

Union Office.....422-0435 - Business Manager, President, Organizers, Job Referral, Dues

Funds Office.....474-5729 - Benefits, Pension, Annuity, Health Insurance

JATC Training Center...546-0221 - Apprentices Classes, Training



Union Meeting Schedule

Tuesday - April 5, 2016

Tuesday - May 3, 2016

6:00 pm

at the **JATC Training Center**

4566 Waterhouse Rd, Clay, NY 13041



St. Patrick's Day Parade

Saturday, March 12th noon 'til 3 pm
Clinton Square, Downtown Syracuse

All members and families - please join our IBEW Local 43 group as we walk in the Parade and celebrate St. Patrick's Day.



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



UNION SPORTSMEN'S ALLIANCE

3rd ANNUAL CENTRAL & NORTHERN NEW YORK BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION TRADES COUNCIL CONSERVATION DINNER

Date: **Thursday, May 5, 2016** Location: Spinning Wheel Restaurant
Time: Doors open at 5:30 PM 7384 Thompson Road
North Syracuse, NY 13212

RSVP: Call the Union Office at 315.422.0435 to reserve your seat
at this 3rd Annual Dinner.



" This venison steak is pretty good. What do these 'venison' look like anyway? "

**GUNS, KNIVES, GEAR
AND MORE UP FOR GRABS
IN VARIOUS RAFFLES AND AUCTIONS!**

All attending have a chance to win a
Remington 870 Express 12 Gauge Shotgun!

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New Union Dues for 2016

Amendments to Article IX of the IBEW Constitution, approved at the 38th IBEW International Convention, state that all dues payments covering January 2016 to December 2016 will increase three dollars (\$3.00) per quarter. Therefore, dues payments for 2016 will be **\$103.50 per quarter**, due and payable during the first month of each quarter.

You can also pay ahead either:

- 1 Quarter (3 Months) = \$ 103.50**
- ½ Year (6 Months) = \$ 207.00**
- ¾ Year (9 Months) = \$ 310.50**
- Full Year (12 Months) = \$ 414.00**

Please join us in Syracuse at the American Heart Association's

HEART WALK

Saturday, April 2 at 8:00 a.m.

Go to www.heartwalk.org, click on Syracuse, then 'More Information', then look for the "IBEW Local 43" team.

The walk will be at the SRC Arena - Onondaga Community College, 4585 W. Seneca Tpk., Syracuse, 13215



Retirees' Meetings

The next meeting will be - **Wednesday – March 16th, 10:00 am**

We will have a short meeting at the Union Hall Conference Room, then drive ourselves to the National Grid Control Center for a group tour.



Our Retirees' Meetings are a great way to stay in touch!

No RSVP needed - All retirees, wives and retirees' widows are welcome. Please join us!

Some of our Local 43 projects in Central New York:

- Holiday Inn Express – Oswego ----- Bruce Electric
- Nordstrom Rack Destiny USA ----- Bruce Electric
- Rapid Response Building Addition ----- Huen Electric
- SU Falk College of Sports & Human Dynamics --- Allied Electric

News from the Health and Welfare Office:

Educational Services Available For Your Annuity Account

The Trustees of the I.B.E.W. Local 43 and Electrical Contractors' Annuity Fund want to afford you the opportunity to receive educational information regarding your determining for your annuity account (1) asset allocation, (2) receiving interactive investment materials, (3) general financial and investment information, and (4) to personally confer with you regarding these educational issues. To assist you in your receiving this education, the Trustees have retained Pinnacle Investments, LLC solely regarding your Annuity Fund account. These educational services solely regarding your annuity account are paid for by the Annuity Fund in that they deal with your Annuity Fund account.

Any other services that Pinnacle Investments, LLC may provide to you including your purchasing financial/insurance/investment products cannot be paid for by the Annuity Fund and would be your responsibility.

Naturally, the educational information you will receive regarding your options and decision making regarding your Annuity Fund account will assist you and your family in your retirement.

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News from the JATC Training Center:

Upcoming Classes: Enrollee must purchase books for any class. Call the Training Center (546-0221) for more details.

Fire Alarm Start Date: 04/05/16 5:00pm Cost \$140.00

Blueprint Reading Start Date: 04/04/16 5:00pm Cost \$112.00

Classes to be held once filled:

HVAC Controls	Cost: \$ 20.00
Welding	Cost: Student must purchase welding helmet
OSHA 10/30	FREE
CPR/AED - First Aid	FREE

Please call the Training Center (315-546-0221) if interested in attending any of these classes.

2016 Cans4Kids Pitch Tournament ALL are welcome – Please join us!

Sunday, March 20th, 1:00 p.m. - Done p.m. at American Legion, 5575 Legionnaire Drive, Cicero, NY 13039

Fundraising event to benefit Cans4Kids charitable efforts

Sign-up your \$40-2 member team with Mike Schlueter 315-663-6887 or Mike McQuatters 315-427-1814 or at the door day of event. [Please bring large bags of returnable bottles & cans]

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** or log on at **www.mybalanceworks.com**

Our Member ID is: **93793410** Our Group ID is: **8413**