

Local -700 Picket Captain & Picket Line Assignments 2013



Line Times	Sun.	Mon.	Tues.	Wed.	Thurs.	Fri.	Sat.
1 AM TO 5 AM <small>25</small>	Bill Dickey Chris Hubert	Pete Jones Jerry Marcil	James Haef James Silva	Scott Czarnotta Mike Shermer	Randy Russell Elim Pintado	Pat Duffy Christopher Keller	Wayne Anthony Raymond Laforest
	Tet-Tos	Tou-Vanv	Vau-Wag	Wal-Wat	Wei-Winte	Winth-Wri	Wro-Zuk
5 AM TO 9 AM <small>50</small>	Frank Checko Gene Stanhope Jr.	Irie Fordham Randy Russell	Bill Otfinoski Cyrlo Pelletier	Don Boucher Christy Checkas	Bob Brzozowski Anthony Hull	Mike Lucht Chuck O'Neal	Bill Yeske Dave Bradbury
	Aba-Bai	Bak-Bir	Bis-Buc	Bun-Castl	Casto-Collin	Collins-Czyz	Dai-Dos
9 AM TO 1 PM <small>25</small>	Pat Craig Doug S. Campbell	Cindy Cook Ivan Alonzo	Bob Manley David Hull	Rob Badin Edwin Nelson	Donell Wright Heather Merrick	Mark Silkey Mark Harrison	Steve Bartolotta Judy Speakman
	Dou-Duri	Dwy-Fai	Fam-Form	Forr-Gant	Garb-Gion	Girga-Gran	Grav-Hamm
1 PM TO 5 PM <small>25</small>	Kevin Orcutt Mike Wilbur	Rich Lenzi Keith Kleinschmidt	Robert Levierge Jan Kubrynski	Bill Yeske Mike Pesane	George Gommes Mark McWilliams	Carl Peterson Gregory Vanvalkeyburg	Fred Telke Herman Backiel
	Han-High	Hil-Hul	Hum-John	Jon-Keef	Keen-Kob	Kog-Lad	Laf-Lent
5 PM TO 9 PM <small>50</small>	Steve Baronowski Terry Edberg	Paul Tenan Rudolph Vogel	Gilbert Rodriguez Christopher Wodnicki	Julian Ellis Austin Dan Grote	John Bair Joe Gallagher	Rich Beebe Scott Chambers	Victor Fuentes Ron Frost
	Lenz-Mara	Marc-Mcin	Mcl-Mors	Mort-Oco	Odo-Pelle	Pello-Poir	Pop-Robil
9 PM TO 1 AM <small>25</small>	Ron Achille John Cerrone	Harry Mott Tom Spencer	Shawn Moua Sam Martinez	Robert Czaplicki Ed Pierpont	James Batchelder Frank Barbieri	Allan Aliff Tony Perez	Paul Abel Mike Fortin
	Robin-Rup	Rus-Savi	Savl-Sham	She-Sir	Sko-St Pierre	Sta-Stro	Stry-Ted

Due to some departments having only one or two members or departments with very large numbers we have had to go by the last names for picket assignments to ensure the lines are manned by enough members on all shifts.

This is how the breakdown works:

Where your last name falls within the letters under the *picket captains* names indicates your picket duty assignments (**Baronowski** 5AM-9AM Monday) (**Dickes** 5AM-9AM Saturday).

Other arrangements can be made on a case by case basis for members with medical or family issues. Please stop down the Union Hall before the start of your regularly scheduled picket time to discuss this with an officer of the local.

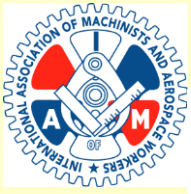
All Picket Captains: If a strike vote is approved, and we are on strike please come to the Union Hall for a short briefing on your duties at 7:00pm on December 8th.

If we go out on strike the picket line will go up at 12:01AM on December 9th.

Thank You From Your Friendly Neighborhood Strike Preparation Committee.

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On Tuesday, company negotiators rejected the union's proposal to provide members with no cost health care; stating that doing so does not address the issue of spiraling health care costs. Company negotiator Terry Nolan told union negotiators that the escalating costs of health care is not the company's fault or the unions fault and until the government does something to correct the problem it is something the parties have to deal with.

Union chief negotiator Mike Stone pointed out, *health care costs for the company are decreasing as the population decreases. With less than 10% of the 1980 bargaining unit the company is no longer providing health care to those employees and their families.* Referring to an earlier comment by Nolan that they had calculated the cost of the union's health and safety proposal on the back of an envelope, Stone asked the company to go back and calculate the savings the company enjoys by not providing health care to all of those families and bring that number back to the table. What's interesting, brothers and sisters, is that the company's unacceptable proposal to eliminate 252 bargaining unit jobs would save the company even more on health care if "anywhere but Connecticut" is their final job security offer.

Union negotiators rejected all of the company's language changes that eliminate our brothers and sisters jobs by turning them over to yellow badge subcontractors. Union negotiators told the company, "*We are not interested in any language changes that eliminate jobs from the bargaining unit. Our members made it clear to this committee that job security is their top priority and improved health care also heads the list.*"

Stone also chastised the company over their inability to control managers who subcontract work in violation of the current language in Letter 22. Stone told the company that management plays a shell game with work and the union is not interested in playing that game. Just because a manager on the shop floor sneaks work out without the Union's knowledge and refuses to include it on a disclosure list at a meeting with the Local Lodge leadership does not make it any less of a violation of Letter 22. **Our members are looking for real job security and if the company cannot enforce what management on the shop floor is doing then the process is broken and it is time for it to be repaired. Our members will not sit back and watch management disregard the language for another 3years.**

The company and the union could not be further apart on these two issues that are the most important to our members. As we enter the final week, management needs to understand that ignoring our members' demands for job security and improved health care is sending these talks in a dangerous direction. Union negotiators told the company. "Do not under estimate the resolve of this committee and our members on these issues." If the company wants to roll the dice with these issues when their last best and final offer hits the table they are making a big mistake. The United States Air Force is very interested in these talks and has contacted the union several times for updates and if they are talking to the union you know they are talking to the company.

We will continue to do everything in our power to negotiate a contract that can be recommended on December 8th. However, if management continues to ignore the demands of union members a recommendation to accept won't be there and the membership will be forced to make a tough decision. It is clear that the membership understands that Pratt's lust for greed will not end if they succeed in eliminating our materials jobs, it will only embolden them to focus on another group for future attacks.

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TURN UP THE HEAT!