

UAW Local 1250 INFORMATION BULLETIN MARK PAYNE, PRESIDENT

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ED FAIR UPDATE - PARKING

As you are aware, on September 7th 2017 we will hold an Education/Health Care Fair for all of our members. Reminiscent of years ago, it will be held in a tent in front of the gate where you first enter into the plant. Because of the placement of the tent to make it more convenient for our members, we must have the area where the motorcycles park cleared on Sunday September 3, 2017, On Tuesday morning (September 5th 2017), the tent will be set up as we prepare for the event. Parking in that area will resume Friday afternoon on September 8th 2017.

The event will begin at 6 AM and continue through 6 PM, this is a reminder that on this day, food will be provided for you. The Educational Fair Promotional gift will be given out to all the active members, this will include all TPT and STS employees, please have your Ford ID available for us to checkoff your receiving the gift. You cannot pick up the gift for someone else.

We only had access to the local education institutions and various Health Care Providers for the one day, therefore, <u>if you are unavailable to receive your gift on September 7th</u>, <u>it will be made available for you to pick up at the Union Hall on September 12th and 13th 2017 between 6 AM - 6 PM</u>.

The annual Ed Fair had not been held at our Site in more than a decade and this is another example of activities we have restarted since taking office.

Collection to Help Those Affected by Hurricane Harvey

Hurricane Harvey made landfall over the weekend. The category 4 hurricane crashed into the Texas coast, devastating families and businesses. Harvey is now a Tropical Storm and is lingering off the coast, dumping water onto coastal Texas, including the Houston area. As the rain continues, many people are in danger due to flooding while others have lost homes and property. During the upcoming Education Fair on Thursday, September 7, 2017 we will be collecting monetary donations for those affected by Hurricane Harvey. We thank you for your generosity. All monies collected will be given to: **Hurricane Harvey Relief Fund.** Houston Mayor Sylvester Turner has established the **Hurricane Harvey Relief Fund** that will accept tax deductible donations. The fund is administered by the Greater Houston Community Foundation, a 501(c)(3) public charity.

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3% Wage Increase

Effective September 17th 2017, traditional employees will receive a 3% wage increase. In Progression employees receive their wage increases on each of their seniority anniversary dates. Temporary employees pay rate progressions are spelled out in the 2015 National Agreement.

Support for UAW Local 2192

During this week, committee and staff members will be asking for you to sign a petition of support for our fellow UAW brothers and sisters from Local 2192 who are over Jobs and Family services, the Commissioners who have been in negotiations with them the past 11 months are proposing significant increases to their health care. This added cost is being added through a surcharge or a "carve out" charge to employees that have their spouse on their coverage. The Lorain county Commissioners have refused to supply the UAW negotiators with information on what the health care costs will be, no one can be expected to sign a blank check for the cost of their healthcare. No matter what county you live in, you can sign the petition supporting the UAW workers in their efforts to negotiate a fair agreement.

In Solidarity,
Mark Payne, President
UAW Local 1250

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