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NEWS

Carpenters Wellness Center Opening Summer 2019



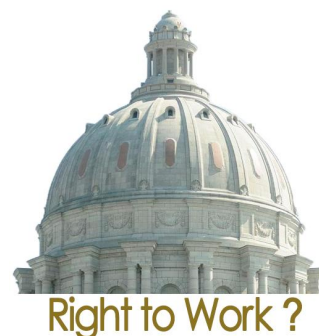
It may look like a leveled mound of dirt now, but coming this summer, the Carpenters Hampton campus will house a new wellness center to serve members and their families.

St. Louis will be the location for the first-of-it's-kind wellness center, but we're already looking ahead to other locations for additional wellness centers to serve our members.

[Read More](#)

Nonstarter

After an overwhelming "No" vote just a few months ago, will "Right to Work" **gain any traction** in the Show Me State this year? *"There's no appetite in the House to revisit the right-to-work debate,"* Missouri's House Speaker said this week. Other Republicans in the State Capitol, however, appear to be leaving the RTW door open.



Right to Work ?

Across the Aisle

In Kansas, that state's GOP has been suffering some defections lately. [Sen. Dinah Sykes](#) joins others in lamenting misguided Republican leadership, where *"Pragmatic moderates are unwelcome and unnecessary."* Kansans have elected their first Democrat governor in nearly a decade, and four lawmakers have recently left the state Republican party.



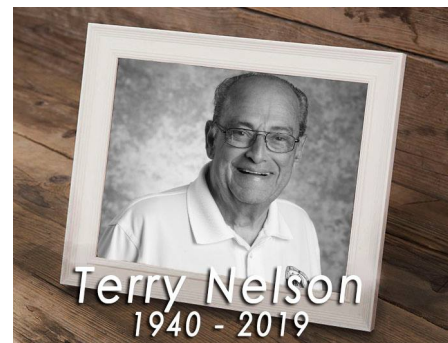
What's Ahead

Prefabricated building, more automation and worker shortages. Construction experts are predicting the good and the bad in the year ahead. These are [the seven trends](#) to watch for in the commercial construction industry in 2019.



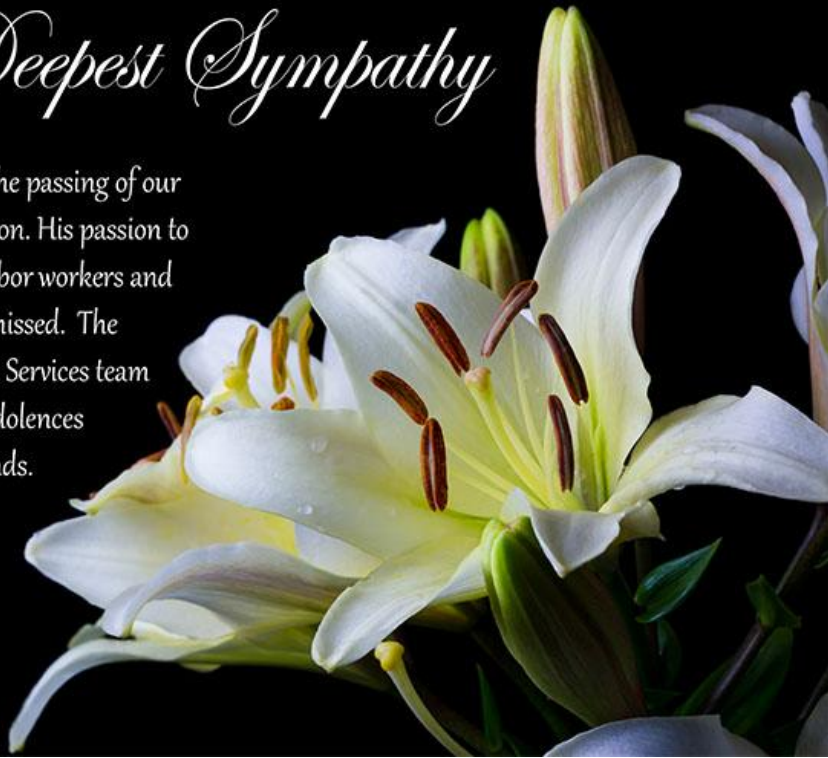
RIP

Longtime Carpenters executive Terry Nelson was laid to rest this past Monday. Family, friends and colleagues gathered to eulogize Mr. Nelson as one of the most innovative and tireless champions St. Louis union labor has ever known. He passed away Jan. 3 at age 78.



With Deepest Sympathy

We are saddened by the passing of our dear friend Terry Nelson. His passion to improve the lives of labor workers and their families will be missed. The Holland Construction Services team offers our sincere condolences to his family and friends.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Refer a Friend, Win \$200!

Allen Roofing is hiring roofers! If you refer a friend who gets hired, you'll get rewarded with \$200 from the Council after they complete 30 work days on the job.

Know any good candidates? Have them fill out the job application here: <https://goo.gl/oLLPMh>.

Have a question? Contact Keith Taylor by calling (314) 393-5847 or emailing kotaylor@carpdc.org.



1310 POKER TOURNEY

Ante up for the CRC Scholarship Fund.

Local 1310's annual poker tournament is set for **Saturday, March 23**

[GET DETAILS HERE](#)



MOUSE RACES

What: 14th Annual Mouse Race & Rodent Roulette

When: Sat. Feb 23, 2019

Where: Carpenters Hall
Call (314) 644-4800 or (800)



BASS TOURNAMENT

Celebrating its 30th anniversary, the CRC's annual bass tournament is set for **Saturday, April 13** at Lake of the Ozarks.

Come help us mark the occasion and enjoy one of the council's longest running and

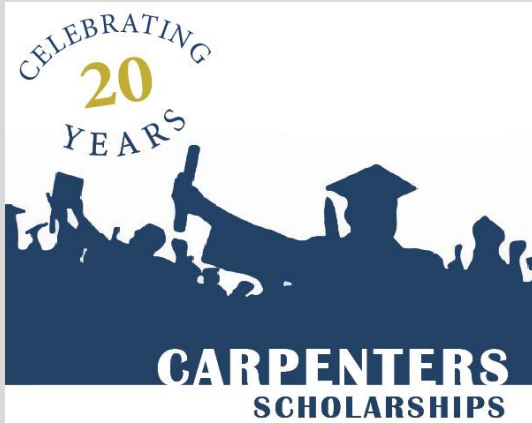
332-7188 ext.5250 to reserve
your spot.

most fun traditions.

[GET DETAILS HERE](#)

**Benefiting the CRC Scholarship
Fund**

[ENTRY FORM HERE](#)



SCHOLARSHIPS

It's that time of year again.

Applications for the annual CRC Carpenters Scholarships are available now (deadline is Jan 18.). This marks the 20th year that we've been helping students further their education.

It's only possible due to the numerous fundraising events the council hosts to benefit the scholarship fund, so **please keep supporting these essential fundraisers.**

[Download applications here.](#)

Cutlery Fair

Jan. 26 & 27
Carpenters Hall
1401 Hampton
St. Louis, MO 63139

If you need a knife for home, work or recreation
this is the place to be!

[GET DETAILS](#)



COUNCIL CALENDAR

Council Events

Local Meetings

Jan. 14
Local 636

Jan. 15
Locals 97, 662

Jan.16
Locals 32, 92, 315, 1839

Jan. 17
Locals 110, 311, 716

Jan. 18
Local 2298

TRAINING



ICRA

We can't afford to lose. It's that simple. The Carpenters Regional Council has the ability to train its members with a skill no one else has - yet. Our union is leading the way developing new innovative training and techniques that teach our membership how to reduce contamination while working on expansion and renovation projects in busy hospitals and other healthcare facilities. Become a part of the growing healthcare construction boom.

info@carpdc.org.

New **ICRA Best Practices in Health Care - 24 Hour Qualification** classes have been posted to carpdc.org

Please register for these classes by following the instructions for the ICRA classes in your area.



UBC LEADERSHIP

Carpenters leadership training gives our members the communications, coaching and mentoring skills we need to carry our union into the future. Held at the UBC's International Training Center in Las Vegas, these comprehensive courses have already helped thousands of carpenters learn practical on-the-job tips. [Learn more here...](#) and spread the word.

AVAILABLE TRAINING CLASSES

MSHA 10-Hour Annual Refresher
MSHA Part 48B - Surface New "Inexperienced" Miner 24-Hour Training
MSHA Part 48B - Surface 8-Hour Refresher

The above MSHA classes are now available

For a list of all available MSHA courses, dates and times, [visit the schedule on carpdc.](#)

Walk-On Safety Classes St. Louis

[January schedule](#)

To register for these classes, please call 314.644.4802, ext. 4

OSHA 30 Construction Class

7:00 AM to 3:30 PM

Sat 1/12/19; Sat 2/9/19; Sat 3/9/19; Sat 4/13/19

Location & Directions:

St. Louis Carpenters Training Center

8300 Valcour Ave St. Louis, MO 63123

Park in the rear parking lot and enter through Door #10

CRC Safety Classroom

OSHA requires at least three participants for this class to run. To register, please call (314) 644-4802 ext. 4

OSHA Silica Awareness Course

The purpose of this course is to educate carpenters on OSHA's Crystalline Silica Standard and to provide an understanding of proper ways to limit exposure.

[Registration form](#)

Kansas City Builders Association
[January thru June 2019 Safety Class Schedule](#)

Skilled Trades Associate of Applied Science Degree
Check out the [Completion Guide](#)

Southeast Missouri CJAP Training
[Upcoming training course schedule](#)

AGC MO Safety Course Schedule
[Upcoming AGC course schedule](#)

Local 32 Safety Training
[Local 32's safety training course schedule](#)

Welding Shop Hours
[New Shop Hours](#)

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