



IBEW LOCAL 325



NOVEMBER 2024



Greetings IBEW Local 325 Members ,

Fall is upon us, and as I look out the window while I write this, the sun is shining and the colors of the leaves are vibrant! A new Lecture Hall is going to be built at SUNY Binghamton and I just signed a Project Labor Agreement (PLA) that is attached to the project. This means we will have IBEW Members on the project. The start date will be sometime in 2025. There are two other PLA's being negotiated at this time in our territory. Delivering projects on time and on budget shows that PLA's do provide cost savings. O'Connell has a small solar project in Apalachin at Farmer Browns and we have a couple of people there, and they should be hiring in early November. International President Cooper is pushing to get one Million IBEW Members, and to help reach that goal Brother Paul Traver was brought on staff. He has a lot of business experience working in the office as an IBEW Member which will be an advantage when having conversations with the owners of becoming signatory contractors . He also has a large contact list of business associates that he can bring to the table to help put the pieces together. I want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving filled with Peace and Happiness.

Fraternally ,
Kelvin

BUSINESS MANAGER, KELVIN HERRALA'S NEW PHONE NUMBER: 607-222-4908



Christmas Adopt-a-Family Nominations!



2024 marks our 6th year supporting local families during the holidays. We have supported and supplies 40 families/ 189 individuals so far. This is an amazing accomplishment and I am so incredibly thankful for all the generosity shown over the years. This program has been successful solely due to peoples kindness and generosity. The generosity we have displayed over the years has drawn more interest in our program and we are now getting support and donations from people outside of the Union. This support is much needed due to the increasing cost of living for struggling families. I can't thank you all enough for your continued support and I expect this year to be just as successful as previous years.

For the 2024 Holiday Season we are hoping to have at least 8 Local Families. These families reside in our local school districts. I will have the family needs list available by November 15th so please reach out to me directly to adopt an individual or to purchase an item. We are always happy to accept monetary donations as well. Cash or check, made payable to Katie Huff, can be mailed to or dropped off to the Union hall anytime.

Sincerely,

Katie Huff

phone: (607)651-7595 email: krue17@yahoo.com



Thanksgiving Holiday



Upcoming Overtime Holiday for Local 325 as in Article 3, section 3.02(a) is Thanksgiving Day (November 28th) and the Friday after Thanksgiving (November 29th.)

Don't Let Sickness Get You Down! Get Care 24/7!

For members enrolled in Local 325 Coverage, Teladoc Health is included as one of your health benefits. Wherever you are, you and your family have access to licensed healthcare providers all year long. Whether you're at home, work, or traveling, Teladoc Health can help- day or night at NO COST to you!

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- Sore throat
- Allergies
- Pinkeye
- Bronchitis
- Rashes
- Sinus infections
- And more!

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We offer ID Resolution's WRAP service to our Active Members and Retirees. They provide "one stop" comprehensive support in the event of identity theft and fraud. For more information visit **www.IDResloution.net** or call **1-877-308-9167**.

APPRENTICES:

Keep up the great work!

Like and Follow our Facebook
Page at:

IBEW Local 325

Send your photos and announcements
to Megan at megans@ibew325.net
for a chance to be featured!



NOVEMBER CALENDAR

11/2/24– 122nd Anniversary Annual Dinner
Dance

11/4/24– E– Board Meeting

11/4/24– Retirees Breakfast, Front St. Denny's
at 8am

11/18/24– Regular Meeting @5pm

JOURNEYMEN ANNOUNCEMENT:

The EVITP (Electric Vehicle Infrastructure Training Program)
course will be offered in November and December to any JW's
that are interested in getting certified or need to be recertified.

Email Training Director/Education Coordinator Amy if
interested at training@ibew325.net



Binghamton Black Bears Hockey Tickets

Regular season tickets are available at the
Hall!

2 Tickets per member, per season.

*In Memory of
Frank Ashman
1940-2024*



Thanksgiving Union Made Shopping List

Turkey

Butterball (UFCW, IBT)

Foster Farms (IBT)

Salad/ Vegetables

Andy Boy Broccoli, Cauliflower,
Lettuce (UFW)

Birds Eye Vegetables (UFCW,
IBT)

Del Fresh (UFW)

Potatoes/ Sweet Potatoes

Dole (IBT)

Ore-Ida (UFCW, IBT)

Stuffing

Stroehmann Bakery Products
(BCTGM)

Cranberries/ Cranberry Sauce

Dole (IBT)

Ocean Spray (IAM)

Baking

Alta Dena Eggs (IBT)

Eco Eggs (USW)

Clover Sonoma Eggs (IBT)

Land O'Lakes (IBT)

Pillsbury (BCTGM)

Broome County Festival of Lights!

Otsiningo Park

November 14th 2024– January 5th 2025

For more information and a list of special
events: visit www.BCFestivalofLights.com



**Congratulations to Kirk Bergman
on his retirement!**



CURRENT DUES RATES

QUARTERLY: \$138.45

EARLY RETIREES: \$132.00

DUES RATES AS OF JAN. 1, 2025

QUARTERLY: \$144.45

EARLY RETIREES: \$138.00

DUES RATES AS OF JULY 1, 2025

QUARTERLY: \$147.45

EARLY RETIREES: \$141.00

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