

IBEW Local 43 On the Move

March 2019
Newsletter



Union Office

315-422-0435

- Business Manager, President,
Dues, Organizers, Job Referral

Funds Office

315-474-5729

- Benefits, Pension, Annuity,
Health Insurance

Training Center

315-546-0221

- Apprentice Classes,
Training

Union Meeting Schedule

6:00 pm - 4566 Waterhouse Rd., Clay NY 13041

Tuesday - April 2, 2019

- Vote on allocation of Wage Increase effective 6/1/19

Tuesday - May 7, 2019

- Nomination Night for New Officers & Board Members

See the digital newsletter at www.ibew43.org/currentnewsletter.html

2019 Dues Payments are \$115.50 per quarter

From the desk of Business Manager Al Marzullo

Brothers and Sisters,

I wanted to take the time to update you on a few initiatives we have been working on for you.

I am excited to announce you can now bid on job assignments online (via our website: www.ibew43.org) as of March 5th, 2019. If you were not able to attend last month's union meeting showing the process of online job assignment bidding, give the referral office a call and Gene (referral agent) can go over the process. In addition, the new referral operating procedure is at the referral office for your review, as well as, online.

Furthermore, in the coming weeks you will also be able to pay for your dues online via our website using PayPal.

It is my hope that these new advancements will make it easier for you as a member.

If you have any questions don't hesitate to call the union office.

Fraternally,

Alan Marzullo

Join us at the American Heart Association's

HEART WALK in Syracuse!

Saturday, March 23



8:00 a.m. Check-In, 5k Walk at 10:00 a.m.

www.SyracuseHeartWalk.org

Click on [IBEW Local 43 Electricians](#) in the Top Team list. Click the 'Join This Team' red block to sign up.

The walk will be at the SRC Arena & Events Center at Onondaga Community College
4585 W. Seneca Tpke, Syracuse, 13215



Two (2) St. Patrick's Day Parades

Saturday, March 16th - 10 a.m. - Oneida Square,
Downtown Utica

Saturday, March 16th - at Noon - Downtown Syracuse
- Arrive at 12:30 pm, Erie Blvd West & West Street on-ramp

All members & families - please join one of our IBEW Local 43 groups as we walk in these Parades to celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

Contact the Union office to sign up.



See back for more ⇨

News from the Insurance and Pension Fund Office:

315-474-5729

Join us in April! Representatives from the IBEW Local 43 and Electrical Contractors Annuity Fund (the 'Fund'), in conjunction with MassMutual, will be available for three days in your location. A MassMutual Retirement Education Specialist will be on-site providing one-on-one assistance in helping you learn how you can take advantage of your Plan's features and the quality tools and services available from MassMutual.

In addition to the one-on-one sessions, there will be three group meetings dedicated for members to have on-line access to their retirement account.

Please see the schedule below and visit www.ibew43.org to sign up for a one-on-one session time that works for you. For your convenience, information and the scheduling tool is located on the IBEW 43 website homepage.

Group meetings will last approximately 1 hour and One-on-One Sessions will last approximately 20 minutes:

	Monday, 4/22	Tuesday, 4/23	Wednesday, 4/24
Group Meetings	9:15 a.m. -10:00 a.m.	9:15 a.m. -10:00 a.m.	9:15 a.m. -10:00 a.m.
On-on-One Sessions	10:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m. (Monday - Wednesday)		

One-on-One Sessions will be held at: the Local 43 Fund Office, 4568 Waterhouse Road, Clay, NY 13041

Group Meetings will be held at: the CNY Electrical Training Alliance, 4566 Waterhouse Road, Clay, NY 13041

News from the Electrical Training Alliance Center:

315-546-0221

Local #43 Bowling Tournament **Friday, April 12th 5:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.**
at Flamingo Bowl 7239 Oswego Road Liverpool, NY 13090

Fundraising event to benefit Cans4Kids charitable efforts. Sign-up your 5 member team at the Training Center today! (315)-546-0221. \$200 per team / \$40 per person includes: Bowling, shoes, food, 1 beverage. All members and their immediate family are welcome -Please come join us! *[Please bring large bags of returnable bottles & cans]*

Listed below are some jobs our members have recently worked on:

Due to our organizing efforts, some of Local 43's Successes in the construction field -

Alan Byer Volvo, Syracuse	\$3,600,000	PINZ Bowling Alley, Sangertown Sq., New Hartford	\$2,500,000
Fairmount Apartments & retail space	\$9,000,000	UUMAS Med. Bldg. in Township5, Camillus	\$4,000,000
Oswego DMV Building	\$8,000,000	Starbucks & Blaze Pizza, Consumer Sq., New Hartford	\$2,000,000
Helio Health Center, Syracuse	\$2,000,000	Humane CNY, Taft Rd., Liverpool	\$2,000,000

Please patronize these businesses in support of Local 43 and Union labor -

Tops Grocery Stores	Carbone Auto Group of Utica
Wegmans Grocery Stores	Golden Corral restaurant, in Syracuse, <i>open 3/11/19</i>
Harbor Freight Tools, in Cortland	Five Guys burgers, in New Hartford
Aldi's on Rt. 31, in Cicero	Firehouse Subs on N. Main St., in N. Syracuse

Retirees' Club

Our next meeting will be held at 10 am on Wednesday, March 20th at the Union hall. At our last retirees meeting we talked about planning a tour of the National Grid Control Center on Henry Clay Blvd in the near future. If you are interested, Please contact Dave Wierowski @ 315-420-6272 or david.wierowski@live.com.



This is a great way to stay in touch and have some fun. All retirees, wives and retirees' widows are welcome. Please join us!

UNION SPORTSMEN'S ALLIANCE

6TH ANNUAL CENTRAL & NORTHERN NEW YORK BUILDING & CONSTRUCTION TRADES COUNCIL CONSERVATION DINNER

RSVP: Call the Union Office to reserve your seat at this 6th Annual Dinner.

Date: **Wednesday, May 1, 2019**

Time: Doors open at 5:30 PM

Location: Spinning Wheel Restaurant
7384 Thompson Rd., North Syracuse, 13212



"This venison steak is pretty good.
What do these 'venison' look like anyway?"

GUNS, KNIVES, GEAR AND MORE UP FOR GRABS IN VARIOUS RAFFLES AND AUCTIONS!

All attending will have a chance to win a Savage Axis II Rifle or a 40-qt. ORCA Cooler!

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Syracuse *Mets* Baseball Tickets

Through donations made by members who contribute to the Brotherhood Fund, we have once again purchased tickets to the Mets home games in Syracuse. The home opener game will be Thursday, April 4th, 2:05 p.m. vs Pawtucket.



Call or stop by the union office to pick up your vouchers for tickets to any home game. Maximum 4 vouchers per member.



Do we have your current Mailing Address? Email Address? Phone Numbers?

You can update your contact information anytime via the new Referral portal, go to www.ibew43.org/portals and [make sure all your contact information is correct.](#) Or email any changed information to sdina@ibew43.org

Reminder to all Journeymen In our current contract - Section 2.19 Tool List - it states "In addition, **Journeymen shall be responsible to have verifiable 'OSHA-10' training and CPR certified training.**" Please call the Training Center (315-546-0221) to see when the next scheduled classes are if you need either of these training sessions.

OSHA-10 and CPR training are needed to work in Local 43's jurisdiction as a Journeyman.

Free, Confidential Counseling Services provided by Mental Health Professionals are available either in-person or over the phone. We encourage you and your eligible family members to take advantage of this benefit whenever you feel that life is getting too stressful. **Call 1-800-EAP-CALL** for assistance. Our Member ID is: 93793410 Our Group ID is: 8413