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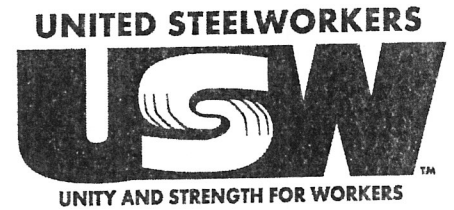
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### Meetings & Events January 2018

1/4	1:30 pm	S.O.A.R. Meeting
1/11	3:30 pm	Committeeperson Mtg. E-Board Mtg.
1/15	6 pm	Q-C Fed Delegates Mtg @Local 25
1/16	6:20am	Regular Business Mtg
	7:20am	" " "
	3:20pm	" " "
	6:20pm	" " "
	11:20pm	" " "
1/17	12 noon	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)
	3 pm	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)
1/18	12 noon	Local 105 Retirees Potluck

**All meetings @ USW Local 105 Union Hall**  
**Unless designated otherwise**

### **Perfect Attendance Awards**

Our records indicate the following members attended or were otherwise excused all of the regular union business meetings for the calendar year 2016 and are therefore eligible to receive a one time credit of up to \$50 for union clothing/merchandise on hand at the union hall.

Barenthin, Gerald	Bartholomew, Robert
Bauer, Craig	Breitenstein, Daniel
Chavez, Jose	Conway, Sandra
Duffield, Daniel	Fuller, Cynthia
Gerth, William	Greve, Bradley
Greve, Brandon	Hartford, Arnber
Hutt, Roy	Jones, Gail
Jones, Gilbert	Larson, Zachary
Lomas, Kelli	Meier, Robert
Nash Jr., Samuel	Nelson, Brian
Nicholas, Michael	Ploessl, David
Raduechel, Arlo	Reid, Robert
Rojas, Laura	Sambdman, Eldon
Shaffer, Lee	Speer, Scott
Steines, Clayton	Stewart, Steven
Stock, Patrick	Tremaine, James
Wendell, Jeffrey	Zabel, Bryan

Congratulations to these dedicated members. If your name isn't listed and you believe your

business meeting attendance qualified, please call the hall and we will let you know what meetings you missed.



### **Deadline Approaches for Local 105 Nathaniel S. Payne Memorial Scholarship**

We are pleased to announce that **Ascentra Credit Union** has agreed to give us \$2500 for our Local 105 Scholarship Program.

For this year instead of the normal Five - \$500 Local Union scholarships, we will have Ten - \$500 scholarships that will be awarded to children of members of USW LOCAL 105 (active or retired). These educational scholarships, valued at \$500 each will be awarded to any child (natural, adopted, step, foster or grandchild) of a USW member who has been in good standing for a period of 2 years prior to the date of the drawing (except for new hires with less than two years seniority). At the time of application each applicant must be enrolled full-time in this fall's semester or quarter of college and plan to attend full time in the succeeding semester or quarter. Please see application for complete requirements.

Scholarship applications are available at the Union Hall. **Completed applications must be received at the hall by Friday Jan. 5, 2018.**

### **Local 105 Scholarship Applications Received:**

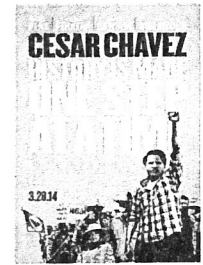
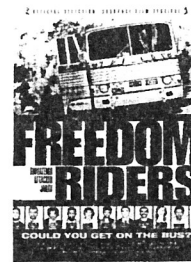
	<b>Student's Name</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Date Rec.</b>
28	Sydney Ion	Larry Ion	12/14/2017
29	Myah Ramirez	Troy Ramirez	12/15/2017
30	Jacob Varble	Randy Varble	12/15/2017
31	Ryan Podlashes	Tony Podlashes	12/15/2017
32	David Torres	Alfredo Torres	12/18/2017
33	Jacob Hayes	Bradley Hayes	12/19/2017

### **105 Contest Continues**

This week's number for direct deposit users to add to the cents of their deposit amount is 78. If the sum totals 105 you win a free T-shirt.

Civil and Human Rights Committee

Movie Nights



On February 28, 2018 we will be showing Freedom Riders a historical documentary. The film is based in part on the book Freedom Riders: 1961 and the Struggle for Racial Justice by historian Raymond Arsenault.

On March 29, 2018 we will be showing Cesar Chavez. Famed labor organizer and civil-rights activist Cesar Chavez is torn between his duty to his family and his commitment to securing a living wage for farm workers.

Both movie nights will be at the hall 880 Devils Glen Rd. in Bettendorf IA., and will start promptly at 6:30 P.M.

Water and popcorn will be provided for free by the committee.

**A. F. Kojetinsky Scholarship Programs**

We have received information on their two annual scholarship competitions. The Memorial Scholarship with a value of up to \$5,200 was developed to help students planning to pursue a four year college degree and the Vocational (Career) Education Scholarship with a value of up to \$2,600 was developed for students who choose to pursue career or technical training as opposed to a four year college experience. Applicants can apply for these scholarships while they are still in High School. Stop by the hall for complete instructions and an Application for Certification form.

A.F. Kojetinsky Scholarship Program	Recommended Deadline for Application for Certification	Postmark Deadline for Application for Scholarship
Memorial	February 28, 2018	March 30, 2018
Vocational (Career)	April 30, 2018	May 31, 2018

**Ascentra Credit Union Offers Scholarships**

Ascentra Credit Union offers ten \$1,000 scholarships to assist members planning to further their education beyond high school.

The scholarships are as follows:

1. Five scholarships for high school students planning to enter college
2. Five scholarships for members age 19 or over, considered non-traditional-aged or continuing education students

All entries must be postmarked no later than the designated deadline, usually the first day of March.

For more information or an entry form, go to:

<https://www.ascentra.org/resources/ascentra-scholarship-rules--regulations--and-entry-procedures>

**Buy Union, There's an App for That**

The Union Label and Service Trades Department, AFL-CIO has introduced an app to help conscientious consumers buy union-made products and services.



Union Label is available for both Apple and Android devices and is a handy app for searching products, keeping tabs on boycotts, and finding union news and information. You can also view past editions of our Label Letter newsletter, and contact us from within the app.

The Union Label app database of products is an ever-evolving directory, and we invite all union members to download the app and add your union-made product using the included form. All submissions will be vetted with the identified union before any submissions will be activated.

We will be updating the app continually and encourage all users to let us know what you'd like to see in the next update. You can download the app by visiting your device's app store and searching "Union Label" or use the QR Code links

**Save the Date**  
January 2018 Legislative Forums



This is your chance to interact with your legislators. Use your power and attend a forum!

**Scott County**

Saturday, January 20<sup>th</sup>—10am

St. Ambrose Rogalski Center, W. High Street

**Clinton County**

Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>—9am

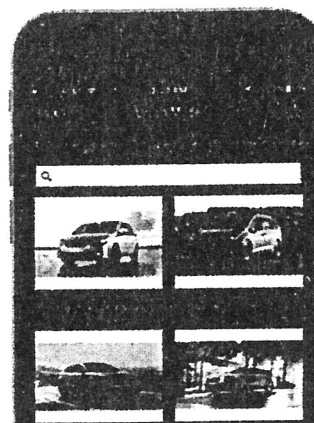
Clinton Chamber Office, 721 S. 2nd Street

Saturday, January 27<sup>th</sup>—11am

DeWitt Community Center, 512 10<sup>th</sup> Street

Additional monthly forums are scheduled, sometimes there is a group sponsor, other times legislators hold their own. To stay up to date, find us on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/quadcitfed/>

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