

Drury Lane Dinner Theatre Presents: ROCK OF AGES

Music and lyrics by: Various, Book by Chris D'Arienzo Our next play will be held on Thursday September 28th, 2017 and lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. Show to follow 1:30 pm at the Drury Lane Playhouse in Oak Brook Terrace. **Your ticket order must be in Walter Felde's hands by August 31st, 2017 with your check for \$54.00 per person.** Make checks payable to: Retired Members of Local #134, IBEW. Walter Felde will have your tickets at Drury Lane at the Matradee's podium. Tickets will not be mailed to you.

The Meal:

First Course: Mixed Green Salad,

Mixed Greens, Tomato, Cucumber, Carrots, Radish, Herb croutons, Ranch Dressing.

Entrees:

Sautéed Tilapia _____ **or**

Tomato Basil Relish, Served with Roasted Shallot Mashed Potatoes.

Lemon-Thyme Grilled Chicken Paillard _____

Kale, Sugar Snap Peas, Sweet Corn, Avocado, Tomatoes and Hearts of Palm

Name _____

Guest _____

Send your order to:

Walter Felde
6543 N Oshkosh
Chicago IL 60631

We can't fight this feeling anymore! Rock back to a time of big egos, big guitar solos, and even bigger hair with *Rock of Ages* this fall. Nominated for five Tony Awards, *Rock of Ages* features a mix of 28 classic 80's hits by Bon Jovi, Journey, Styx, and more including "Don't Stop Believin" "We Built This City," and "The Final Countdown." *Rock of Ages* follows aspiring rock star Drew and his sweetheart, Sherri as they fight to save Hollywood's Sunset Strip. Don't miss a musical so awesome, you'll want to rock out again! *

Rock of Ages is recommended for ages 13+. Please be advised that there are mild adult themes.

100 Drury Lane* Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181

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

Retiree's Newsletter

SEPTEMBER



2017

Newsletter of the Retired Members of Local Union number 134, I.B.E.W. - Send all correspondence to Retiree's Club, 600 W. Washington Blvd., Chicago, IL 60661-2490 - The Club meets on the second Wednesday of each month except March, June, September and December at the Apprentice School 115th and Ridgeland Alsip IL. The purpose of this organization shall be to carry out the spirit of brotherhood, to aid and assist each other, and to further education, economic health and welfare of its members and their families and electrical apprentices. www.Local134chicago.com Written & Edited by Mario Coletta Mailed by Bernie Martin

FROM THE PODIUM

Havana: Music, Mojitos, and Memories (Or what I did on my summer vacation.)

In June, my wife Mary and I took a cruise to Cuba. When I told some friends and family that we were planning a cruise and would visit Havana for two days and then go on to the Bahamas, a curious look was the common response. "Why Cuba? What's in Cuba? Who goes to Cuba?" But we did get a few positive comments, one in particular from a couple that asked if we wanted company.

After some research, plans were made and our anticipation was high. We flew from Midway to Ft. Lauderdale on an (sinfully) early flight where we met our ground transportation to the Port of Miami. Upon arrival, we checked in on the Norwegian Sky and received our Cuban visas. Once aboard, Mary and I and our friends Gary and Janet found the luncheon buffet; there we began in earnest the usual food fest and weight gain of all cruisers. Afterward, we explored our new surroundings, checked out more eateries, bars, and entertainment opportunities. When the Sky set sail at 5 PM for an early arrival in Havana the next day, we settled in and enjoyed a Mojito or two.

In the morning after breakfast, we made our way to our assigned motor coach and tour of Havana's "Art past and Present." (We had pre-arranged a number of excursions with Norwegian Cruise Lines prior to sailing.) Our first stop was Morro Castle, a fort built in 1589 to ward off attacks by the buccaneers of the day. While there we had an opportunity to buy Cuban cigars and rum. We continued our tour to the statue of the "Christ of Havana." It stands 66-feet high and is built from 67 blocks of marble imported from Italy. This monument to Christ can be seen from almost any location around the harbor.

We moved on to an amazing place called Fusterlandia, named after the Cuban artist Jose Rodriguez Fuster. In 1975, Fuster moved into his home in an impoverished Cuban neighborhood and started to embellish his house with his brand of folk art. His neighbors loved what he did and encouraged him to do their homes as well. Fuster's work has been compared to Picasso's and the area has become a major tourist spot. Oh, by the way, you can purchase Cuban cigars and rum here. We finished our tour at the Havana Art Museum, three floors of Cuban art with no working elevators. Obviously not too many masterpieces were viewed on the third floor. Then we returned to the ship for a little refreshment, a nap, and preparation for a visit to see the Buena Vista Social Club at the Malia Cohiba Hotel for an evening of music, munchies and Mojitos. The next day, there was another tour; more stops at interesting places; more music and more Cuban cigars and rum opportunities.

We all loved the trip. The Cubans were friendly, helpful, and truly happy to interact with American visitors. Our only regret was the short time we spent there. If you get a chance to see the old U.S. cars in Havana, listen to their music, and talk to some the nicest people, don't hesitate. Just do it. Oh, yes. There's Cuban cigars and rum.

Jim Fliris

Retired Members of Local #134 IBEW
Annual John Cummins Memorial Golf Outing
Wednesday, September 20, 2017



Old Oak Country Club "Golf Digest - 4 Stars"

14200 S. Parker Rd.
Homer Glen, IL 60491

18 Holes of Golf with a cart for each golf team
Cost Per Person \$65.00



Continental Breakfast at 8:00 AM
(Driving Range available prior to tee time)
Shotgun Start at 9:00 AM
Buffet Lunch and Prizes after Golf

Contact

Kevin Gibbons
630.877.7340

117 Pepperwood Dr, Bolingbrook, IL 60440
kgibbons101@comcast.net

RSVP by August 30, 2017

Note: We must provide Old Oak CC a headcount prior to our outing.

**Mail advance payments / or due the morning of the golf outing.
Make checks payable to: The Retirees Club of Local 134 IBEW**

July 12 2017 Speaker

Our speaker this month was Dr Sean Flowers, Dr of Audiology from the Sertoma Speech and Hearing Center. Sertoma is a not for profit business that wants to return their services to the community. Sean, spoke of the different types of hearing losses, conductive loss because of wax, fluid, infection and other abnormalities. Selective loss when focused on a movie or book. Sensory hearing loss due to a birth defect or because of environmental damage to the inner ear and the brain can't comprehend the sounds. There is a negative stigma towards hearing loss that's more common than thought. There are different causes and need for a baseline test beginning at 50 years of age. Medications can also cause hearing loss. Tendinitis a constant ear noise is more susceptible for some than others and very troublesome. Smoking and cardio vascular disease can lead to loss of blood flow that can cause hearing loss. Some drugs warn of hearing loss as a side effect. Antibiotics can have a toxic effect on the ear. Noisy on the job equipment is harmful to hearing. Hearing protection on the job is a must. One of the largest problems of hearing loss is loud music concerts; these can lead to permanent damage but may take years to happen. Listening to music on headphones tuned too loud can lead to tendinitis or ringing in the ear. Symptoms of a hearing loss can be caused by the brain. There is no cure for tendinitis. Restoring amplification may help hearing loss. Meditation and massage therapy in a Sertoma bundled service is an option. Complete testing may take six months. There are Six manufacturers of hearing aids. Oticon, Resound, Phonak, Starkey, Siemans and Widex. Sertoma offers collaboration of hearing aid fittings. Hearing aids last an average of 5 years, some longer. The range of cost is \$5000 at the high end and \$1500 at the lowest. This includes the bundled package which allows for testing cleaning and tuning of the hearing aid. In order to have success you must get used to them

from a couple of hours to all day to get the brain used to the increased sound.

Sertoma Speech and Hearing Centers are located at 10409 S. Roberts Road Palos Hills, Illinois 60465. 708 599 9500
www.sertomacenter.org

IN MEMORIAM

James E Billish	Phillander H Brooks
Samuel W Ceriale	Leonard Danca
Mark F Farino	Lawrence R Fournier
*Peggy R Frick	Anthony F Glowicki
Donald C Grant	Charles Gregory
Theodore A Harris	Charles A Hilberg
Clarence G Henderson	Irving G Hibler
Ralph B Jamnik	Edward W Johnson
John P Kinnerk	*Hubert Kubowicz
James G Lally	Fred Lasare
James P Manning	Joseph J Martin
Gerald J Marzano	Carmen J Paris
Charles Pflueger	James Robinson Jr
Gene S Sauer	Robert R Stocker
*Henry D Turkowski	Arthur Volkema
	Jeffery Zenner

Our Condolences to the families of
Retiree's Club Members
Peggy R Frick, Hubert Kubowicz and
Henry D Turkowski

CALANDAR

Aug 9-Regular Meeting 1:00 pm at the Apprentice School 115th and Ridgeland Alsip IL. Meet and Greet 12:00 noon
Aug 28- E-Board Meeting 10:30 am.
Sept 8-Mainstream Pumping Station Tour. Contact Gerry White.
Sept 13-Luncheon and Regular Meeting noon at Boyle Auditorium.
Sept 20-Annual John Cummins Memorial Golf Outing. Breakfast 8:00 am, Shotgun Start 9:00 am.
Sept 25-E-Board Meeting 10:30 am.
Sept 28-Drury Lane Play **Rock of Ages** Luncheon served 11:30 am.
Sept 30-Annual Benefit Fair Boyle Auditorium 8:00 am to 2:00 pm.
Oct 11- Regular Meeting 1:00 pm at the Apprentice School 115th and Ridgeland Alsip IL Meet and Greet 12:00 noon.
Oct 30- E-Board Meeting 10:30 am.

RETIRED MEMBERS OF LOCAL # 134 LUNCHEON

**SEPTEMBER 13TH 2017 AT BOYLE
AUDITORIUM 600 W WASHINGTON BLVD**

**OUR REGULARLY SCHEDULED DOLLAR LUNCHEON
WILL BE HELD AT NOON ON THAT DAY**

Name _____

Guest _____

Please print your name and guest's name

Make checks payable to: Retired Members of Local #134 IBEW
Send in Registration by September 1st

Mail this reservation form and your dollar per person to:

Bernie Martin
8706 N Olcott
Niles, IL 60714

RECIPE EXCHANGE

Mary Fliris sent me this recipe and it sounds good but I have not tried it yet.

APPLE CHEESE CAKE

Crust: 1 stick margarine

½ cup sugar

¾ tsp. vanilla

1 cup sifted flour

Mix together. Press on bottom and ½ inches up on sides of pan.

Filling: 8 oz. pkg of cream cheese

1 egg

¼ cup sugar

Mix together until creamy and pour over crust.

Add: 4 cups sliced apples

After: 1/3 cup chopped nuts

Mix: ½ tsp. cinnamon

½ tsp. vanilla

1/3 cup sugar

Sprinkle this mixture over top.

Use a spring form pan and Bake in 450 degree preheated oven for 10 minutes. Lower heat to 400 degrees and bake an additional 25 minutes.

SEPTEMBER 8th

Gather around 10:15 for the Water Reclamation District tour of the Deep Tunnel.

SEPTEMBER 13th

At this luncheon meeting at the Union Hall I have asked Joe Ziemba to be our speaker. He is an author, speaker and football historian. Send in your reservation form to Bernie Martin for the luncheon.

SEPTEMBER 20th

See the sign up sheet for the Golf Outing. You have until August 30, to sign up.

SEPTEMBER 28th

The lunch and play ROCK OF AGES at the Drury Lane Playhouse is this day. If you want tickets please sign up on the attached sheet.

SEPTEMBER 30th

The annual Benefit Fair at the Union Hall 600 W Washington Blvd. will be Saturday the 30th of September. It is from 8am to 2pm. The Retiree's Club will have a booth. It is a nice time to see some of your fellow members.

November 30th

The lunch and play 42nd STREET At the Drury Lane Playhouse is this day. If you want tickets please sign up on the attached sheet.

I am stepping down at the end of September, so next month will be my last planned event. I have enjoyed my position but want someone else to have the opportunity to pick what they want to do and speakers that they choose.

Gerry White

**Drury Lane Dinner Theatre Presents:
42nd STREET**

Music by Harry Warren, Lyrics by Al Dubin, Book by Michael Stewart and Mark Bramble. Our next play will be held on Thursday November 30th, 2017 and lunch will be served at 11:30 a.m. Show to follow 1:30 pm at the Drury Lane Playhouse in Oak Brook Terrace. **Your ticket order must be in Walter Felde's hands by November 2nd, 2017 with your check for \$54.00 per person.** Make checks payable to: Retired Members of Local #134, IBEW. Walter Felde will have your tickets at Drury Lane at the Matradee's podium. Tickets will not be mailed to you.

The Meal:

First Course: Soup of the Day,

Entrees:

Lake Trout _____ **OR**

Citrus Caper Sauce, Served with Roasted Shallot Mashed Potatoes.

Roast Turkey _____ **OR**

Sliced Breast, Herb Stuffing, Cranberry Sauce, Turkey Gravy, Served with Roasted Shallot Mashed Potatoes.

Bistro Steak _____

Bordelaise Sauce, Served with Roasted Shallot Mashed Potatoes.

Name _____

Guest _____

Send your order to:

Walter Felde
6543 N Oshkosh
Chicago IL 60631

For years to come, thousands of little chorus girls will go to auditions and say to themselves, "who knows? I might come out of this another Peggy Sawyer!"

Tap through this year's holiday season with the Tony Award winner for Best Musical, *42nd Street!* In this beloved Broadway classic, Peggy Sawyer lands a bigger break in New York City than expected. When the leading lady injures her ankle, Peggy gets the chance of a lifetime to rise from showgirl to star. With showstopping tap numbers and hits such as "We're In The Money" and "Lullaby of Broadway," there's no question that *42nd Street* will dazzle you this winter at Drury Lane Theatre.

42nd Street is suitable for all audiences but most enjoyable for ages 5+

100 Drury Lane* Oakbrook Terrace, IL 60181



Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago

Facility Visit Release and Indemnity

Name of Group: IBEW Local 134 Retirees Today's Date: _____

I hereby request permission to enter the facilities of the Metropolitan Water Reclamation District of Greater Chicago ("MWRD") selected below (check all that apply):

- Stickney WRP, 6001 W. Pershing Rd., Cicero, IL
- Calumet WRP, 400 East 130th St., Chicago, IL
- Terrence J. O'Brien WRP, 3500 Howard St., Skokie, IL
- John E. Egan WRP, 550 S. Meacham Rd., Schaumburg, IL
- James C. Kirie WRP, 701 Oakton St., Des Plaines, IL
- Hanover Park WRP, 1220 Sycamore Ave., Hanover Park, IL
- Lemont WRP, 13 Stephen St., Lemont, IL
- TARP Mainstream Pumping Station, 6100 River Rd., Hodgkins, IL
- Lockport Powerhouse, 2400 S. Powerhouse Rd., Lockport, IL
- Other: _____

On 9/8/17, for the purpose of Education
(visit date)

I fully understand the hazards which may be encountered at the plant and understand and agree that the MWRD will derive no benefit from my presence on the premises. I understand and agree that this visit is educational in nature and I must stay with the tour group and away from any people or equipment involved in the working of the pumping station and plant. I understand and agree that I must wear long pants and sturdy shoes (dresses, shorts, sandals and high heels are not permitted). I understand and agree that I must submit a copy of my state-issued driver's license, state-issued ID or passport in advance of the visit for a security check. I must also bring the original ID on the day of the visit. I understand that Student IDs and Temporary Visitor Driver's Licenses are not acceptable forms of identification. I understand and agree that I will be subject to search. I understand and agree that no cameras, video equipment, recording devices, or cell phones may be used at any time during the visit. I understand that such devices may be confiscated at the commencement of the tour and returned upon conclusion of the tour. I understand and agree that backpacks, carry bags, large purses, drinks and food will not be permitted during the visit. Please note there may be an exemption for possessing food or drink for those participants who have pre-approval based upon medical need (such as a diabetic condition). Possession of firearms or ammunition on MWRD property is prohibited pursuant to the Firearms Conceal Carry Act, 430 ILCS 66.

In consideration of being allowed to undertake this activity, for myself, my heirs, successors, executors, administrators and assigns, I forever REMISE, RELEASE AND DISCHARGE the MWRD, its Commissioners, officers, agents, and employees from any liability for personal injury to or death of myself or damage to my personal property which may arise due to my presence on the subject MWRD facilities. I agree to be solely responsible for and to defend, indemnify, keep and save harmless the MWRD, its Commissioners, officers, agents, and employees against all injuries, losses, damages, liens, suits, liabilities, judgments, costs, and expenses which may in any way accrue directly or indirectly, against the MWRD, its Commissioners, officers, agents, and employees, in consequence of the granting of this permission.

Name (printed): _____

Signature (parent or guardian to sign if participant is a minor): _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Street Address: _____ Apt.: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Country: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Place of Employment or School: n/a Telephone: n/a

Address: n/a

If a translator is required, please state the language requiring translation: _____

If you are arriving by bus:

*Give this map to your driver to aid in directions.

*BUS DRIVERS...You may pull under the canopy to unload and load but
PLEASE TURN OFF YOUR ENGINE WHILE UNDER THE CANOPY.

If you are arriving by car:

*Please copy this map and distribute to your guests.

*Free parking is available surrounding Drury Lane and Hilton Suites.

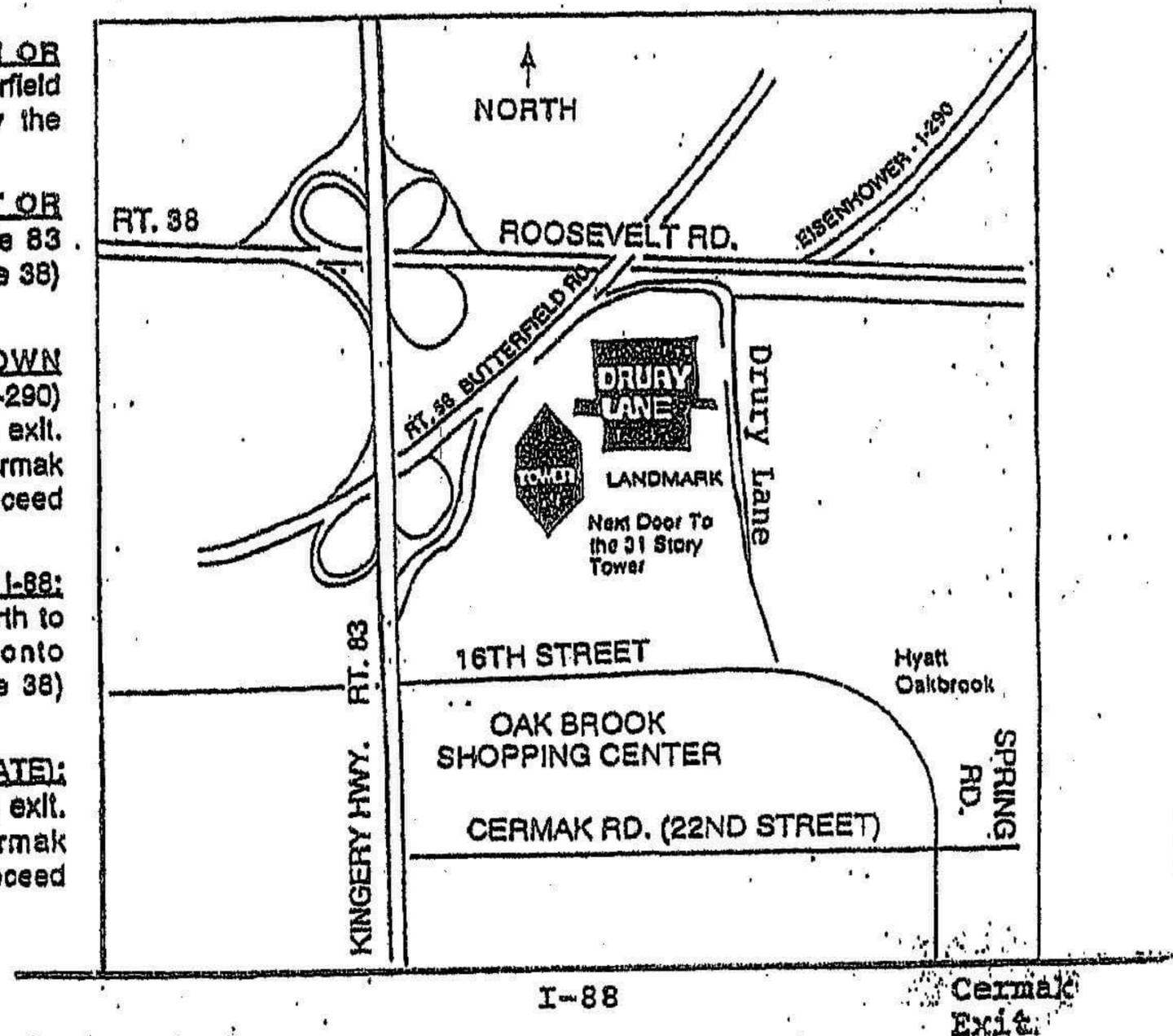
WHEN APPROACHING FROM THE NORTH OR SOUTH ON ROUTE 83: Exit at Roosevelt/Butterfield Road East (Roosevelt Road is Route 38). Follow the GREEN sign to DRURY LANE.

WHEN APPROACHING FROM THE EAST OR WEST ON ROOSEVELT ROAD: Exit Route 83 (Kingery Hwy.) South to Roosevelt Road (Route 38) East and follow GREEN sign to DRURY LANE.

WHEN APPROACHING FROM DOWNTOWN CHICAGO: Take the Eisenhower Expressway (I-290) West to the East-West Tollway (I-88), Aurora exit. Immediately after paying the \$.40 toll at the Cermak Road/22nd Street tollbooth, exit Right and proceed North on Spring Road to DRURY LANE.

WHEN APPROACHING FROM THE WEST ON I-88: Exit at Midwest Road, turn Right, proceed North to Butterfield Road (Route 56). Turn right onto Butterfield Road, exit Roosevelt Road (Route 38) East to DRURY LANE.

WHEN APPROACHING FROM I-294 (TRI-STATE): to I-88 (East-West Tollway) West, to Aurora exit. Immediately after paying \$.40 toll at Cermak Road/22nd Street tollbooth, exit Right and proceed North on Spring Road to DRURY LANE.



Retired Members

Of Local 134, I.B.E.W.
600 West Washington Boulevard
Chicago, IL 60661-2490

Meets the 2nd Wednesday, Monthly, at 1:00 p.m.

Application for Membership

(Please type or print legibly)

Today's Date: _____

Name: _____ Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____ I.B.E.W. Card #: _____

Please make all checks payable to: **RETIRED MEMBERS L.U. 134, I.B.E.W.** and mail to:

BERNARD MARTIN
8706 OLCOTT
NILES, IL 60714

Dues Schedule (paid dues entitles you to a lapel pin, Roster book and monthly *Newsletter*)

Initiation Fee (one time only)----- \$2.00
If you join between January 1st & June 30th----- \$20.00 + \$2.00
If you join after July 1st----- \$10.00 + \$2.00
If you join after October 1st----- \$20.00 + \$2.00*

* All dues monies will be applied to next year

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: _____