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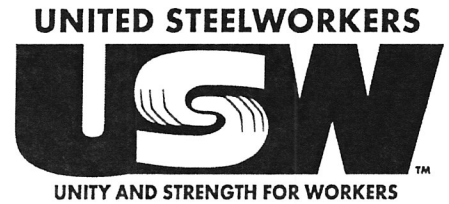
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# United Steelworkers Local 105 Forerunner

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President	Brad Greve
Vice. Pres.	Robert Bartholomew ("Bart")
Guide	Roy Hutt
Rec Sec	Pat Stock
Griev Chair	Josh Meyrer
Fin Sec	Mike Nicholas



### Meetings & Events January 2017

2/2	1:30pm	S.O.A.R. Meeting
2/16	3:30pm	Committeeperson Mtg. E-Board Mtg.
2/16	12 noon	Local 105 Retirees Potluck
2/20	6 pm	Q-C Fed Delegates Mtg @Local 25
2/21	6:20am	Regular Business Mtg
	7:20am	" " "
	3:20pm	" " "
	6:20pm	" " "
	11:20pm	" " "
2/22	12 noon	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)
	3 pm	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)

All meetings @ USW Local 105 Union Hall  
Unless designated otherwise



### Election Results:

The election was held Tuesday, January 17 for delegates to the 2017 USW International Convention. The winners are as follows:

**Robert "Bart" Bartholomew**  
**Patrick Stock**  
**Roy Hutt**  
**Genaro "G" Gomez**

The USW International Convention will take place April 10-13 at the MGM Grand in Las Vegas, NV.

Thank you to all who cared enough to run for the position and to the election tellers for their long hours in making the vote possible.

### **105 Contest Continues**

This week's number for direct deposit users to add to the cents of their deposit amount is 81. If the sum totals 105 you win a free T-shirt



### **Local 105 Nathaniel S. Payne Scholarship Winners**

Due to the generous \$2500 contribution from **Ascentra Credit Union** for our scholarship fund we have ten \$500 winners. As a result of a drawing that was held at January's regular business meeting held on January 17 the winners, subject to confirmation of eligibility, of this year's Local 105 Scholarship are as follows:

<b>Student's Name</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>
Alex Tyson	Nenda Tyson
Stephanie Sterbenz	Merry Tack
Emily Eickert	Donald Eickert
Madeline Shoemaker	Matthew Shoemaker
Andrew Larion	Heth Larion
Mackenna Munson	William Matthew
Nicholas Kennicker	Dale Kennicker
Blake Irons	David Irons
Mary Hart	Mark Flaherty
Elizabeth Warner	Edward Warner

Congratulations to the winners! If any of the above applicants should be determined ineligible, names of alternate winners were also drawn.

The winners will be contacted by letter. The check will be sent to and made payable to the college for the student.



### **USW Local 105 Solidarity Night at the Mallards**

USW Local 105 is having 2 solidarity nights at the Quad City Mallards in February. Friday February 17, and Friday February 24 are both 7:00PM puck drops. \$2 beer and \$2 hotdogs will be available. Tickets are \$10 each and are now available at the hall.



### Post-Election Hangover

The hangover I'm talking about is the division this election cycle has caused to the country, our union, and even our local. No matter who won these Presidential, state, and local elections there was still going to be work to do. It is our responsibility to hold our elected officials accountable for their actions. Example, many of us voted for Obama but still made it known that we did not support the TPP trade deal he was pushing. So if you see something you don't agree with from the International or even from the local have a conversation about it. The only way to make change is to step up and get involved. We need to start coming together now. We as a Union have work to do in many areas and a contract to bargain over in just a little over two years.

We have also seen the racism, sexism, and bullying that this election cycle has brought out. These types of actions will not be tolerated by this Union.

This article has the support of the USW Local 105 Executive Board and The Civil and Human Rights Committee.

### Help collect absentee ballots next week!

Monica Kurth has been endorsed for the Special Election January 31<sup>st</sup> to replace Jim Lykam in the Iowa House District 89. We need your help to collect absentee ballots from early voters. We expect them to be mailed out in the coming days, and will be chasing them all next week. Even if you only have an hour to give after work we can use your help!

Call Tracy if you can help: 309 738-3196

**When:** Monday, Jan. 23 thru Election Day January 31<sup>st</sup>

**Where:** UFCW Hall  
2411 Central Park Ave.  
Davenport, IA

**Time:** Noon to 7pm

### 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>

### 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, 2017	March 31, 2017
Vocational (Career)	April 28, 2017	May 31, 2017

### NeXt Generation Committee Toys for Tots Drive

The local NeXt Generation Committee would like to thank everyone that donated to their Toys for Tots Holiday 2016 campaign. We were able to raise over \$1600 because of our member's generosity. We would like to give a special thanks to the Plate Mill USI coffee fund for donating \$400 and to our local SOAR chapter for donating \$100. We look forward to another successful campaign later this year.

Mike Nicholas



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City \_\_\_\_\_

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*(if known)*

USW District Number 11  
*(if known)*

Chapter Number 11-4  
*(if known)*

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### SOAR Dues

Retirees — \$12.00 per year

Spouse/Surviving Spouse — \$3.00 per year

Name of Spouse \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Enclosed \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this application with payment to:

SOAR  
United Steelworkers  
Five Gateway Center  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222