ERTS prior to leaving. This assures that your benefits will be transferred back to your home funds.