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NEWS

Carpenters' Health Plan Dependent Audit Reminder

With the deadline of May 23 quickly approaching, members with dependents covered under the Plan (who are not covered under Medicare) have just one week to submit proof of dependent relationship to Secova.

Visit carpdc for more information

For secure upload of your dependent proofs, visit Secova’s Verification Station

Standing Up to Tax Fraud

Check out this highlight video of the UBC Tax Fraud Days of Action, held earlier this year, April 13-15.

Regional councils around the U.S. and Canada are working to end construction industry tax fraud, which robs the government of $2.6 billion in lost tax revenue each year.

EST Al Bond wrote a powerful op-ed to bring awareness to the issue, which you can read here.

Delta Blues

Delta airlines has unleashed a flood of backlash over a shockingly insulting anti-union
marketing campaign. In its latest attempt to squash any signs of organizing, the air carrier urges employees to spend their money on video games instead of union dues. The notably tone-deaf move has stunned even veteran union advocates.

**Staying Alive**

Victories may have been won but make no mistake that "Right to Work" still presents a major threat to working Americans. Check out the latest UBC video on how we're keeping the fight alive...and please share!
COMING ALONG: Great weather has brought fast progress on our new Carpenters Wellness Center in St. Louis. Union leadership has announced that doors will open in July and that plans are already underway for another wellness center in Kansas City.

A LITTLE HELP: Joseph Hart of Troy, Missouri poses with a wooden teepee he helped build for some kids living in a Lombardo Homes community under construction. The kids had lost their makeshift fort when work crews unknowingly plowed over it.
NATIONAL STAND-DOWN FOR SAFETY WEEK: The Stand-Down was conceived by OSHA in 2014 as part of the National Falls Campaign to raise awareness surrounding the severity of fall hazards in construction and the importance of preventing them. Many contractors held events, and pictured above is the event put on by McCarthy at the St. Louis Aquarium.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Carpenters Annual Golf Tournament

Sept. 7, 2019
St. Louis Forest Park

$100/per person $400/per team
First come, first serve.
Entry form here
CARPAC Clay Shoot

JUNE 8, 2019
Sparta World Shooting Complex
$365 for 5-Person Team

Entry Deadline: May 24
Shane Huwer (618) 277-4226
View flyer here

St. Louis CJAP Now Hiring Bilingual Spanish/English Instructor

The St. Louis Training School is currently seeking a bilingual Spanish/English speaking carpenter to work as a part-time instructor. Please share this opportunity with any qualified members who may have interest in building their career in carpentry in the classroom.

More information

Help Wanted

Looking for a career with a stable and growing company? Join Overhead Door Company of St. Louis, a progressive company with over 90 years of experience providing top-notch customer service and training for the best installers in the industry. For more information please call 800-507-0023.

Overhead Door Company of St. Louis, a DH Pace Company, is currently looking for Residential Door Installers. More Info Here

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.

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

Summer Discounts

It’s that time of year again!
Log on to carpdc.org (under the Member Discounts page) and download your cost-saving coupons to fun summer attractions, including Six Flags and Silver Dollar City.
Volunteers Still Needed for Girls Workshop Day

Tradeswomen needed **Sat. May 18** to help girls learn tools and build. **Arrive at 7am with tools, PPE and whites.** Class starts at 8am. Contact Lynda Mueller-Drendel to register at ldrendel@cjtf.org or 314.210.1089.

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Calling All Carpenters Cardinals' Fans!

The St. Louis Cardinals **2019 Carpenters Day at the Ballpark** is on the calendar! Tickets are now available online - get them early and get the best seats possible for our group!

**Game Day:** Labor Day, Monday, September 2, 1:15 pm

$30 ticket cost includes 2 hours of unlimited buffet, Coke products and, for those over 21, Budweiser and Bud Light beer service.

Login to Member Discounts on carpdc.org to get the specifics and take advantage of this fantastic deal!

*Note: Kansas City, we’re working on the best Royals’ game day offer for you as well. We appreciate your patience!*

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**COUNCIL CALENDAR**

**Council Events**

**Local Meetings**

**May 20**
Local 918

**May 21**
Locals 97, 662

**May 22**
Local 1795

**May 23**
Local 1310

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**TRAINING**

**UBC LEADERSHIP**
Carpenters leadership training gives our
**ICRA 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](mailto:info@carpdc.org)

New ICRA Best Practices in Health Care - 24 Hour Qualification classes have been posted to [carpdc.org](http://carpdc.org).

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

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**AVAILABLE TRAINING CLASSES**

On May 1, 2017 the new Safety Training Requirement changes went into effect. On May 1, 2019 we will enter the third year since the changes. This is a reminder to check your “Safety Training” “Met Through Date” on your carpdc.org account.

If you have not taken any Safety or Technical training since May 1, 2017, as of May 1, 2020 you will “Not Have Met” your training requirement per the guidelines of our collective bargaining agreement. Please refer to the “Around the CRC” weekly update and our “carpdc.org” website for training class schedules and locations.

Thank you for maintaining your Safety Training Requirement and continuing to be the most productive, highest quality and safest workers in the construction industry.

**Walk-On Safety Classes St. Louis**

May 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. 5/11/19; Sat. 6/8/19; Sat. 7/13/19; Sat. 8/10/19

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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