

Local 344

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

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To All Members of Plumbers & Pipefitters Local 344

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Member Deaths

Brother James H. Tyler, membership # 747605, died 02/20/2018. He was a Life Member as a journeyman plumber. Brother Royce A Wisdom, membership # 768061 died 02/22/2018. He was a journeyman steam fitter. We wish to extend our sincere sympathy to the families of these Brothers.

H&W Benefits Update

Teladoc: This benefit is available to ALL ACTIVE members and eligible dependents. You will have access to 24/7/365 access to U.S. board certified doctors and pediatricians by phone or online video. Please visit the Teladoc website or call 1-800-Teladoc (835-2362) to set up your account today. The doctors can treat many conditions such as sinus problems, bronchitis, allergies, cold and flu symptoms, ear infection, and respiratory infections plus more. There is NO cost to the member for a Teladoc visit.

Amplifon Hearing Health Care: Plumbers and Pipefitters has partnered with Amplifon Hearing and entitles you to a hearing health discount program. Please call 1-888-408-5947 to set up an appointment or visit online at www.amplifoneusa.com/pplocal344. The program allows a Hearing aid low price guarantee, risk-free 60 day trial, free 2 year supply of batteries, and One year follow up care free.

UA Scholarships

We are pleased to announce that the United Association Scholarship Trust Fund is gearing up for the 2018-2019 academic year scholarship awards. The fund benefits UA members and their dependents (please see criteria in the detailed instructions found with the application). Scholarships range from \$1,500 to \$5,000 each. ***The deadline for submitting applications is June 14, 2018.*** Applications are available online, to download and print, at www.uanet.org.

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

New Contractor Development Classes

All members are invited to attend the New Contractor Development Classes to be held at the union hall on Thursday, April 5th from 9:00am to 4:30pm and Friday, April 6th from 9:00am to 1:00pm. For more information please call Gary Cartwright.

Continuing Education Courses

Please check the expiration date on your state plumbing and/or mechanical licenses. The Training Center will offer continuing education classes for both in the next few months. Please call (405)632-5629 to reserve your space today. *If you are not sure if you need to complete a CEU class, check with the Training Center. The information will most likely be in your file.*

The necessary **paperwork must be completed** prior to the first class meeting in order to ensure that all necessary materials are available.

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