

Local 344

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UNITED ASSOCIATION OF JOURNEYMEN AND APPRENTICES
OF THE PLUMBING AND PIPE FITTING INDUSTRY

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April 2022

To All Members of Plumbers and Pipefitters Local 344

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Member Deaths

Brother, **Jack L. Lovegrove**, Membership Number 834307, died 3/27/2022. He was a Life Member Pipefitter Refrigeration Journeyman.

Brother, **Gerald 'Jerry' D. Martin, Jr.**, Membership Number 1066939, died 4/9/2022. He was a Retired Journeyman Plumber.

Notice of Local Union Nominations and Election

Nominations for Officers of Plumbers and Pipefitters Local Union 344 will be held at our next regularly scheduled monthly Membership Meeting on **Tuesday, May 3, 2022** at 7:00 p.m. at the Local Union Hall, 4335 S.W. 44th Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73119.

Members who have been in good standing for a period of twenty-four (24) consecutive months are eligible to be nominated. You must be a member in good standing in order to make a nomination. You need not be present to be nominated, but must accept the nomination in writing within ten (10) days of nomination to be included on the ballot.

Offices to be filled for a three (3) year term are as follows:

President	Business Manager/Financial Secretary-Treasurer
Vice President	4 Executive Board Members
Recording Secretary	3 Finance Committee Members
Inside Guard	6 Member Examining Board

Election of Officers will be held **Saturday, June 4, 2022**, at the Local Union Hall. Polls will be open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 2:00 p.m. A member is eligible to vote in the election only if their dues have been in good standing for a period of twelve (12) consecutive months. If you question your eligibility, please contact Dana at the Union Office at 405-682-4571 ext. 101.

In the event of a tie, a run-off election will be necessary. Said run-off will be held on Saturday, June 18, 2022, at the Local Union Hall. Polls will be open at 8:00 a.m. and close at 2:00 p.m.

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"Unionism has helped to give to everyone who toils the position of dignity which is his due"

Health & Welfare

Employee Assistance Program: A place to turn to when personal problems seem overwhelming. Your Employee Assistance Program (EAP) is a confidential counseling program, free of charge, provided for you and your family. Counselors are trained to deal with a broad range of problems: stress, parenting, family issues, coping with illness, marital problems, work issues, addictions, grief, anger, anxiety, depression, coping with financial problems, etc. Call 800-413-8008 ext. 2.

Please remember to utilize the Free Clinics yourhealthok.com and justkidspeds.com
Or call: 405-920-6100 to make an appointment.

Plumbers & Pipefitters Joint Apprenticeship and Training Program

This Summer JATC will be having CEU classes in person. Dates and times will be posted in future newsletters.

16th Annual Golf Tournament

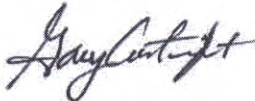
The Local's Golf Tournament will be held Saturday, June 25, 2022 at Winter Creek Golf & Country Club. A registration form with details is enclosed.

OKC Memorial Marathon "Run to Remember"

Local 344 will be a proud sponsor this year on April 23rd – 24th. If any members or their family member would like to participate as a runner, please call the Hall for more information.

You can always access previous newsletters at pp344.com

Fraternally,



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