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Join us at the American Heart Association's HEART WALK

in Syracuse !

<u>Saturday, March 23</u>

8:00 a.m. Check-In, 5k Walk at 10:00 a.m.

www.SyracuseHeartWalk.org

Click on <u>IBEW Local 43 Electricians</u> in the Top Teams list. Click the 'Join This Team' red block to sign up. **The walk will be at the SRC Arena & Events Center at Onondaga Community College Campus 4585 W. Seneca Tpke, Syracuse, 13215**





in Utica !

<u>Saturday, March 2</u> 9:20 a.m. Run, 10:30 a.m. Walk www.UticaHeartRunWalk.org

Click 'Register to Walk', then 'Join a Team'. Search Teams for <u>IBEW Local 43</u>. Click the 'Join' red block to sign up. **The walk will be held at Utica College** (limited parking) **Park & Ride Shuttles are suggested** - **please allow 1 hour from shuttle lot to the event.**

Two (2) St. Patrick's Day Parades

Saturday, March 16th- 10 a.m. at Oneida Square - Downtown Utica

Saturday, March 16th- at Noon - Downtown Syracuse

All members and families - please join one of our IBEW Local 43 groups as we walk in these Parades and celebrate St. Patrick's Day.



Contact the Union office to sign up. (Local 43 members will get a green shirt to wear!)



Our next meeting will be held at 10 am on Wednesday, February 20th at the Union hall. We are beginning to plan a tour of the *New* Regional Aviation History Museum @ Syracuse Hancock Airport.

The cost is \$12. 20 people max per tour. If interested call Paul Lanieu @ 315-480-0135

Our Retirees' Meetings are a great way to stay in touch! All retirees, wives and retirees' widows are welcome. Please join us!

Listed below are some jobs our members have recently worked on:			
Due to our organizing efforts, some of Local 43's Successes in the construction field -			
PINZ Bowling Alley, Sangertown Sq., New Hartford	\$2,500,000	Helio Health Center, Syracuse	\$2,000,000
UUMAS Med. Bldg. in Township5, Camillus	\$4,000,000	IT office bldg., Griffiss Tech Park, Rome	\$7,000,000
Starbucks & Blaze Pizza, Consumer Sq., New Hartford	\$2,000,000	Harbor Freight Tools, Cortland	\$1,500,000
Humane CNY, Taft Rd., Liverpool	\$2,000,000	Friendly Honda of Fayetteville	\$2,000,000
Please patronize these businesses in support of Local 43 and Union labor -			
New Carbone Auto Group of Utica		Blink Fitness Center on Taft Rd. in Liverpool	
New Golden Corral restaurant in Syracuse, opening soon		Aldi's on Rt. 31, near Great Northern in Clay, NY	
Five Guys burgers in New Hartford		Stone's Steakhouse on Erie Blvd in E. Syracuse	
Firehouse Subs on N. Main St. in N. Syracuse		110 Grill at Destiny Mall, Syracuse	

Do we have your current Mailing Address? Email Address? Phone Numbers?

You can update your contact information anytime via the new Referral portal, go to <u>www.ibew43.org/portals_</u>and make sure all your contact information is correct. Or email any changed information to <u>sdina@ibew43.org</u>

<u>We have added more options to how you can pay your dues:</u>

- 1. You can mail a personal check or money order, then we will mail your yellow Dues Receipt to your home address.
- 2. You can have your bank auto-pay from your account with a bank check, then we'll mail the Receipt to your home.
- 3. You can pay with cash or a check by visiting us in-person at the union office, or now...
- 4. **pay in-person with your credit card**. *There will be an additional electronic convenience fee to use a credit card*. The fee is \$3.12 per quarter. Each \$115.50 quarterly payment will cost \$118.62, if paid with credit.
- 5. Online payments from the convenience of your home PC or phone will be available through our website in the near future. We will let you know when this is up and running!

<u>Obituaries</u>

IBEW 43 notes the passing of these members, with gratitude for their service to the union.

John Woods, Jr. passed away January 1st at age 79.

Brother Woods was initiated into Local 43 in 1963. He was an IBEW member for 55 years.

<u>Reminder to all Journeymen</u> In our current contract - Section 2.19 Tool List - it states "In addition, Journeymen shall be responsible to have verifiable 'OSHA-10' training and CPR certified training." Please call the Training Center (315-546-0221) to see when the next scheduled classes are if you need either of these training sessions.

OSHA-10 and CPR training are needed to work in Local 43's jurisdiction as a Journeyman.

Free, Confidential Counseling Services provided by Mental Health Professionals are available either in-person or over

the phone. We encourage you and your eligible family members to take advantage of this benefit whenever you feel that

life is getting too stressful. Call 1-800-EAP-CALL for assistance. Our Member ID is: <u>93793410</u> Our Group ID is: <u>8413</u>