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*“Strong, responsible unions are essential to industrial fair play. Without them the labor bargain is wholly one-sided. The parties to the labor contract must be nearly equal in strength if justice is to be worked out, and this means that the workers must be organized and that their organizations must be recognized by employers as a condition precedent to industrial peace.”—Supreme Court Justice Louis Brandeis*

## Newsletter Cost Savings

Currently there are 3 ways to view the newsletter one being traditional paper form through the mail. You can also view the newsletter on the Local 74 website at [uawlocal74.com](http://uawlocal74.com) or receive it via email.

Due to looking at cost savings for the Union Hall we are looking at reducing the costs for printing and mailing of the Local Newsletter.

If you would like to continue receiving the UAW Local 74 newsletter by US mail or would prefer to receive it by email, please fill out the form below and mail it to the Union Hall or send an email with your name and address to the editor at [pdurbin@uawlocal74.com](mailto:pdurbin@uawlocal74.com) stating whether you would prefer email or US mail.

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I would like to thank all that have responded to the Newsletter Cost Savings article. We have had a great response through the US Mail and Email. I will be leaving it in the Newsletter until August and in the meantime I will be making a new list of members who would still like to continue receiving the Newsletter through US Mail. I have also started a list of those who would prefer to receive it by Email which you should be seeing beginning this month. Again, Thank You for all of your responses, Paul Durbin

### Heartland Human Society

On **Saturday June 15th at 10am** a representative of the Heartland Humane Society will be at the Union Hall to discuss their services and needs. They will also be taking donations while they are here.

#### Most needed donation items are:

Dry or Canned Cat Food and Dog Food, 13 and 39 Gallon Trash Bags, Clorox Bleach, Scotch Brite Scrub Pads, Dawn Dish Soap, Disinfectant Wipes, Paper Towels, Dog Leash and Collars, Toilet Paper And News Papers, Towels, Blankets and Throw Rugs, Zip Top Storage Bags, Cat and Dog Toys.

**Donations can be dropped off at the hall anytime before this event.**

# UNION REPORTER

## The Executive Board

President Chris Laursen  
Vice President Danny Shaver  
Shop Chairman Toby Munley  
Committeeman 1 Billy Weinhold  
Committeeman 2 Matt Pickrell  
Committeeman 3 Ron Hall  
Recording Sec. Ron Hall  
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

Thou Shalt Not  
**Scab**

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## June 12th International Ag-Imp Reps.

Please wear your Union T-Shirts throughout the factory this day. There will be a group of Union Officials walking through talking to members and seeing the quality products that are built in JDOW

Union Hall 641-682-0897  
John Deere Benefits Center 1-844-689-7833  
UPoint [www.yourbenefitsresources.com/deere](http://www.yourbenefitsresources.com/deere)  
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

## UAW Local 74 Annual Picnic

July 20th From 1-9pm

At The Beach Ottumwa and Sycamore park by the Beach

This year we will be having a Cruisin Car, Bike and Tractor Show. If you would like to show off your prized possession, please bring it when you come in and get a number.

The kids will enjoy getting there face painted also starting at 1pm.

Bags Tournament will start at 1pm.

Please call or come to the hall to sign up your team by July 17th.

Have your team name, each players name and a contact numbers.

Players must be a local member, retiree or immediate family member.

Pizza Ranch will be serving lunch at 4pm

The Beach will be available to members, retirees and families at 5pm

This event is for All Local 74 Members, Retirees and Their Families Only.

Hope to see you there!!!



## Nonperishable Food Items Collection

The current UAW/JDOW Contract is up October 1st of 2021 and it is never too early to get prepared. We all know that the Company will stock pile machinery so it would only be smart for us to stock pile on food and other nonperishable items. The Community Service Committee is starting a food bank and would like to challenge all to bring nonperishable items to your Membership meetings. With that being said we are also making arrangements for an International Representative to provide a Strike Preparation Class for all members and we will have more details on that at a later date.