



JULY



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SEPTEMBER

2014

SAINT PAUL PLUMBERS 34

PICNIC

SATURDAY, AUGUST 23, 2014

BATTLE CREEK PAVILION

12:00PM – 4:00PM

LOCATION: MCKNIGHT ROAD & UPPER AFTON RD.

Parking available at pavilion lot and at overflow lot across the street.

FUN FOR ALL AGES! PLEASE COME! HOPE TO SEE EVERYONE THERE!

Matt Giles is looking for volunteers to help with the picnic. Call 651-224-3828.



NEW RETIREE

Robert Geehan

Special congratulations to the Local 34 members who have achieved 50 year status!

Michael Bellows

Claude Bloomer

Joe Stickler

Edmund Tschida

Robert Wicklund

LAY –OFF CARDS, LICENSE AND CERTIFICATION UPDATES

When you are laid-off you must appear in the office to sign laid-off card and request for reduced dues. Please update your licenses and certifications. We are tracking state, city, masters, Wisconsin, RPZ, Med Gas, OSHA 10, OSHA 30, Pro 10, North Dakota, MSHA, welding certificate, foreman and crane signal.



There is no substitute for a skilled Local 34 craftsman!





CHRISTMAS RETIREE LUNCHEON



Our Annual Retiree Christmas Luncheon will be hosted by Local 34 @ Mancini's on Thursday, December 4, 2014.

A special thank you goes to **Howard Hanson, Gene Husnick and Robert Schwartzbauer** for hosting and planning of the Annual Spring Retiree Luncheon that was highly attended at Mancini's this past May 8th. For further information on membership of Retiree Club contact **Gene Husnick @ 651-738-6196**.



APPRENTICES MARK YOUR CALENDAR



School begins on August 25, 2014. Be sure you are registered and have tuition paid by August 1st. We could use volunteers at the Picnic on August 23rd. This is a great way to reconnect with your classmates before school resumes.

If you currently carry a RPZ certification with the state of Minnesota, you will be required to update the certification to the ASSE standard. This will require a 24 hour class and test to obtain the certification. Classes will be offered by the JATC this fall. Watch the website for dates and times.

Remember to complete your continuing education requirements before you renew your plumbing license.

Please find continuing education class registration sheet enclosed. Any questions please contact 651-846-1389 or visit our website www.plumberslocal34.org for additional information.

CONTRACT ALLOCATIONS FOR MAY 1, 2014 - APRIL 30, 2015

Please find new wage card enclosed with the following wage changes.

- \$1.10 May 1, 2014 – April 30, 2015 Basic Hourly Wage
- \$1.00 from Retiree Health Trust to Supplemental
- \$.05 to Apprentice Training Fund
- \$.02 to Industry Fund



LABOR DAY



The employee shall be paid at the regular rate of pay. If the employee is laid-off within ten **(10) working days** prior to the day observed as a holiday, the employer will pay said holiday pay to the former employee if still unemployed. This is part of the current working agreement.

Hope to see all of you at the picnic Saturday, August 23, 2014!

Thomas McCarthy
Business Manager

Jeffrey Huberty
Business Representative

Dean Gale
Field Representative