



To All Members of Plumbers & Pipefitters Local 344

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Members Deaths

Brother, **Joseph L. Wilson**, Membership Number 2743809, died 9/21/2021. He was a Mechanical Equipment Service Tradesman.

Health and Welfare

Blue Forms/Open Enrollment: Open enrollment for 2022 began on September 15th and will end on December 15th 2021. The Benefit office mailed the Blue Enrollment forms on September 14th and are due no later than December 15th. This does NOT apply to retirees.

***This is a significant change that was implemented last year, the membership will need to turn in the Blue Forms either on-line, mailing, e-mailing or faxing. By changing the date to September through December 15th, this will ensure that there will not be any delay in paying claims for the 2022 plan year.

If the Blue enrollment forms and other documents are not received by December 15th, 2021 it will result in dependents not being eligible until the next open enrollment period, which is **January 1, 2023**.

2020 Western Oklahoma Building Trades Scholarship

Local 344 members, spouses and their dependents are eligible to participate in this scholarship. The application is now available online. The deadline to submit completed applications will be March 1, 2022. The information for students to apply will be on the Oklahoma City Community Foundation Website

<https://occf.academicworks.com/opportunities/3785>. Please contact the scholarship staff at r.fernandez@occf.org or call Rick Fernandez at 405-606-2919, if you have any questions.

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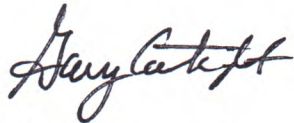
"Unionism has helped to give to everyone who toils the position of dignity which is his due"

Mark Your Calendars

Our Children's Christmas Party will be Saturday, December 11th from 10am to 1pm.

You can always access our previous newsletters at pp344.com

Fraternally,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Gary Cartwright". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "G".

Gary Cartwright
Business Manager

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