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Meetings & Events November 2017

11/2	1:30pm	S.O.A.R. Mtg
11/8	3:30pm	Committeeperson Mtg E-Board Mtg
11/16	12 noon	Local 105 Retirees Potluck
11/20	6 pm	Q-C Fed Delegates Mtg @Local 25
11/21	6:20am	Regular Business Mtg
	7:20am	" " "
	3:20pm	" " "
	6:20pm	" " "
	11:20pm	" " "
11/22	12 noon	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)
	3 pm	Local 105-2 (Sivyer Steel)

All meetings @ USW Local 105 Union Hall
 Unless designated otherwise

Hoodies for Sale!

Now is the time to update your union wardrobe with a new hoodie. We just received a shipment of black hoodies with a "Flaming Skull" design printed on the back.

They are available in L or XL for \$34, 2XL for \$37, 3XL for \$38.50, and 4XL for \$40. Hurry in for best selection.



Honor the Sacrifice Shirts

Just in time for Veteran's Day we received a shipment of long sleeve and short sleeve shirts giving you a chance to Honor their sacrifice by wearing the shirt.

Size	Price (Long Sleeve)
M, L, XL	\$16.50
2XL	\$18.50
3XL	\$20.00
4XL	\$21.50

Short sleeve shirts are:

SIZE	PRICE (Short Sleeve)
Med, Large, XL	\$10.25
XXL	\$12.00
XXXL	\$13.00
XXXXL	\$15.50
XXXXXL	\$18.00

Solidarity March Pub Crawl

We will be having a solidarity march on November 4th in the Village of East Davenport. The march will start at 3pm. Prizes will be raffled off at each bar. Must be present to win. Pizza and wings will be available at the last stop, The Mound.

Bootleggers – 3:00 – 4:00 pm
Bleyart's Tap – 4:00 – 5:00 pm
McClellan Stockade – 5:00 – 6:00 pm
The Mound – 6:00 – 7:00 pm – Grand Prize Drawing and 50/50 drawing



Vote for these Labor
Union Endorsed
Candidates - November 7

Diana Broderson	Mayor	Muscatine
Kelcey Brackett	City Council At-large	Muscatine
Osmond Malcolm	City Council Ward 2	Muscatine
Rick Dunn	City Council Ward 1	Davenport
Maria Dickmann	City Council Ward 2	Davenport
Mike Matson	City Council Ward 7	Davenport
Toby Paone	City Council At-large	Davenport
Kate Larsen	City Council Ward 2	Dubuque
Ed O'Neill	City Council Ward 3	Clinton



Children's Christmas Party Regal 14 Moline

This year's Local 105, 105-01 (Bowe Machine), 105-02 (Sivyer Steel) and IBEW 1379 Children's Christmas Party will be held Saturday, December 9 at the Regal 14 in Moline, Illinois. The doors open at 8:30am and the movie will start at 9:00am This year's movie will be Disney's production of "Coco".

Local 105 active and retired members, their spouses and their children or grandchildren are invited to attend; however, we are limiting reservations to 6 per union member. Please reserve no more seats than you need.

We will compile a list of those who will be attending. There is no need to pick up tickets at the union hall but you must call the hall at 355-1181 and leave your name, clock number and the number of adults and children who will be attending.

For Local 1379, active members and their children/grandchildren with a limit of 6 are invited but you must call the hall and leave your name, clock number and the names of adults and children who will be attending.

Please RSVP by calling the hall at 355-1181 with your name, clock number, how many adults and how many of your children will be attending.



S.O.A.R Chili Supper

Friday, December 8, 12 noon to 6pm

Please join the Steelworkers Organization of Active Retirees for an afternoon of chili and conversation with your old co-workers. All retirees are welcome. Bring your spouse/date for a free afternoon dinner date!

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:

	Student's Name	Sponsor	Date Rec.
1	Maya Chavez	Jose Chavez	10/23/2017
2	Samantha Carr	Timothy Carr	10/30/2017
3	Cameron Maere	Bret Maere	10/30/2017

Thanks Received:

"Thank you to Local 105 for the hat, coat, and watch and 39 years of representation." – Barry Thomas (Labs Retiree)

With Deepest Sympathy:

The Family of:

Evelyn Petersen (Dennis Petersen's Mother)
Robert Nelson (Mark Nelson's Father)

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.

Tesla Is Three Years Away From Making Cars in China, Musk Says

November 1, 2017

<https://www.bloomberg.com/news/>

Don't count on Tesla Inc. to make electric vehicles in China before the end of this decade.

The company is about three years away from starting production in the world's largest auto market, Chief Executive Officer Elon Musk told analysts during an earnings call Wednesday. The plant will make a couple hundred thousand vehicles a year for buyers in China and potentially other parts of Asia, he said.

"Don't set your watch by this," Musk told an analyst, calling his estimate of a three-year wait before the start of production a "rough target." Tesla probably will make the smaller and cheaper Model 3 sedan and upcoming Model Y crossover in China and won't build the pricier Model S or Model X there, he said.

In June, Tesla said it was working with the Shanghai government to explore local manufacturing. A plant in China would reduce shipping costs and make vehicles like its new Model 3 sedan more affordable. Autos imported into the country are subject to a 25 percent tariff that's made Model S sedans and Model X crossovers more costly than in U.S. showrooms.

Tesla's lone car assembly plant is in Fremont, California. The company won't start making significant capital expenditures in China until 2019, Musk said.