IBEW Local Union #43

June 2018

<u>Newsletter</u>



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He was an IBEW member for 59 years.

LOCAL 43 ANNUAL CLAMBAKE RESERVATION FORM

Name:

Address:



Saturday, July 14th

315-474-5729

- □ I am retired with the IBEW, Please mail me my free ticket
- □ I am retired with the IBEW, I wish to purchase a \$30.00 ticket for my spouse
- □ I am an active member of IBEW 43, I wish to purchase my \$30.00 ticket
- □ I wish to purchase a \$30.00 ticket for my spouse/girlfriend/boyfriend
- □ I wish to purchase a \$60.00 ticket for a guest/non-member

cut here Pick up tickets at union office or mail above form, <u>with check payable to IBEW Local 43</u>, to: IBEW Local 43, 4568 Waterhouse Road, Clay, NY 13041 Please allow enough days to receive your tickets back by mail. Your tickets will be mailed out to the address you put on this form.

News from the Insurance and Pension Fund Office:

Important updates to your Benefit Plan, Provider Network and HRA Card						
You may already be aware that POMCO and UMR are now one team working together to provide your health plan services.						
This new alignment means that you will see some changes effective July 1 st						
New ID cards You	will soon receive a new ID card to alert your providers on how to submit claims on your behalf, beginning July 1st.					
Provider network	Effective July 1, 2018, you will access the POMCO Select Network along with a new provider network, the UnitedHealthcare Choice					
	Plus Network. Prior to July 1, you can also verify if your health plan providers are already part of the UnitedHealthcare Choice Plus					
	Network by visiting <u>www.umr.com</u>					
Debit cards - Your	current HRA card administered by POMCO will be turned off starting at midnight, June 24th					
- New	HRA cards will be distributed the week of June 18, 2018.					
- Clain	ns submitted to POMCO between June 24th and July 1st will be held for processing by UMR beginning July 1st.					
- If yo	u have services scheduled between June 24th and July 1st, and planned on using your POMCO HRA card, you will need to					
pay	for the service by other means during that time frame or pay the provider with your UMR HRA card starting July 1 st .					
Please note: A	Although you will be receiving new ID cards, accessing a different provider network and having your claims processed on a new					

Please note: Although you will be receiving new ID cards, accessing a different provider network and having your claims processed on a new system, your IBEW Local 43 plan benefits remain the same.

The UMR HRA Welcome Packet will be mailed to you the week of June 11th or you may visit the UMR website at www.umr.com for more information.

News from the JATC Training Center:

315-546-0221

Gregory Beasley	Nicholas Fredette	Charles Hornburg	Joseph Michalski	Ryan Oleyourryk	Ryan Scott		
Brian Boudreau	Stephen Graf	Shaun Isaacs	James Murphy	William Petrocci	Alicia Snow		
Stephen Carney	Christopher Hadfield	Richard Longo	Matthew Murphy	Jason Redmond	Joseph Spost		
Connor Crooks	Joseph Hanover	Ronald Majerus, III	Jeremy Myers	Daniel Rice	Evan Sutterby		
Jeremy Detor	Mark Hoffman	Timothy McManus	Vincent Nucci	Joshua Riegler			

<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 JATC (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.

<u>Free, Confidential Counseling Services</u> 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 or log on at www.mybalanceworks.com

Our Member ID is: <u>93793410</u> Our Group ID is: <u>8413</u>