

JANUARY 2023



2023 DATE TO REMEMBER!

January 25 - Union Meeting

February 22 - Union Meeting

March 22 - Union Meeting

April 26 - Union Meeting

April 30 - Plumbing License Renewal

May 24 - Union Meeting

June 28 - Union Meeting

July 26 - Union Meeting

August 23 - Union Meeting

September 4 - Labor Day Parade

September 22—Local 101 Golf Outing

September 27 - Union Meeting

October 14—Local's 125th Anniversary Party

October 25 - Union Meeting

November 22 - Union Meeting

December 20 - Union Meeting and Christmas Party

UNION MEETINGS START @ 7:30PM

RETIREE LUNCH

January 19, 2023 - Noon

Lasagna
Garden Salad
Applesauce
Rolls
Dessert

PLUMBERS & PIPEFITTERS LOCAL 101

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LOCAL 101 MEETING DATES AND TIMES

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

January 11 5:00pm

PENSION/ HEALTH & WELFARE MEETING

None

JATC TRUSTEE MEETING

None

FINANCE MEETING

None

UNION MEETING

January 25 7:30pm



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BENEFIT NEWS AND UPDATES

BENEFIT'S:

401(k) Changes: If you wish to make changes to or start your 401(k) please submit your forms by March 15th to be effective April 1st. If you need a form for changing your hourly deduction or investment choice contact the Hall or email Kelly at kelly@local101.net. You may also print the forms from the Local 101 website and mail or fax them in.

HEALTH & WELFARE FUND: 2023 Health Insurance Enrollment Forms Please return ASAP.

PENSION:

If you are retiring, follow these steps:

1. Notify the Pension Fund about three months before your retirement date, which is always the 1st of the month. So, if you want to retire 3/1/2023, let us know by December 1, 2022.
2. You will be mailed an application, once you receive, complete, and return the application.
3. Then, you will get mailed your Election Forms from Ekon Benefits, this is where you select what monthly option/amount you want to receive, these forms get returned to the Pension Fund so you can start receiving your direct deposit/check on the first of the month.

You can request an Estimate prior to retiring, just call Kelly in the Benefit Office at Local 101 and she will have Ekon Benefits mail you your ESTIMATED Election forms, which show you all options and amounts available for your retirement.

Normal Age of Retirement changed to age 62 for active/vested participants.

If you are an active participant in our health insurance, do you know you can go to www.meritain.com create a log in/password and see your claims status, insurance card, EOB's, locate a provider. Check it out sometime!

Vision Benefits go through Meritain, NOT EYEMED, your vision provider should NOT call Eyemed, but Meritain for vision benefits/claims processing. Eyemed is only on your insurance card to provide discounts.

REMINDERS:

When you have been laid off, it is your responsibility to inform the Hall. Please call to let us know your lay-off date. This includes members who have been traveling.

When working a job that is out of Local 101's jurisdiction, it is not only a courtesy, but also necessary that you call the Business Manager of that particular jurisdiction. Jurisdictional Maps & Local Contact Information are available at our Hall.

A locked Drop-Box is located adjacent to the Administrative Office Doors. Anyone needing to drop off union dues payments, confidential paperwork, etc. after hours is encouraged to use the box as it is checked every morning.

MEMBERS NEWS AND UPDATES

CONGRATULATIONS:



Congratulations to Mike Veath for 45 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local.



Congratulations to Ricky Richter for 45 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local.



Congratulations to Mike Ehret for 45 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local.



Congratulations to Kevin Hettenhausen for 40 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local.



Congratulations to Jim Lugge for 40 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local.

Congratulations to John Mamino for 45 Years of Service to Local 101. Thank you for your commitment to the Local. (not pictured)



TRAINING NEWS



EXPIRED CERTIFICATIONS

STEVE BUETTNER	BRAZE	12/6/22
LUKE GRUCHALA	BRAZE	5/18/22
JEFF MITCHELL	BRAZE	12/22/22
GABE PRANGE	BRAZE	11/12/22
DEEJA COLE	UA50/51	6/13/22
BLAKE DEERING	UA50/51	6/13/22
EVAN DORFF	UA50/51	5/22/22
NICK GRUCHALA	UA50/51	5/18/22
JACK LUGGE	UA50/51	5/22/22
BRADEN MEYER	UA50/51	6/13/22
MIKE SCHRAND JR	UA50/51	12/13/22
AARON VON BOKEL	UA50/51	10/28/22

CERTIFICATIONS

WELDING SMAW/GTAW

JAMIE ATTERBERRY	12/30/22	WES BUEHNE	1/17/23
PAT COLEMAN	3/8/23	COREY DEITZ	3/12/23
CONNOR JEFFERSON	12/30/22	DEREK MCKENZIE	1/14/23
BRAD QUIRIN	2/4/23	MATT WHITE	3/8/23
ALAN NOLL	2/23/23	MIKE PLUNKETT	1/19/23
DOUG VANHOOSE	1/19/23		

MEDICAL GAS BRAZE

DAVID BODEN	3/15/23	RANDY CLEVELAND	2/5/23
WAYNE DOWNING	2/11/23	SHAWN JONES	3/11/23
ADAM JUENGER	2/3/23	MIKE SCHRAND	1/3/23

INDUSTRIAL RIGGING

JOHN HUMPREY	1/23/23	GABE PRANGE	1/23/23
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BRAZE UA 50 & 51

ADAM FISH	3/4/23
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The 1st night of classes will be on Monday, January 9th @ 5pm. Local 101 will have the following classes: Basic Electric, Medical Gas, Intro to Rigging, HAVC and Plumbing. If any journeymen are interested in attending classes, please contact Rich (618) 234- 5504 ex3

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Office Closed New Years	3	4	5	6	7
8	9 1st Night of School	10	11 Executive Meeting 5pm	12	13	14
15	16 Martin Luther King Day	17	18	19 Retiree Lunch Noon Lasagna	20	21
22	23	24	25 Union Meeting 7:30pm	26	27	28
29	30	31				

December 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
27	28	29	30	1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

February 2023

Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
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