



## PLUMBERS AND GASFITTERS LOCAL 34 • ST. PAUL MINNESOTA

3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter: July – August – September 2019

### ANNUAL LOCAL 34 PICNIC

Sat, August 17, 2019

Battle Creek Pavilion @  
McKnight Rd and Upper Afton  
Rd.

12-4 pm

Parking available in pavilion  
lot, with overflow parking  
across the street.

PRIZES AND FUN FOR ALL  
AGES!

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!

Matt Giles is looking for volunteers for this  
fun event. Cal 651.224.3828.



*Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July to you and your family!*

### NOTES FROM THE OFFICE

I hope everyone is having a great summer.

Again this year, Local 34 is averaging over 100,000 hours per month.

At the June Union Meeting, we swore in 26 new apprentices and handed out gold cards to 50-year members. Total membership is up to 927. This is a 16% increase from our low point during the recession. This reflects the strength and commitment of Local 34 members.

Thanks for all you do.

In Solidarity,

Business Manager Tom McCarthy

PS. Looking forward to seeing you at the picnic!

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### CONGRATULATIONS TO NEW RETIREE

Mike Fredrickson

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### MARK YOUR CALENDARS

**MN BUILDING TRADES CONVENTION:** July 24-26, 2019, at Madden's on Gull Lake in Brainerd, MN.

**ANNUAL PICNIC:** The annual picnic will be held at Battle Creek Park on Saturday, August 17, 2019. Matt Giles is looking for volunteers to help with this fun event!

**GOLF TOURNAMENT:** Our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Golf Tournament is scheduled for September 14, 2019.

**CHRISTMAS RETIREE LUNCHEON:** Tuesday, December 3, 2019, at Mancini's Char House.

### SYMPATHIES

Local 34 extends its deepest sympathies to the families of Paul Lamm and Milton Travis.

## CHRISTMAS RETIREE LUNCHEON

Our Annual Retiree Christmas Luncheon will be hosted by Local 34 at Mancini's Char House on Tuesday, December 3, 2019. More information will be sent out to Retirees in November.

## APPRENTICE NEWS

School begins on August 26, 2019. Be sure to register and pay tuition by July 31<sup>st</sup>.

Please consider helping with the Annual Picnic on Sat, Aug 17, 2019. It's a great way to get involved, learn more about your union, and meet more members.

Congratulations to 5<sup>th</sup> Year Robert Boozer for competing well in the District 4 Regional Contest.

Attention: If you need any of the following licenses or certifications this year, please contact the Training Office by July 19, 2019, to be put on a waiting list to be contacted for the next available class:

Backflow License  
Medical Gas

## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW JOURNEY LEVEL WORKERS!

|               |               |                  |                |                |
|---------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Robert Boozer | Jacob Francis | Jake Nietz       | Brandon Rose   | Tadareo Weaver |
| Tim Brown     | Jason Hanson  | Thomas Petri     | Colton Schroer |                |
| Ciro Brandt   | Codie Kahler  | Jennifer Plaster | Corey Schwietz |                |
| Jesse Denzer  | Daniel Kaiser | Dustin Radziej   | Seth Steinke   |                |

## CONTRACT WAGE ALLOCATIONS

- + \$1.45 Taxable Hourly Wage
- + \$0.60 Health & Welfare
- + \$0.25 Pension
- + \$0.20 Apprentice Training Fund
- + \$0.25 Retiree Health Trust

Thomas P. McCarthy  
Business Manager

Jeffrey Huberty  
Financial Secretary-Treasurer

Dean Gale  
Business Agent

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*Congratulations to our new 50-Year  
Honorary Members!*

## TECHNOLOGY

**CREDIT CARDS:** We are able to accept credit cards to pay your dues. Please call or stop in.

**WEBSITE:** Check out our website! Log on now to access even more information. [www.plumberslocal34.org](http://www.plumberslocal34.org). Sign up for electronic newsletter and notifications.

**APP:** Download the Plumbers and Gasfitters Local 34 app, and get timely reminders for union meetings and other member events.

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**Coming together is a beginning. Keeping together is  
progress. Working together is success.**

- Henry Ford

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