## PLUMBERS, PIPE FITTERS and HVAC SERVICE

The next Membership Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, May 13th, 2025, at 7:00pm and is designated <u>Special Called Meeting</u> for the purpose of <u>Nominations for Officers</u>, <u>Trustees and Delegates</u>.

The following positions are up for nominations

- (1) Business Manager/Financial Secretary/Treasurer
- (1) President
- (1) Vice President
- (1) Recording Secretary
- (1) Inner Guard
- (4) Executive Board
- (2) Pension/Insurance Trustee
- (3) Finance Committee
- (3) Sub/Sick Trustee
- (3) Building Fund Committee
- (2) Scholarship Trustees
- (6) FMR Fund Committee
- (4) Examining Board
- (6) 2026 UA National Convention Delegate

Per section 121 of the U.A. Constitution: No member shall be eligible to be nominated for office in any local union unless he shall be a journeyman member and shall have been a member of the united association and the local union in good standing for at least a period of two (2) years immediately prior to the election. Any journeyman member who owes or has paid a reinstatement fee within a period of two (2) years immediately prior to the date of the election shall not be eligible to be nominated for office in any local union.

Per section 124a of the U.A. constitution: "No member shall vote at any election of any description unless he has been a member in good standing in the local union where the vote is being taken for a period of one (1) year immediately prior to the date of election. Any member who owes or has paid a reinstatement fee within a period of on (1) year immediately prior to the date of election shall not be eligible to vote in any local union election." Apprentices that have successfully completed their 3<sup>rd</sup> year are now eligible to vote if they meet the requirements listed above.

The Ulliance Member Assistance Program is now available to all members and retirees as of March 1st. This benefit includes free and confidential mental health counseling, coaching, and 24/7 crisis support. In addition, there are free 30-minute consultations for legal and financial matters. There is a great discount program for goods and services as well as free identity theft protection. To find out more, go to lifeadvisor.com or call 800-448-8326.

<u>Scholarship Applications</u> for the 2025-2026 school year are now available on our website at ualocal370.org. The applicant must be a son or daughter of a member in good standing of UA Local 370. Complete lists of qualifications and applications are also available at Local 370 hall. Applications are due by the end of May

Retiree Breakfast will be on Monday, May 12th at 9:00 am.

Golf Outing Saturday, July 19th at Flushing Valley. 8am registration. 9am shotgun.

<u>2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Labor Day Parade</u> Come be a part of this Family Fun Event and help support not only our union but all unions in Genesee County. Monday September 1<sup>st</sup>.

## **Upcoming Night Class Schedule:**

**STAR Prep** May 3<sup>rd</sup>,4<sup>th</sup>,5<sup>th</sup>,11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> 5pm-7pm

First Aid & CPR September 17th, 2025 at 4:30pm

All classes and test days can be signed up with the Training Center at 810-720-5243 Ext 15 or at <a href="mailto:training@ualocal370.org">training@ualocal370.org</a>

**<u>2021 Plumbing Code Books</u>** now available. Cost is \$85. Check or money order only.

Per our **By-Laws Article XV**, The Building Tradesman is hereby adopted and subscribed to as our Labor paper for all members of local 370. Said paper to be used for all official notification of membership.

## Committee and Board meetings are as follows:

Examining Board – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025 at 4:00pm FMR Committee – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025 at 4:00pm PAC committee – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025 at 5:00pm Executive Board –Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025, at 5:00pm Building Committee – Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025 at 6:00pm Finance Committee -Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>,2025 at 6:15pm JATC Committee – TBD

ALL GM Worksites and others require Must Safety and Drug Testing: MUST safety modules are only valid for 4 years. Call the hall to sign up for the MUSTBSAFE.com website and complete all 18 safety modules. Members will not be eligible to work at any job site requiring them until all 18 modules are complete and are current on their drug test. If your drug test is expired, you must take one before you can be dispatched to any GM work. Drug tests are only valid for 1 year. Call The hall and we will print you a drug test authorization form

Local 370 office hours 7:30am – 4:30pm. Sub/Sick checks will be processed 8:00am – 11:30 am and 1:30pm – 4:15pm daily.

**Attendance award** drawing for membership meeting information. Member's present must have dues paid to date to claim award. The monthly award is 150 dollars.

**Attention All Active Members in Good Standing** The Joint Apprentice and Training Committee voted to reimburse any active member of local 370 that takes and passes any training,

testing or certification that may be required to perform their work. This includes Rigging, Med-Gas, Back flow or any work-related training or certification expense. Members will be reimbursed after successful completion and verification of the cost. Lost wages will not be covered by the JATC. Plumbing license renewal is still the responsibility of the member. If you have any questions, please contact local 370 JATC.

**Mobile App**. Our mobile app. Is now available for download on you cell phone. Go to the app store and search **UA Local 370**. Download the app and sign in. You can read the latest Building Trades article, see upcoming meeting dates, or pay your dues. This is a work in progress, and we will add more content to the site as we move forward.

## Our web site is up and running. Check it out at ualocal370.org

We are now able to accept Visa, Master Card, Discover and American Express for window dues. If you want to take advantage of this service there will be a \$1.00 per month charge added to the monthly window dues fee and a 3% fee for all other transactions.

Remember to keep your dues current. Any member failing to pay for 3 months shall stand suspended, unable to vote for a period of 1 year or run for office for a period of 2 years and subject to a \$50.00 reinstatement fee. Dues must be paid in 3-month increments according to our bylaws. Dues will be accepted up to 6:45 on union meeting nights.

Members wishing to take the U.A. welding certification test contact business agent, Zach Desrochers for application and testing dates.

Local 370 ball caps and winter fleece caps are available at the union offices. Ball caps \$10.00 and fleece caps \$5.00. Pocket Tee shirts are available for \$10 dollars each. Hooded sweat shirts and long sleeve pocket tee shirts are available. The sweat shirts are \$30 and the long sleeve tee shirts are \$15. Golf polo and golf wind shirts are available for \$25.

If you shop on the internet, SHOP UNION MADE, log on to www.shopunionmade.com. T.I.C. fringe administrators' toll free number is 1-888-797-5862.