



Retired Members of Local Union 134 I.B.E.W

Retiree's Newsletter

October 2023

The Club meets on the second Thursday of each month at 12 p.m. at the IBEW-NECA Technical Institute located at 6201 W. 115th St. Alsip, IL

(enter the multi-purpose room on the west side of the school)

In March, June, September, and December, on the second Wednesday of the month, the Club meets at the Union Hall of 134 located at 2722 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr., Chicago, IL

The purpose of this organization shall be to carry out the spirit of our brotherhood. To aid and assist each other as necessary, to promote the social, economic, health and welfare of its members and their families.

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From the Podium

Hello everyone,

As winter approaches I'd like to thank Jim Duffy, Kevin Gibbons, Sue Kleczka, Carole Pollitz and Mary Ellen Duffy for the liquor basket and for a great golf outing. Over 50 people showed up. Special thanks to Rick Murphy from Costello, McMahon, Gilbreth & Murphy for their donation. Also, Horowitz & Horowitz for their donation, and of course our Union for the endless support they give us!

Last month's meeting was the luncheon at the Hall we had 2 speakers Jean Ryan from E.I.T. and Cynthia Schoonover, who flew in from Utah, to speak.

Don't forget we need your ticket money for the Cinderella play at Drury Lane Theater by the 21st of November.

This month is also the Benefit Fair at the School.

Thanks in Brotherhood,

K Berls d719472

Coming events:

October 5, 2023... Union Meeting 6:00 p.m.

October 12, 2023... General Meeting 12:00 Meet & Greet / 1:00 Meeting / Alsip, IL

(enter west multi-purpose meeting room)

October 14, 2023... Benefits Fair 8:00 a.m.- 12:00 p.m./ Alsip, IL

October 23, 2023... Executive Board Meeting /10:30 / Alsip IL

October 19, 2023... "Ring of Fire" (music of Johnny Cash)

October 28, 2023... Labor History Tour

Save the Date:

***November 12, 2023... Renew Pancake Breakfast
Memorial Hall Local #134 IBEW***

***December 13, 2023... Annual Holiday Party
Memorial Hall Local #134 IBEW***

December 21, 2023... Cinderella

Reminders:

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NEWSLETTER

If you are currently not receiving the newsletter by email contact me with your correct email address.

If you submit a recipe and don't want your name on it, make a notation and you will not be mentioned.

Bob Pitlock editor

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2024 Dues

2024 Dues will be due January 1, 2024.

Early payment is greatly appreciated.

Make check payable to:

Retired Members of Local #134 IBEW

Send to:

Bernard Martin

8706 Olcott Ave.

Niles, IL 60714

“Cinderella”

Once upon a time in a faraway land, a young woman wished for a life as beautiful as a fairytale. Experience the classic Rodgers & Hammerstein adaptation of Cinderella this holiday season. This magical musical is sure to entrance families of all ages.

Date: December 21, 2023
Last date to register....November 21,2023

Cost: \$82 dollars per person

Time: Lunch served at 11:30 AM
Please Arrive by 11:15 AM
Play follows at 1:30 PM

Place: Drury Lane Playhouse
100 Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181
630-530-8300

Information: James Martin Telephone: 708-848-1833
633 N Harvey Ave. Cell Phone: 312-213-6380
Oak Park, Illinois 60302

CINDERELLA MENU

First course: Mixed Green Salad

Entrees: _____ Vegetable Kabob: Zucchini, Yellow Squash, Tomato, Mushroom, Peppers, Wild Rice, Balsamic Glaze

_____ Filet of Salmon: Tomato Confit, Roasted Wedge potatoes, Green Beans

_____ Roasted Turkey: Potato Puree, Gravy, Stuffing, Green Beans

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Can you receive a text. Yes: ___ No: ___

Guest's names _____

I'll have your tickets. Find me in the lobby on the left side, (look for my light pole, says 134). Please arrive by 11:15_{am}. Any special requests "can't do stairs" table members, seat locations like (wheel chair, back row.) write on form please.

Make checks payable to Retired Members of Local Union #134.

Send to: Jim Martin 633n Harvey, Oak Park Il.60302

The Retired Members of Local 134 invite you to

A guided tour of Chicago Labor History

This tour will be led by a tur guide from the Illinois Labor History Society. We will learn about Chicago's labor history as we travel around the city and suburbs. The tour will include stops at significant locations such as Forest Home Cemetery, Haymarket Square Statue, Union Park, and the Pullman historic district and more. Note: Itinerary is subject to change.

The cost \$40 per person and includes the motor coach, bottled water, and a box lunch.

We will meet at the IBEW LU 134 hall at 8:30am and should arrive back at the Hall about 4:30pm.

For more info call or text Hale 630-853-9056 or email retirees@local134.org

When: Saturday October 28th 2023 8:30am

Where: We will meet at IBEW Local 134 Union Hall parking lot

What: We will board a mini bus that will take us on this tour

After your check is received with this form you will receive a confirmation email.

Make checks payable to: Retired Members of Local Union 134 IBEW and mail with this form to Hale Landes 2803 Breckenridge Lane Naperville IL 60565-5304.

This trip is limited to 25 people. Due by October 9th 2023

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Number of attendees _____ x \$40 = Total _____

Choose 1 lunch per person.

Black Forest Ham and Gouda Melt: Number of sandwiches _____

Bacon Turkey Bravo Sandwich: Number of sandwiches _____

Toasted Frontega Chicken: Number of sandwiches _____

For description of sandwiches go to <https://catering.panerabread.com/menu/category/sandwiches>

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ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY

12:00 p.m. December 13, 2023

Come and celebrate the Holidays with fellow retired members. As usual we will be holding this event at the Local #134 Hall. We must have your reservation by December 6, 2023.

CORNED BEEF DINNER _____

ROAST CHICKEN DINNER _____

BOTH MEALS WITH BOILED POTATOES, CABBAGE, AND BEER

PIE FOR DESERT WITH COFFEE OR TEA

NAME _____

GUEST _____

The cost for members and their wives is \$40.00 per person. Widows of our deceased members are free. Widows are asked to send in their reservation for an accurate count. Make checks payable to:

Retired Members of Local Union 134 IBEW

Mail this reservation form to:

Jim Jennings
24937 S. McCormick Way
Manhattan, IL 60642

IN MEMORIAM

We gratefully remember your contribution to the electrical industry.

Ronald L. Armstrong

Michael F. Clavio

Royce Coleman

Greg J. Fieri

Mae L. Godinez

Chad E. Graves

Julio Hernandez

Terry M. Hughes

Eugene P. Jochens

Edward J. Levar

Mike F. McDonnell

Tim J. McMahan

Vincent I. Nicholson

Hans J. Sandvoss

Anthony F. Sansone

Donald E. Smith

Joseph A. Tomaeno Jr.

Derek M. Tracy

Vincent Zizzo

Edward J. Zolna Jr.

RETIRED MEMBERS of LOCAL 134 I.B.E.W.

2722 S. Martin Luther King Jr. Dr.

Chicago, IL 60616

Meet Monthly at 12 p.m.

Application for Membership or Dues Renewal

(Please Type or Print Legibly)

Name _____ Spouse Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Date _____

Email _____ check for email newsletter only

Date of Birth _____ IBEW Card # _____ Date of Retirement _____

Dues Schedule

Members Renewing Dues ----- \$20.00

New Members:

New Member Dues ----- \$20.00

Initiation Fee (*one time only*) ----- \$2.00

Total new member fees ----- \$22.00

after July 1st ----- \$12.00

after October 1st ----- \$22.00*

*all dues monies applied to the next year

Please make all checks payable to:

RETIRED MEMBERS of LOCAL 134 IBEW

mail to the treasurer

BERNARD MARTIN

8706 OLCOTT AVE.

NILES, IL 60714

NOTE: Your Spouse will be an associate member per section 3.01 of our by-laws.

IF ASKED, WOULD YOU BE WILLING TO WORK ON A COMMITTEE: YES _____ No _____

Recruited by _____

Chicago Labor History October

10/1/1918 IBEW Local 793 founded in Chicago
Amalgamated with Local 794 on June 5, 1928

10/1/1918 IBEW Local 822 founded in Chicago now
defunct.

10/1/1918 IBEW Local 826 founded in Chicago
Amalgamated with Local 793 Feb. 1920

10/1/1918 IBEW Local 798 founded in Chicago
Amalgamated with Local 186 Dec. 1993

10/23/1936 IBEW Local 1031 founded in Chicago

10/01/1962 IBEW Local 165 founded in Chicago
Amalgamated with Local 21 Sept. 1, 1998

Compiled by Hale Landes

2023 DUES

The retired members organization dues are due on January 1. Many members have not paid their dues for the current year. Please look at your Retired Members membership card if it does not have 2023 on it your 2023 dues are passed due. To become current with your dues please fill in the due's renewal application in this newsletter and mail it with a check for \$20.00 for each year, made payable to the:

Retired Members of Local 134 IBEW

to the Treasurer,
Bernard Martin
8706 N. Olcott Ave.
Niles, IL 60714-2024

Recipe Corner

From time to time, we would like to share our favorite recipes with our brother and sister retirees. Any recipe that is quick, easy, seasonal or is just too delicious not to pass on, please send it to me and we will get it in the newsletter. It's up to you whether you would like to claim credit for it or not.

Roast Beef Sandwiches

Ingredients:

One Rump Roast (3-4 lbs.)	1 tsp. Marjoram
1 tsp. Thyme	1 tsp. Oregano
2 tbsp. Worcestershire sauce	1 tsp. garlic powder
a few drops of Tabasco sauce	¼ tsp. ground clove
½ tsp. table salt	¼ tsp. pepper
3 cups water	sliced green pepper strips if desired.

Preheat oven to 325 degrees. Cook roast 27–32 min. per pound until internal temp is 155 degrees. Let stand until completely cool while making sauce. Reserve meat drippings. Mix drippings, water, and spices in saucepan, let simmer on low flame 1 hour. Slice roast into thin strips, put into pan after cooking spices are done and marinate in refrigerator overnight. To serve cover pan with foil put in oven on low until warmed, serve on crispy rolls.

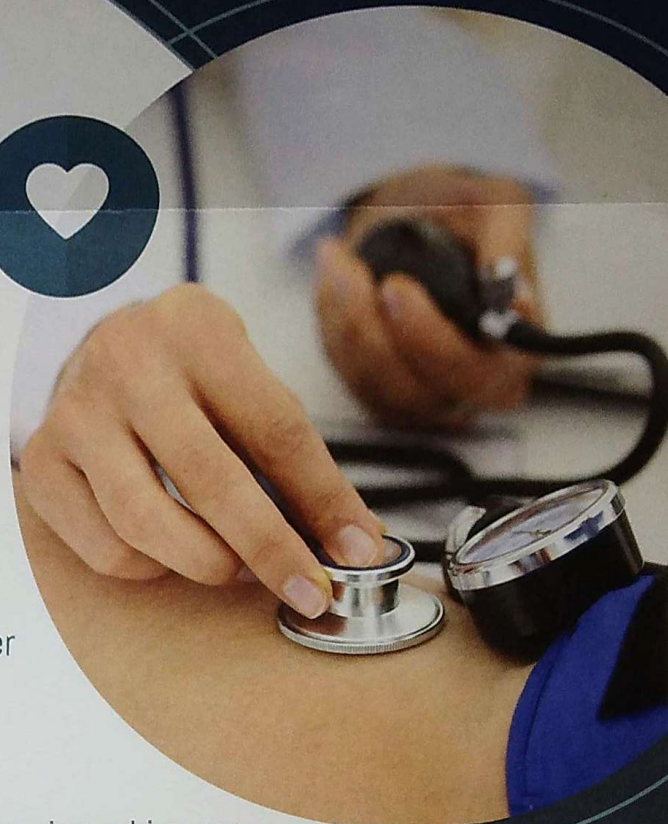
OCTOBER 14TH
8 AM - 12 PM

WHERE HEALTH
COMES FIRST



EIT & IBEW Local 134's Annual

BENEFITS & HEALTH FAIR



Why should I come?

- Free Vaccinations*
- Free Biometric & PSA Screenings*
- Save a Life - Donate Blood!
- Visit the EIT Health & Wellness/Vision Center

**EIT insured Participants & Spouses only. Must bring valid ID.*



Who will be there?

EIT • BCBSIL • CVS Caremark • VSP • ERS • Premise • Livongo
John Hancock • IBEW Local 134 • IBEW NECA Technical Institute
Midwest Coalition of Labor & Affiliates • James C. Miller, Ltd
Megent Financial • Secretary of State • State Treasurer
Cook County Assessor's Office • Amalgamated Bank
Great Lakes Credit Union • LMCC Certification
Chicago Electrical Trauma Research Institute
GWC Injury Lawyers, LLC • Vitalant
Chiro One Wellness...and more!

LOCATION:

IBEW NECA Technical Insitute, 6201 W. 115th St., Alsip IL 60803



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