

## Return Service Requested

*"Without unions, workers will lose many of the protections against abusive employers. Wages for all will be depressed, even as corporate profits soar. The American Dream will be destroyed for millions. And we will have a government of the corporations, by the already powerful, for the wealthy."*

**KEN BERNSTEIN**

### **July 1st—July 7th**

The Remembering Our Fallen wall will be coming to Ottumwa in honor of all who have sacrificed their lives in the War On Terror. The wall will be displayed at the Quincy Place Mall. The cost to bring this wall to Ottumwa is \$5000. The Ottumwa Area Chamber of Commerce has an account to help fund this cause. Anyone who would like to donate to help this endeavor can do so by contacting the Executive Director, Connie Hammersley-Wilson at 641-814-5901, [conniewilson@ottumwaiowa.com](mailto:conniewilson@ottumwaiowa.com) or stop by 217 E. Main St. in Ottumwa.

# 2018 America's Run For The Fallen



Local 74 would like to recognize the 10th anniversary of Run For The Fallen  
**April 7 - August 5, 2018**

One of the most Comprehensive Fallen Military Tributes ever Compiled.  
Blazing A Tribute Trail Across Our Nation Spanning 6,000 miles, over 19 States in  
5 Months. Individually Recognizing nearly 20,000 Fallen Service Members  
since the USS Cole.

Starting at Ft. Irwin, CA and ending at the Arlington National Cemetery, VA.  
Runners will be running from 36 to 72 miles per day. The Iowa Route of  
America's Run for the Fallen will take place over 7 days from June 8th to June  
14th. Entering Ottumwa on June 13th and leaving the 14th after staying at  
Ottumwa 883rd National Guard Armory.

If you are interested in running or volunteering for the 2018 Run For The Fallen,  
please sign up online at <http://runforthefallen.org/volunteer/> Runners will be  
provided a performance t-shirt, meals, snacks, drinks and lodging. Runners will  
also be transported back to their vehicle at the end of each run day.

For more information visit <http://runforthefallen.org>

### **Are You Moving?**

If you are moving, or have moved, please remember to submit a change of address form at the Union Hall.  
You can do so by going to the Union Hall at 205 N. James St. in Ottumwa, call the Hall at 641-682-0897, or  
send an e-mail to me at [pdurbin@uawlocal74.com](mailto:pdurbin@uawlocal74.com)

# UNION REPORTER

## The Executive Board

President Chris Laursen  
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Committeeman 2 Matt Pickrell  
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Financial Secretary Angie Hobbs  
Trustee's Jeremey Barker  
Jason Ewing  
Tim Pickrell  
Sgt. at Arms Abe Elam  
Guide Mike Shaw  
Retiree Chairman Stephen Tews

## Dates and Times

### Plan to attend!

**Steward Council**  
1st Thursday of each month - 1:00 & 3:45 p.m.  
**Retiree Executive Board**  
2nd Monday of each month - 11:00 a.m.  
**Retiree Co-op Dinner**  
2nd Monday of each month - 11:45 a.m.  
**Local 74 Pension Board**  
2nd Friday of each month - 3:30 p.m.  
**Executive Board**  
1 day prior to the Membership Meeting - 3:45 p.m.  
**Membership Meeting**  
3rd Wednesday of each month  
7:15 a.m., 1:00 p.m., 3:45 p.m. & 5:45 p.m.  
**Women's Committee**  
2nd Monday of each month - 5:45 pm  
**Labor Action Committee**  
3rd Monday of each month - 6:00 pm

## UAW Local 74



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## **Congratulations**

### Constitutional Convention Delegates

Abe Elam and Jason Ewing

Please feel free to approach your Delegates if you have questions or concerns that you would like to have addressed at the Constitutional Convention

### Local 74/JDOW CI Reps

George O ' Bryant and Dan Sheldon

Union Hall 641-682-0897  
Deere Direct 1-888-432-3373  
Deere Direct Retired 1-800-213-3373  
United Healthcare 1-888-533-3731  
United Healthcare Vision 1-800-638-3120  
United Healthcare Dental 1-800-996-7518  
Optum Rx Prescription Drugs 1-800-797-9794  
Mental Health/Substance Abuse 1-888-533-7311  
Fidelity Investments 401k 1-800-354-3427  
Hyatt Legal Services 1-800-821-6400  
John Deere Pension Benefits 1-844-689-7833

Thank you to the Recreation Committee for another successful Easter Egg Hunt with over 90 kids participating. Also, a BIG THANK YOU to Danny Shaver, Robert Seaman, Scott and Angie Hobbs and Jeremey Barker for their donations of the bikes used for prizes.

## Notice To Members

Our Local 74 Union Hall will be available to rent to all members effective immediately.

First come first serve basis.

\$50 down for use of the Union Hall and \$50 down for the use of the kitchen. Both are refundable.

Smoking and alcohol are **NOT** permitted.

Parking is now available in the Finders Keepers back parking lot on days of our local membership meetings. Every third Wednesday of each month.

We are looking for members that would be interested in joining the following committee's:

- Constitution and Bylaws
- Union Label
- Education
- Civil and Human Rights
- Citizenship and Legislative (also known as CAP)
- Consumer Affairs

Please contact the union hall if interested at 641-682-0897

Brothers and Sisters, UAW Local 74 is also looking to start a Local Memorandum Committee. We are asking for volunteer's who want to draft Memorandums for possible ratification, that are specific to JDOW and Local 74. Please call the Hall and have your name added to the list. We will be taking names until May 14th, 2018.

In Solidarity,  
Toby Munley  
Shop Chairman