Sheet Metal Workers Local 25 Retirees Newsletter

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January 4, 2023,

Dear Fellow Retirees.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

The next Retirees' luncheon will be held on January 18, 2023 at Costas Restaurant, 120 Chestnut Street Roselle Park, NJ 07740. Price per person is \$25.00.

Our November luncheon had 52 members in attendance! The Retirees Club has a 30 person minimum guarantee with Costas.

Danny Parent was the November \$100 member of the month winner. Robert Weidenbacher was the December \$100 member of the month winner.

The United Health Care luncheon had 134 retired members, spouses and widows in attendance. Joe Demark and Karleen O'Neil gave an overview of how the plan will affect the retirees and spouses. The group asked many good questions. The main reason for moving to a new provider is the rising cost of the popular SMW+ plan. The new United Health Care plan's cost to members is guaranteed for the next 3 years with an option for the fourth year.

The Retirees Club donated to Local 25's first annual toy drive held in early December. The toy drive benefits sick hospitalized children.

Business Manager Joe Demark makes every attempt to attend our luncheons. Retirees who have questions about funds or union affairs are urged to attend the luncheons for answers to their questions.

Financial Secretary W.Frank LeGates will begin to collect dues for club members as of January 1, 2023. Checks for \$25 should be made payable to Local #25 Retirees Club. Only those who pay annually are retiree club members and are eligible to win the member of the month \$100. Please send payment to: W.Frank LeGates at 8204 Sanctuary Blvd. Riverdale, NJ 07457. Kindly include an updated phone number and email address.

Congratulations are extended to our newest retirees: Sister Dianne Thompson and Brother Marc Borelli. We hope to see them at our future luncheons.

Lenora Brooks takes photos of our luncheons and posts the pictures on Local 25's website, Retirees section.

Sadly, I regret to announce the passing of retired Brother John Omullan. He was a nice guy and everyone enjoyed working with him.

Respectfully, Don Sullivan Jr. President

Cc: Demark, Brooks, Hoffmann, Melahn, Conte, Pasquinucci, Angela Muriale

2023 RETIREES LUNCHEON SCHEDULE

JANUARY 18					
MARCH 15					
MAY 17					
JULY 19					
SEPTEMBER 20					
NOVEMBER 15					
ALL LUNCHEONS ARE AT 12:00 NOON @ COSTAS RESTAURANT 120 CHESTNUT STREET ROSELLE PARK, NJ					
Dues payment slip					
Member Telephone number and email					