

PAINTERS AND ALLIED TRADES REPORTS



DISTRICT COUNCIL 6

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STRONGSVILLE — Brothers and Sisters, the term “market share” has been a meeting night buzzword ever since labor unions have been around.

If you have ever attended a national convention, regional conference or a Local Union meeting, chances are you have heard a discussion about market share.

This number is the approximate percentage of a particular type of work being performed by union members, in a particular geographical space.

In our multi-trade Council, the market share varies a lot according to the craft and whether the work is commercial, industrial or residential.

It would be impossible to detail the exact market share for each trade in this article, but in all cases the answer is, “it could be higher.”

There are plenty of shops out there doing good work and paying a decent wage that could benefit from signing an IUPAT contract.

The highest percentage of market share for our trades is commercial glazing. It is highest in urban centers, were most of the glass is installed.

Our lowest market share is residential painting and drywall finishing. Many of our skilled tradesmen came to the union family through these avenues.

What we are finding is that when some people join the IUPAT and take an oath to uphold its values, the new structure under which they are now working is not completely clear to them.

We have started a new member

orientation class, which will be held on the first Saturday of each month, and I hope this will help.

Part of the oath is to abide by (the IUPAT’s) laws, both general and Local, which includes the entire IUPAT Constitution.

Section 110 clearly states: No member shall perform work performed by signatory employers, either as a subcontractor, independent contractor or as an employer, without becoming a party to the collective bargaining agreement.

This refers to “side work.”

When a union member performs work outside the collective bargaining agreement, he or she is undermining everything we do together as a union. If we are to increase the union market share for our trades, subcontracting, piece work, and “side job” working, these arrangements must be stopped.

The organizing and servicing staff of DC 6 attempts to grow the union market share on all fronts. They use top-down organizing tactics with shop owners and they monitor what projects the non-union contractors are doing.

The resources available for help in this cause continue to multiply, with the IUPAT and ACT Ohio being among them.

We will continue to pursue illegal subcontracting work until it stops.

Please help grow our market share, and further live up to the oath we have all taken by calling 440-239-4575 if you become aware of any situation that undermines our union family.

DC 6 JOB FAIR

The month of March will be our Potential Member Showcase month. We will host five more job fairs/hiring

events at the following five DC 6 locations:

- March 1 in Youngstown.
- March 8 in Cincinnati.
- March 15 in Toledo.
- March 22 in Columbus.
- March 29 in Strongsville.

It is time to get some young blood back among our ranks, so please try to attend one of these events and bring with you someone with a bright future ahead, possibly in one of our skilled trades.

SPECIAL CALLED MEETINGS



Members are encouraged to mark their calendars and try to attend the following Special Called Meetings regarding the General Convention and election of Local Union officers.

In April, there will be a Special Called Meeting for nominations for the General Convention.

There will be a Special Called meeting in May for the purpose of elections for General Convention delegates and nominations for Local Union officers.

In June, there will be a Special Called Meeting to elect Local Union officers.

ANNUAL DAY OF ACTION



The IUPAT National Day of Action is set for April 20.

Every District Council throughout the IUPAT will take this day to help our communities.

Please join us and volunteer to give a day to help three communities within DC 6.

As we have done the last few years, our theme will be to work on substance addiction centers in Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati.

Please contact a Business Representative from your area to get details on the events.

DC 6 BUSINESS REP/ ORGANIZER

For the last three months, we have taken resumes to be a DC 6 Business Representative/Organizer for the jurisdictions that cover Cleveland, Toledo, Akron and Local 476 in Youngstown.

The deadline to apply for the position was Jan. 31 and over the next

few weeks, the DC 6 Directors and I will be conducting interviews for these positions.

FUTURE EVENT



The DC 6 Delegates asked me to get information on a possible DC 6 family event at Cedar Point.

As of this article I have not yet given the information to the delegates, but if they approve the event, we will have information out to the members ASAP.

MEETING VISITS



During the month of February, the Directors of DC 6 and I attended the following meetings:

- Painters and Drywall Finishers Local 123 in Cincinnati, on Feb. 1 at 6 p.m.
- Glaziers Local 1162 in Akron on Feb. 13, at 5:30 p.m.

During the month of March, the Directors of DC 6 and I will attend the following meetings:

- Glaziers Local 372 in Columbus on March 18, at 5 p.m.
- Glaziers Local 181 in Strongsville on March 20, at 5:30 p.m.

During the month of April, the Directors of DC 6 and I will attend the following meetings:

- Painter and Drywall Finishers Local 1020 in Lima on April 2, at 7:30 p.m.
- Painters and Drywall Finishers Local 841 in Akron on April 17, at 6 p.m.

During the month of May, the Directors of DC 6 and I will attend the following meetings:

- Painters and Drywall Finishers Local 238 in Covington, Ky. on May 9, at 5:30 p.m.
- Painters and Drywall Finishers Local 555 in Portsmouth on May 14, at 7:30 p.m.

IN CLOSING

I look forward to seeing many of you at one of the Potential Member Showcase events in the month of March.

Let us grow this union together, and ensure the next generation earns a living wage!

Please work safe.

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The IUPAT wants to offer each member and their children the opportunity to advance their reading comprehension skills with MindPlay.



MindPlay is a streamlined solution to assesses PHONEMIC AWARENESS, PHONICS, COMPREHENSION, FLUENCY and VOCABULARY through a systematic screening process that is tailored to each student’s needs. Through this screening process MindPlay automatically assesses each student’s current reading level then establishes the appropriate MindPlay curriculum to support targeted growth. MindPlay is designed for 2nd-12th grade as well as adults with diverse reading skills and instructional needs.

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If you are interested in learning more about how this free union benefit can help you or your child please contact
Director of Training, George Boots at
440-239-4575 or georgeb@iupat-dc6.org.

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JOURNEY PERSON UPGRADE FEBRUARY - MAY 2019

Location	Starting Date	Ending Date	Day of Week	Total Hours	No. of Days	Time of Class	Class Prerequisite
APPRENTICE ORIENTATION							
CINCINNATI	02/05/2019	02/05/2019	T	4	1	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
TOLEDO	02/07/2019	02/07/2019	Th	4	1	7:30 AM TO 11:30 AM	
STRONGSVILLE	02/07/2019	02/07/2019	Th	4	1	7:30 AM TO 11:30 AM	
COLUMBUS	03/05/2019	03/05/2019	M	4	1	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	DATE CHANGE
ASBESTOS AWARENESS							
**AKRON	05/21/2019	05/21/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
BLUE PRINTS BASICS							
**COLUMBUS	04/30/2019	04/30/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
BOOM & SCISSOR LIFT							
**STRONGSVILLE	04/11/2019	04/11/2019	TH	8	1	4:30 PM TO 9:30 PM	
**COLUMBUS	05/18/2019	05/18/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	
BOOM & SCISSOR LIFT REFRESHER							
CINCINNATI	02/19/2019	02/19/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**AKRON	03/12/2019	03/12/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**CINCINNATI	03/12/2019	03/12/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**COLUMBUS	03/26/2019	03/26/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**STRONGSVILLE	03/28/2019	03/28/2019	TH	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**TOLEDO	05/22/2019	05/22/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
CAS - COATINGS APPLICATION SPECIALIST INTERIM CERTIFICATION PROGRAM							
ADVANCED REGISTRATION DUE BY 12/21/2018 - CONTACT THE TRAINING OFFICE FOR MORE INFORMATION							
APPLICATION DEADLINE	12/21/2018	12/21/2018		—	—	NOON	Completed applications (Initial & Full Status and CAS Interim Status Renewal) CONTACT THRASO IMMEDIATELY for REGISTRATION
Class Review Day	02/22/2019	02/22/2019	F	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	SSPC Review (Day 1: Fri)
Written Exam & Blast/Spray Exam	02/25/2019	02/25/2019	M	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	Written Exam (1/2 Day: Mon AM)
Blast/Spray Exam-Cont.	02/25/2019	03/01/2019	TWThF	2	4	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	Blast & Spray Hands-on Assessment (2 hour block-assigned)
CONFINED SPACE AWARENESS							
STRONGSVILLE	02/20/2019	02/20/2019	W	4	1/2	7:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	NA
**CINCINNATI	04/30/2019	04/30/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
CRANE RIGGING & SIGNALING							
**COLUMBUS	05/21/2019	05/21/2019	TTH	16	4	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	5/21, 23, 28, 30/19
CRYSTALLINE SILICA AWARENESS							
**AKRON	04/16/2019	04/16/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
CURTAINWALL & STORE FRONT PREPARATION							
**AKRON	04/30/2019	04/30/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA

FALL PROTECTION AWARENESS							
STRONGSVILLE	02/18/2019	02/18/2019	M	4	1/2	7:00 AM TO 11:00 AM	NA
COLUMBUS	02/19/2019	02/19/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**CINCINNATI	03/05/2019	03/05/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**AKRON	04/23/2019	04/23/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
FIRST AID/CPR-AED (ADULT) - AMERICAN HEART							
YOUNGSTOWN	02/04/2019	02/04/2019	M	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
STRONGSVILLE	02/13/2019	02/13/2019	W	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
STRONGSVILLE	02/18/2019	02/18/2019	M	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**YOUNGSTOWN	03/12/2019	03/12/2019	T	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	03/23/2019	03/23/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	04/06/2019	04/06/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**YOUNGSTOWN	04/16/2019	04/16/2019	T	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
TOLEDO	05/11/2019	05/11/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
HAZWOPER REFRESHER							
STRONGSVILLE	02/06/2019	02/06/2019	W	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
INDUSTRIAL FORKLIFT REFRESHER							
**AKRON	03/19/2019	03/19/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**CINCINNATI	03/19/2019	03/19/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**COLUMBUS	03/28/2019	03/28/2019	TH	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**YOUNGSTOWN	04/23/2019	04/23/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
**TOLEDO	05/29/2019	05/29/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	
INFECTIOUS CONTROL RISK ASSESSMENT (ICRA) Construction Trades Best Practices Awareness Training							
YOUNGSTOWN	02/12/2019	02/12/2019	T	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	02/07/2019	02/07/2019	TH	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	02/28/2019	02/28/2019	TH	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	03/21/2019	03/21/2019	TH	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	03/30/2019	03/30/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	04/20/2019	04/20/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	04/25/2019	04/25/2019	TH	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	NA
**TOLEDO	05/15/2019	05/15/2019	W	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
INDUSTRIAL REFRESHER (MED EVAL, FIT TEST, OSHA REVIEW, SAP)							
YOUNGSTOWN	02/05/2019	02/05/2019	T	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
STRONGSVILLE	02/08/2019	02/08/2019	F	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
STRONGSVILLE	03/28/2019	03/28/2019	TH	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
LEAD REFRESHER							
YOUNGSTOWN	02/04/2019	02/04/2019	M	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
STRONGSVILLE	02/07/2019	02/07/2019	TH	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
**STRONGSVILLE	02/23/2019	02/23/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	
**COLUMBUS	03/12/2019	03/12/2019	T	8	1	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM	
STRONGSVILLE	03/29/2019	03/29/2019	F	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	
LEAD & RESPIRATOR REFRESHER							
PORTSMOUTH	02/16/2019	02/16/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	
LIMA	02/23/2019	02/23/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	

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OPEN COMPUTER LAB

**COLUMBUS	04/08/2019	04/08/2019	M	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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OSHA 30

STRONGSVILLE	2/2/19	5/4/19	S	30	4	7:30 AM TO 4:30 PM	2/2; 3/2; 4/6; 5/4/2019
COLUMBUS	2/11/19	3/2/19	MTS	30	6	4:30 PM TO 10:30 PM SAT-7:30 AM TO 4:30 PM	2/11-12,16, 25-26; 3/2/2019
YOUNGSTOWN	02/16/2019	03/10/2019	SSu	30	4	7:30 AM TO 4:30 PM	2/16-17; 03/09-10/2019
**YOUNGSTOWN	03/25/2019	03/28/2019		30	4	7:00 AM TO 4:00 PM	3/25-28/19

PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT

**CINCINNATI	04/02/2019	04/02/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**AKRON	05/07/2019	05/07/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA

RESPIRATOR REFRESHER (ONLY)

COLUMBUS	02/02/2019	02/02/2019	S	4	1/2	7:30 AM TO 11:30 AM	NA
DAYTON	02/20/2019	02/20/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	03/13/2019	03/13/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**AKRON	03/26/2019	03/26/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**COLUMBUS	04/10/2019	04/10/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
AKRON	05/14/2019	05/14/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA

RESPIRATOR REFRESHER & S.A.P.

STRONGSVILLE	02/12/2019	02/12/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	03/13/2019	03/13/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**STRONGSVILLE	04/17/2019	04/17/2019	W	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA

SCAFFOLD AWARENESS

**CINCINNATI	04/16/2019	04/16/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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SEALANTS

**CINCINNATI	03/26/2019	03/26/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
**AKRON	04/02/2019	04/02/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA

SWINGSTAGE AWARENESS

**CINCINNATI	04/23/2019	04/23/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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TRANSITS

**AKRON	04/13/2019	04/13/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA
**CINCINNATI	04/13/2019	04/13/2019	S	8	1	7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	NA

QUALITY CONTROL INITIAL (QC)

STRONGSVILLE	03/07/2019	03/08/2019	ThF	16	2	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	NA
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QC REFRESHER

STRONGSVILLE	03/07/2019	03/07/2019	Th	8	1	7:00 AM TO 3:30 PM	NA
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VENTATION PLASTER

COLUMBUS	02/12/2019	02/12/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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VINYL WALLCOVERING 1

**COLUMBUS	04/23/2019	04/23/2019	T	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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VINYL WALLCOVERING 2

**COLUMBUS	04/25/2019	04/25/2019	TH	4	1/2	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM	NA
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WELDING 3G

STRONGSVILLE	02/04/2019	02/23/2019	MTS	40	7	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM SAT-7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	2/4, 6, 9, 16, 18, 20, 23/2019
CINCINNATI	02/11/2019	03/02/2019	MTW ThFS	40	9	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM SAT-7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	2/11, 12, 16, 26, 28; 3/1, 2
**COLUMBUS	03/25/2019	04/27/2019	MTW ThS	40	7	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM SAT-7:30 AM TO 4:00 PM	3/25-28, 30; 4/20, 27
**CINCINNATI	05/07/2019	05/23/2019	MTW ThS	40	8	4:30 PM TO 8:30 PM SAT-7:30 AM TO 4:30 PM	5/7, 9, 11, 13, 15, 18, 21, 23/19

Advance registration is required; some courses are based on student / instructor registration or minimum required participation. Dates and times are subject to change without notice. Course which do not meet the registration minimums may be cancelled. Additional courses may be added throughout the training year. Please check the website at www.iupat-dc6.org "Journeyman Upgrades/Calendar" for dates and times. Participants must be a union member in good standing (initiation paid in full and dues paid current to attend).

To schedule:

1. Go to the District Council 6 website at www.iupat-dc6.org; then select the Journeyman Calendar; select the course you want to talk and register.
2. Call the Training office at 440-239-4575 ext 118 or ask for a training instructor or coordinator.

**** NEWLY ADDED COURSE**

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FINISHING TRADES INSTITUTE OF THE OHIO REGION APPRENTICESHIP PROGRAM 2018-2019 CLASS SCHEDULE

APPRENTICE ORIENTATION

*** ALL FIRST year apprentices starting after 11/1/2018 are required to attend the NEXT available orientation or if you have not yet completed the orientation.***

Location	Instructor	Date	Time
CINCINNATI	(ANNEKEN)	TUE, 2/5/2019	4:30 PM to 8:30 PM
STRONGSVILLE	(PAPADOROTHEOU)	SAT, 2/9/2019	7:30 AM to 11:30 AM
TOLEDO	(LISKAI)	SAT, 2/9/2019	7:30 AM to 11:30 AM
COLUMBUS	(BEHANNA)	TUE, 3/5/2019	4:30 PM to 8:30 PM

OSHA 30

*** ALL FIRST year apprentices starting after 11/1/2018 are required to attend the NEXT available OSHA 30 Course or if you have not yet completed your OSHA 30 requirement.***

Location	Date	Time
TOLEDO (6 classes)	SAT-MON-TUE 1/12, 14-15, 26, 28-29/2019	7:30 AM to 11:30 AM (SAT) 4:30 PM to 10:00 PM (MON-TUE)
STRONGSVILLE (4 classes)	SAT, 2/2; 3/2; 4/6; 5/4/2019	7:30 AM to 4:00 PM
COLUMBUS (6 classes)	SAT-MON-TUE 2/11-12,16, 25-26; 3/2/2019	7:30 AM to 11:30 AM (SAT) 4:30 PM to 10:00 PM (MON-TUE)
YOUNGSTOWN (4 classes)	SAT-SUN, 2/16-17; 23-24/2019	7:30 AM to 4:00 PM

ONLINE 16-HOUR ASSIGNMENT

"First Year" Apprentices Assigned the "ONLINE 16-HOUR" class must contact your instructor if you have not received it yet. Must be active union member and initiation paid in full. Report to work Mon & Tues of assigned week AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED of the assigned week.

STRONGSVILLE TRAINING CENTER 8257 DOW CIRCLE W, STRONGSVILLE, OHIO 44136

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
COMMERCIAL					
First (ALL)	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon-Fri)	Report to work Mon 2/25 & Tues 2/26 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 2/27/2019	Feb 27-Mar 1, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 5/13 & Tues 5/14 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 5/15/2019	May 15-17, 2019 (W-Th-F) *DATE CHANGE *
Second			Jan 7-11, 2019		Mar 18-22, 2019
Third			Jan 21-25, 2019		Apr 8-12, 2019
Fourth			Feb 4-8, 2019		Apr 22-26, 2019
TAPER/DRYWALL FINISHER					
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon-Fri)	Report to work Mon 1/14 & Tues 1/15 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/16/2019	Jan 16-18, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 4/1 & Tues 4/2 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 4/3/2019	Apr 3-5, 2019 (W-Th-F)
Second			Dec 3-7, 2018		May 13-17, 2019 *DATE CHANGE *
Third			Dec 17-21, 2018		

INDUSTRIAL

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM (Mon-Fri)				Feb 18-22, 2019
Second			Jan 21-25, 2019		Feb 25-Mar 1, 2019
Third-Fourth (Combined 3-4)					

GLAZIER

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM (Note NEW Class Time)		Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every other Tuesday	Contact the Training Office at 440-239-4575 for date of next schedule class
Second			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every other Wednesday	
Third			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every other Thursday	
Fourth (Group 1)			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every other Monday	
Fourth (Group 2)			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every other Friday	

TOLEDO TRAINING CENTER NOCEC, 4535 HILL AVE, TOLEDO, OH 43615

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
COMMERCIAL / INDUSTRIAL / TAPER-DRYWALL FINISHER					
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Report to work Mon 1/14 & Tues 1/15 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/16/2019	Jan 16-18, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 3/4 & Tues 3/5 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 3/6/2019	Mar 6-8, 2019 (W-Th-F)
Second		Jan 28-Feb 1, 2019 DATE CANCELLED; RESCHEDULED TO ----->>>>>	Mar 4-8, 2019 (M-F) *NEW DATE*		Mar 25-29, 2019 (M-F)
Third & Fourth (Combined 3-4 YR)				Feb 18-22, 2019	Apr 15-19, 2019

GLAZIER

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
First	5:30 PM - 10:30 PM		Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every Monday	Contact Jason Liskai (419-340-7957) for date of next schedule class
Second			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every Wednesday	
Third			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every Wednesday	
Fourth			Jan 2019-Jun 2019	Every Wednesday	

COLUMBUS TRAINING CENTER 8700 MEMORIAL DR, PLAIN CITY, OH 43064

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
COMMERCIAL					
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Report to work Mon 2/11 & Tues 2/12 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/13/2019	Feb 13-15, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 4/8 & Tues 4/9 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 4/10/2019	Apr 10-12, 2019 (W-Th-F)
Second-Third-Fourth (Combined 2-3-4)				Feb 25-Mar 1, 2019	May 6-10, 2019
TAPER/DRYWALL FINISHER					
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Report to work Mon 2/11 & Tues 2/12 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/13/2019	Feb 13-15, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 5/6 & Tues 5/7 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 5/8/2019	May 8-11, 2019 (W-Th-F) *DATE CHANGE*
Second & Third (Combined 2-3)				Feb 11-15, 2019 *DATE CHANGE*	May 6-10, 2019

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GLAZIER					
First	6:00 AM - 4:30 PM (Four 10-hour Days - Unless noted)	Report to work Mon 1/14 & Tues 1/15 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/16/2019	Jan 16-17, 2019 (W-Th)	Report to work Mon 3/25 & Tues 3/26 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 3/27/2019	Mar 27-28, 2019 (W-Th)
Second-Third-Fourth (Combined 2-3-4)			Jan 14-17, 2019		Mar 25-28, 2019

CINCINNATI TRAINING CENTER 200 KOVACH DR, CINCINNATI, OH 45215

Class	Time	Online Assignment	Week 3	Online Assignment	Week 4
COMMERCIAL					
First	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM	Report to work Mon 1/7 & Tues 1/8 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/16/2019	Jan 9-11, 2019 (W-Th-F)	Report to work Mon 4/22 & Tues 4/23 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 4/24/2019	Apr 24-26, 2019 (W-Th-F)
Second			Jan 14-18, 2019		Apr 1-5, 2019
Third & Fourth (Combined 3-4 YR)			Jan 28-Feb 1, 2019		Mar 4-8, 2019

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Second & Third (Combined 2-3 YR)			Jan 7-11, 2019 *** DATE CHANGE ***		Apr 22-26, 2019 *** DATE CHANGE ***

GLAZIER					
First	6:00 AM - 4:30 PM (Four 10-hour Days - Unless noted)	Report to work Mon 2/11 & Tues 2/12 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 1/13/2019	Feb 13-14, 2019 (W-Th)	Report to work Mon 4/8 & Tues 4/9 AND 16-hour ONLINE assignment must be completed BEFORE arriving to class on WED, 4/10/2019	Apr 10-11, 2019 (W-Th)
Second & Third (Combined 2-3 YR)			Feb 25-28, 2019		May 6-9, 2019
Fourth			Feb 11-14, 2019		Apr 8-11, 2019

NOTE: Dates and times of scheduled courses are subject to change if a scheduling conflict arises. Please check the website at www.iupat-dc6.org for the most up-to-date schedule. The Training office will make every effort to notify you in advance. Contact the Union Hall if your phone number or address changes, so you can receive notification. Schedule is also available through the FTIOR facebook page or Twitter.

For a full list of classes, go to the website, www.iupat-dc6.org.

TRAINING REMINDERS



The training schedule is up, so make sure to get your skills certified in your trade.

Remember, all your certifications expire. In order to keep them current, make sure to take a refresher course.

If you are unsure if your certificate is still valid, call **Barb** or **Carly** at 440-239-4575.

If there are classes that you are looking for and do not see, please contact the Training Department.

If you completed an ICRA certification, it is valid for four years, and may be expiring soon.

Look at the schedule and get in the next available class to stay current.

ATTENTION FIRST-YEAR APPRENTICES



Have you completed your online assignment?

It is due before you arrive at class on Wednesday morning. Contact your instructor immediately if you have not received your assignment.

Remember apprentices, it is your obligation to attend all scheduled classes and complete all online classes.

Failure to do so will result in lost time in order to appear for discipline or termination from program.

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATE



The following apprentice has completed all the requirements of the apprenticeship program.

Please welcome and congratulate him to the rank of journeymen: **Tyler Spears** (1275).

If you see him on the jobsite, make sure you congratulate him!

CONTACT US

If you have any questions regarding apprenticeship or journeyman upgrade classes, please contact a trainer in your area.

- **George Boots** (Director of Training), 440-783-2909.
- **Justin Oshel** (Taper Northern Ohio and Toledo), 440-879-6422.

- **Mike Vegh** (Painter Northern Ohio and Toledo), 440-876-3340.
- **Nick Papadorotheou** (Glazier statewide), 440-382-2922.
- **Anthony Anneken** (Painter/Taper Southern Ohio), 513-485-1312.
- **Thraso Thrasivoulou** (Industrial Program), 440-239-4575, ext. 204.

IN CLOSING

Stay warm and work safely!

DISTRICT COUNCIL 6

Gary McPherson,
Director of Governmental Affairs

STRONGSVILLE — Last month I talked about the leadership positions in Columbus and how important they were.

The Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate have control over the Committee assignments and what legislation comes to the floor for a vote.

The minority leadership in both places must be able to work with those leaders and hopefully work together where they can to move good legislation through the process.

I am optimistic that we have that in place in Columbus.

We worked hard to help Larry Householder be elected as Speaker of the House, and we were successful. Congratulations to Larry.

On the Democratic side, they chose a new minority leader, Emilia Sykes. We are also happy with this choice, and we hope these two reasonable and grounded people will work together where they can for the citizens of Ohio.

This is how government is supposed to work, unlike what we see in Washington.

In the Senate, leadership remained the same, as Larry Obhof remains the President of the Senate.

He is a unique individual whose core political philosophy is as a conservative. He also has an uncanny ability to listen to all thoughts and put people in a position of authority to compromise with good legislation.

I can also say Larry understands and appreciates the model that is the Building Trades. Larry is a good man, a good legislator and we should only wish more elected people were like him.

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DISTRICT COUNCIL 6

George Boots,
Director of Training

STRONGSVILLE — The FTIOR has hired two new part-time instructors. We welcome **Andrew Anderson**, from Local 1162 in Akron, and **Bernard Hornschemeier**, from Local 387 in

Cincinnati, to the team.
If you see them, congratulate them.

ONLINE TRAINING OPTION



We have added a vast number of online classes that members can take at home or at the computer lab at your Local training center.

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Then we have Kenny Yuko, a champion of Labor and a card carrying Union member. Columbus is in decent hands and I believe we will be ok down there.

Too bad we cannot duplicate the fair-minded leadership in Washington.

2019 PLANS

The focus of our Governmental Affairs Department in 2019 will be on local politics. Numerous mayor, commissioner and city council elections will be decided this year.

We will not try to get involved in every race across the state, but we will get involved where it makes sense and we have a clear reason or candidate to do so.

IN CLOSING

I can always be reached through email at garym@iupat-dc6.org, by phone at 419-228-7463 or through the DC 6 Twitter account.

DISTRICT COUNCIL 6


Nichole McCarthy,
Recruiting and Communications Coordinator

STRONGSVILLE — Greetings Brothers and Sisters. I want to hear from you!

Submit photos of your hard work on job sites and be recognized for the work you perform.

When submitting photos, please include names of everyone in the photo, their Locals, job location and description of the work, and then forward the photos to recruiting@iupat-dc6.org.

MEMBER SHOWCASE MONTH

 Just a reminder, DC 6 will be hosting an Open House every Friday in March from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and 4 to 6 p.m. at a different location.

We will kick off our showcase month with an event on March 1 in Youngstown, followed by similar events on March 8 in Cincinnati, March 15 in Toledo, March 22 in Columbus and March 29 in Strongsville.

The purpose of these events is to increase awareness and educate high schools, vocational schools and the general public on the benefits of

joining the union and apprenticeship programs.

As work continues to pick up, we will take the opportunity to recruit younger generations into the trades and continue to strengthen our union.

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YOUNG LIONS CHANGE

Take note, the age limit has been removed to join the Young Lions Activist Committee, and we are seeking future leaders of DC 6!

Young Lions is a group designed to go above and beyond the call of the union!

It is an activist group that helps in areas that lead to a brighter future by teaching leadership skills, training you in the facets of organizing, servicing and providing you with general industry knowledge.

We may have you assist in future campaigns, pickets, hand billing, fundraising, other tactics, associated strategies and driven assignments.

These skills can possibly lead you to become a Business Representative/Organizer.

The Young Lion's slogan is, "The leaders of tomorrow learning to lead today!"

WOMAN'S COMMITTEE



The International Union of Painters and Allied Trades is forming a Woman's Committee within each District Council.

We have a committee formed at the International level, which currently consists of 12 tradeswomen throughout the U.S. and Canada.

The purpose of this committee is to educate, inspire, provide mutual support, build a sense of belonging and most importantly promote active participation of our female members within the trades.

We aim to lead through charitable works, political involvement and various pursuits that promote and strengthen our Locals and the labor movement.

This is a great time within this labor movement to get out there and have our voices heard on a greater level than just the job sites.

Being a member on the International Committee, I have been given the opportunity to develop this committee within our council.

I am asking for your participation in helping us grow together as women in the trades. I encourage you to reach out to me if you are willing to help form this committee within District Council 6.

I can be reached at 440-239-4575 and ask for **Nichole** or email me at recruiting@iupat-dc6.org.

TEXT ALERTS



We are distributing important information like journeyman upgrade classes, class cancellations, activist events and other news that you need to see through text alerts.

Sign up today to stay informed by texting IUPATDC6 to 797979.

DISTRICT COUNCIL 6

Jimmie Matowitz,
Retirees Club

STRONGSVILLE — Hi Brothers and Sisters. Remember our next Retiree Club meeting will be on March 6 at 11 a.m.

I hope to see all of you there, and I am sure we will have a lot to discuss, as we solve all of the world problems and have a nice lunch.

Also, we will collect our yearly club dues at the April and May meetings.

Call **Jerry Gilpen** at 330-225-1563 if you are interested in joining us. We welcome all drywall finishers, glaziers, painters and sign and display retirees.

IN CLOSING

A wise man once said, "If you miss the way it used to be, then tax a

millionaire, support a Union, and buy American."

DISTRICT COUNCIL 6

Shawn Kroeger,
Painting Industry Insurance Fund

STRONGSVILLE — **Linda Meyers** is retiring, effective March 15, after 18 years of service.

If you come into the office, please take the time to wish her well as she will be greatly missed.

I wish Linda a long and very healthy retirement.

Kelley Kilcoyne is now full-time and assuming most of Linda's responsibilities, with the help of **Vikki McNealey** and the rest of the Fund Office Staff.

The Fund Office can be reached at 440-260-0615.

Tapers LOCAL 505

John Kulju

CLEVELAND — Hello Brothers and Sisters of Local 505. I hope this article finds you doing well.

Work is starting to pick up for us again, as contractors are calling and asking about manpower.

From the look of things, 2019 should be a good year!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Local 505 meetings are held on the third Tuesday of each month.

It would be great to see more apprentices.

Show up and join us! If need be, I will text you to remind you.

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TRAINING REMINDER



If you need training, please get in touch with me and I will help. Also, please stay current with your drug card.

ADDICTION HELP

If you know some member who is struggling with any type of addiction, call and we will try to help.

IN CLOSING

Be kind, be humble and always be thankful!
T.C.M.B.S.

Painters and Tapers LOCAL 841

Scott Harter

AKRON — Our next union meeting will be Feb. 20 at 6 p.m. at the Union Hall, located at 67 South Maple St. in Akron.

Financial Advisor Dan Gaertner of UBS will be available at the meeting to give an outlook and answer any questions concerning the annuity.

Wage allocations will be discussed at the March meeting, so please make every effort to attend.

We will be having a Special Called Meeting in April to allocate our raise.

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MEMBER ORIENTATION

We will be holding a new member orientation on the first Saturday of every month.

This is an opportunity for you to learn about all the benefits available to you as a member.

You will be contacted if you need to attend, but all are welcome.

There will be more details at the monthly meeting.

RETIREEES' MEETING



All retirees are encouraged to stop by the Union Hall on the second Tuesday of the month at 9:30 a.m. to attend the retirees' meeting with **Jay Carnahan**.

DAY OF ACTION



Our annual IUPAT Day of Action is coming up quickly in April.

We are looking for volunteers to finish the Akron Boys and Girls Club project. Time and dates will be announced at the meeting, but if you are interested, please call **Scott**.

WORK STATUS

Work is still going good for this time of the year.

If you are laid off, please call the Union Hall, so we can get you back to work.

Glaziers LOCAL 1162

Scott Harter

AKRON — Our next Union meeting will be March 13 at 5:30 p.m. at the Union Hall, located at 67 South Maple St. in Akron.

Wage allocations will be discussed at the March meeting, so please make every effort to attend.

This will be a Special Called Meeting as we will be also voting on the wage allocation.

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Glaziers LOCAL 847

Tim Halas

YOUNGSTOWN — Our next regular meeting will be March 12 at 7 p.m. at 35 S. State St. in Girard.

NEW MEMBERS



Welcome to new our members: **Anthony Faraj, Andres Bonofacio** and **Romero Good**. Thank you for joining our Brotherhood!

CONGRATULATIONS



Congratulations to **Mike Hatch** on his recent retirement!

WORK STATUS

Work in our area has slowed, as we have a couple members off.

This seems to be the situation around the state. I have checked with the other glazier agents and their areas are similar to ours, waiting for the weather to break.

Hopefully, we will be back to full employment very soon.

CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS

The Outside Glaziers Contract expires on May 31.

Now is the time for us to start talking about the changes we would like to make in the upcoming contract.

Take the time to read through the current contract and come to the next few meetings to discuss what you would like to see in the upcoming contract.

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CONTACT ME

My phone number is 330-207-4855, my email is timh@iupat-dc6.org and the address to the office is 35 S. State St., Girard, OH 44420.

Please address all mail to Glaziers Local 847.

WORK STATUS

Work will be strong through the
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winter, but if you are laid off, please call the Union Hall.

Painters and Tapers LOCAL 476

Jim Taylor

YOUNGSTOWN — Our next regular meeting will be Feb. 21 at 5:30 p.m. at 35 S. State St. in Girard.

There will be a Special Called Meeting on March 21 to discuss, choose and vote on raise allocation, which will be implemented on June 1.

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OPEN POSITION

The Local 476 President is currently looking to fill, by appointment, the Local Financial Secretary position.

If you are interested in this position, please call Local 476 President **Dan McLaughlin** at 330-550-6246.

WORK OUTLOOK

Work looks to be breaking for dry-wall finishers and we believe most painters will be out by the time they receive this publication.

Industrials should be starting up in a month and a half.

TRAINING REMINDER



Remember, as per the CBA, all members are required by June 1 to have taken the following training courses: OSHA 30, annual respirator fit training, and four hours of additional training, not to

exceed eight hours in total.

To register for training classes and/or upgrades, please contact **George Boots** or the training staff at 440-239-4575, ext. 131.

DUES REMINDER



Window dues are \$39.40 a month, as of Jan. 1. Dues must be in the office by the close of the 20th day of every month.

Mixed Trades LOCAL 1020

Gary McPheron

LIMA — The Local 1020 meetings are held on the first Tuesday of every month at 7 p.m.

Come on out to a meeting, get some food and fellowship.

We have new monthly planners for the members, come pick one up or give me a call or text and I will get one to you.

NEGOTIATION COMMITTEE

We have formed a negotiation committee and will soon start negotiating a new Collective Bargaining Agreement.

Our current Agreement expires on March 31.

Keep your eye out for a postcard announcing a Special Called Meeting at the end of March to vote on any agreement.

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DUES REMINDER



I urge everyone to check their dues receipts and keep track of your dues.

We had guys dropped for being behind and they needed to reinstate and pay \$500.

I am not always notified before members are dropped. It is the member's responsibility to know their dues status.

If you ever have any doubts about where you stand on dues, call me or call **Renata** at 419-476-7505.

If you are not a member in good standing, we cannot help with your unemployment and you are not eligible to participate in our Health and Welfare.

Mixed Trades LOCAL 1103

Kevin Mullen Jr.

PAINESVILLE — We discussed bylaw changes regarding monthly dues at our February meeting.

We will be sending out notices for the vote of the bylaws change in the near future.

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MEETING REMINDER

If you or anyone you know is looking to get more involved in our Local, or our union, come to a meeting.

Our meetings are held on the second Monday of each month at 6 p.m. at the Painesville American Legion.

Hope to see you there.

Glaziers LOCAL 948

Chris Gardner

TOLEDO — I hope this finds you well.

There will be a Member Orientation/Informational presentation on the first Saturday of every month, beginning at 9:30 a.m. at the Union Hall on Front Street.

If you have questions regarding the union and the benefits of being in the union, this would be a good time to stop in.

We will be going over the health insurance, contract, union structure and whatever you need.

We hope to see you there.

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TRAINING REMINDER



Letters will be sent out with a new schedule for journeyman upgrade classes.

Remember, you need to call District Council 6 to sign up for these classes so they are not canceled due to a lack of participation.

USE OUR APP



If you do not have a picture in your profile when you log in to the member app, please let me know and I will get a picture of you and turn it in.

We have a new app that we want members to use for news, alerts and training updates.

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Please text IUPATDC6 to 797979. This will help all members stay up-to-date with what is going on with upcoming events.

Please visit the District Council 6 website, www.iupat-dc6.org, or Facebook page for statewide training classes and information. We plan to keep you up-to-date on information, events or training to keep you informed.

If you have any questions or concerns regarding the upcoming classes, such as updated class times, please contact **Barb Fisher** or **George Boots** at 440-239-4575.

TIMELY RESPONSE NEEDED

It is extremely important you fill out any request accurately and return them as soon as possible to ensure your claims are handled in a timely manner.

This information may include changes in coverage.

Glaziers LOCAL 181

Jim Black

CLEVELAND — Hello Brothers and Sisters of Local 181. Our next union meeting will be on Feb. 20 at 5:30 p.m. at the District Council 6 offices, located at 8257 Dow Circle in Strongsville.

Please try to attend.

Work is unfortunately slower than expected and the weather is not helping at all.

There is still some school work going on.

Make sure you keep current on your training and certifications. There are some bigger projects starting, which require training.

Training and having certifications are becoming more of a necessity in our craft.

Please call the Training Department or check the website for the updated training schedule.

You become more employable if you have current certifications.

DRUG CARDS

Most general contractors are now requiring drug cards, so please make sure your drug card is current.

Even if you work at a smaller shop

or have not needed to show it in a while, stay on top of it and get it renewed if it soon will or has expired.

If you are not working, please get that taken care of now.

I cannot stress enough the importance of having a current drug card.

Also, remember to stay on top of your yearly drug test and try not to let it lapse.

A lot of members have missed out on work because they did not have a current drug card.

Do not let that be you.

Remember, random drug tests are going out. Do not miss a random, which is equivalent to a fail.

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APPRENTICE TRAINING



The classes for the apprentices are going strong.

Apprentices, make sure to attend all your classes, as missing class time or not turning in your cards will directly impact your raise.

USA DINNER

If anyone is interested in attending the 7th Annual USA Ohio State Conservation Dinner, please contact myself or Local 181 President **Ryan Stiegelmeier**.

The event is March 22 at 5:30 p.m. in Columbus.

It is always a great time and the seats are filling fast.

CONGRATULATIONS



I congratulate **Dave Rengert** on his recent retirement.

He was a well-respected and

dedicated member for 34 years.

Thank you Dave for your service and enjoy your well-deserved retirement.

ADDICTION HELP AVAILABLE

If you, your family or anyone you know is struggling with addiction, please reach out to addiction specialist Pat Patton at 216-548-2249.

IN CLOSING

If you have any questions or concerns, contact me anytime at 440-382-2924.

Keep up the good work and stay safe out there!

Painters and Tapers LOCAL 788

Joe Jeffers

SANDUSKY — Greetings to all members of this proud Local. I hope all finds you well.

Work remains steady and we have filled all the open positions for Cedar Fair.

We are currently looking for industrial painters for the BP Project in Local 7's jurisdiction. If you know of anyone interested, please let me know.

This looks to be a year for work in our area, with some good-sized projects underway.

TRAINING REMINDER



Local 788 will be holding a Respirator Fit Class at the Sandusky Hall on March 2 at 7:30 a.m. Please bring your personal respirator for this procedure.

Training is a big part of who we are.

Boom and Scissor, OSHA Training, First Aid/CPR and many other courses are available.

Almost all projects require a minimum of OSHA Training and a current Drug and SAT Card.

To register for a class, call the Training Department at 440-239-4575 and ask for **Carly**.

If your drug card has expired or is getting ready to, I can schedule an appointment for you. You can contact my cell at 440-341-2792.

ADDICTION HELP

If you or a family member are struggling with addiction, please reach out to addiction specialist Pat Patton at 216-548-2249.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



Local 788's meetings are held on the first Tuesday of each month at 5 p.m. at the Union Hall, located at 1205 W. Perkins Ave. in Sandusky.

Food and beverages will be served and all members are welcome.

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IN CLOSING

As always, remember, if it is important to you, it is important to me. Be safe out there.

Glaziers LOCAL 372

Harry Mullins

COLUMBUS — Members of Local 372, work in the Columbus area is busy. Blakley is working on the 700 Ackerman job.

AAG is working on the Chase Bank headquarters at Polaris and DAS on High Street.

Pioneer has started their part of the Dublin Library.

We are still waiting on the list of jobs below to get started:

AAG has the Dublin Library, the Schottenstein Center, the OSU

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Football Stadium and the Kenyon College Library.

Celina has the Mount Carmel window replacement job.

Madison Glass, out of Michigan, has the Facebook job in New Albany and the new jail.

Pioneer got the Rhodes tower.

OKI, out of Cincinnati, has Fire Station No. 35.

ORGANIZING UPDATES

With all these jobs going on, everyone is working.

We need to bring in new members, with all these jobs coming up.

If anyone knows any glaziers who might be interested in joining our Union, please get their information to me, so I can try to get them to join.

The organizing campaign in Columbus is ongoing.

Jamie Peppers is putting together a plan for Columbus. I will keep you updated as I know more.

Our marketing team is working to get our contractors working for various GCs that have not used Union contractors before.

This seems to be working, as Robertson Construction is using all union on the DAS building.

I have been sending jobs to our contractors to bid on almost every week.

Hopefully, this will generate some work for the members.

Our contractors are currently bidding the Millennial Tower, a 50-story building; the North Market, a 36-story building; the new Hilton Hotel at the convention center and multiple smaller jobs.

MEETING REMINDER



The next meeting will be on Feb. 18.

At the January meeting, we passed out our new hoodies.

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PAY STUBS

All our contractors now send electronic pay stubs.

If you do not have a computer or are unable to access your pay stubs, get ahold of **Rebecca** and she will get them for you at the office.

HERE TO HELP

If you have any questions or concerns, contact me at 614-371-6290.

You can also contact **Joe Crytser**, **Chris Naegele**, or **Rebecca** at 800-704-2079 or 614-294-5301.

IN CLOSING

Keep up the good work and be safe.

Mixed Trades LOCAL 555

Joe Crytser

PORTSMOUTH — Brothers and Sisters, I hope you and your families are fairing well in this New Year. With January behind us, the spring will be here before you know it.

It appears we will have a considerable amount of work in the spring. This is mostly industrial work, which usually requires travel, but pays well.

There has been a small uptick in the work opportunities in our area and close by. There is a small project getting started at the Kings Daughters hospital on the Trail. W.B. Fosson and Sons has the project and I will have the sub info shortly.

WAI has been bidding all over the area and beyond, which has started to work out for Cornerstone Interiors, who seem to be the preferred sub for our trades.

They have several projects at the hospital and Cornerstone has our work.

WAI also has the North Western School Athletic Improvement. It will not be a big job for us, but shows how aggressive WAI has been at securing projects in the area.

There will also be many work opportunities in Columbus and Cincinnati for dependable members, who are willing to make the drive.

It should be another good year for our members.

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TRAINING REMINDER



Brothers and Sisters, as the busy season approaches, it becomes apparent we have not been getting all the training we need.

At a minimum, we all should take the following classes: OSHA 10-Hour Construction; Respirator Training and Fit Test; Lift; Lead; Hazwoper; and Scaffolding.

Most of you will probably agree that by having these classes, you become more immediately employable.

It is not all about your skills as a craftsman, but that you do the job safely and everyone goes home to their families.

IN CLOSING

Stay safe in these next weeks as our weather is subject to change in a moment.

See PAINTERS AND ALLIED TRADES on page 34.

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Painters LOCAL 707

Lou Ferrante

CLEVELAND — Greetings Brothers and Sisters. We are almost through with winter. Spring should be right around the corner.

As the weather gets better, our work opportunities also improve.

We anticipate another busy year for all our represented crafts, and if you know somebody interested in a career, have them get in touch with the Union Hall.

DC 6 JOB FAIR

Every Friday during the month of March, we will be holding Job Fairs/Hiring Events throughout the District Council.

Strongsville will host one such event on March 29.

These events are a great opportunity for someone interested in a career to stop in and learn about our trades.

MEETING REMINDERS



At the March meeting, we will discuss wage allocations.

There will be a Special Called Meeting on April 8 at 5 p.m. for the purpose of voting on wage allocations.

The meeting will take place at 8257 Dow Circle in Strongsville.

Please make an effort to attend, your vote is your voice.

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TRAINING SCHEDULE



Training classes will be filling up, so get your required classes scheduled and beat the rush.

Class schedules are posted every month in this paper and on our website, www.iupat-dc6.org.

DAY OF ACTION



We are looking for volunteers to participate in this year's annual IUPAT Community Day of Action, which is set for April 20.

This International-wide event is our opportunity to give back to the communities where we live and work.

Stay tuned for details about this year's projects.

IN CLOSING

I hope to see you at our next meeting, which as always, is at 5 p.m. on the second Monday of the month.

Stay safe.

Painters and Tapers LOCAL 7

Jamie Peppers

TOLEDO — I hope this finds you well.

Remember, the address for the Union Hall is 909 Front St. in Toledo.

Renata is in the office every day from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

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UPDATE BENEFICIARY FORMS

We urge everyone to check their beneficiary cards and notify the union, the Local Pension and the International Pension of any changes.

You will need to notify all three entities of any changes as all three are administered separately.

This is vital in the event of any unforeseen incidents.

Please call the Union Hall if you have any questions.

RETIREE HEALTHCARE



The Health Insurance Office sent out notices to all participants who are looking to carry our insurance into their retirement about their membership status.

The bottom line is that it is in your financial interest to remain a member of the Local.

Mixed Trades LOCALS 123 & 238

Lee Denny

CINCINNATI — Greetings Brothers and Sisters, spring is just around the corner, which means we should all be gearing up for a busy work year.

Please make sure all of you certifications are up to date as well as your COATS card.

If you are not sure of your expiration dates on all your certification cards, please contact the Union Hall at 513-221-7990.

Being the best trained is what makes us the greatest workforce in our craft.

WORK OUTLOOK

Work in our area remains steady and looks to be picking up.

We have several large projects expected to start soon as well as the beginning of the bridge season.

If you are currently laid off, please contact **Brooke** at 513-221-7990 so we can maintain an up-to-date "Out of Work" list and get you back to work as soon as possible.

BY THE NUMBERS

I would like to take a moment and

share the growth of our proud Locals over the last four and a half years.

Local 123/238 has increased by 224 members with a total of 174 painters and 50 drywall finishers.

In June 2014, Local 123 had 146 regular members, 19 apprentices and 58 life members for a total of 223 members.

At the start of February, Local 123 has 290 regular members, 22 apprentices and 60 life members for a total of 372 members.

This is almost a 50 percent increase in working members.

In June 2014, Local 238 had 61 regular members, 6 apprentices and 5 life members for a total of 72 members.

As of Feb. 1, Local 238 has 101 regular members, 6 apprentices and 10 life members for a total of 117 members.

This is an increase of 40 percent working members.

CONTRACT NEGOTIATIONS

Contract negotiations are under way.

It is important for members of Local 123/238 to take an active role and attend all Local meetings. It is our obligation as members to be involved. United we stand, divided we fall!

DUES REIMBURSEMENT



We still have dues reimbursement checks for the following members. If your name is on this list, please contact Brooke at the Union Hall at 513-221-7990 to make arrangements to pick up your check.

Eric Bernon, Andrew Bishop, Kyle Collins, Jeff Davis, John Ditterline, Emmanuel Flores, Ron Gentry, Scot Haverkamp, Gemini Isham, Anthony Keller, Jesse Kools, Bryan Lehn, Richard Martin, Salius Rubikas, Anthony Scanlon, Robert Sweet, Joshua Wegford and Tony White.

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TRAINING REMINDER



Apprenticeship schedules and updated journeymen upgrade schedules can be found on the DC 6 website, www.iupdatdc6.org.

You can also register by calling 440-239-4575, ext. 118.

HEALTH INSURANCE APP



In an effort to make our insurance more user friendly, members can go online to www.livehealthhotline.com for services provided via two-way video and live help, available 24-hours-a-day, 365-days-a-year.

This is a great way to deal with minor problems and get prescriptions filled without a doctor's visit.

Always call 911 for any emergency.

IN CLOSING

Please continue to work safe, attend your Local Union Meetings and always perpetuate our oath as a union member.

Mixed Trades LOCAL 249

Dana Clark

DAYTON — We are looking for future leaders of our great District Council.

Join the Young Lions Club, who meet on the fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m.

If you are interested, contact **David Lay** at 937-344-4478 for more information.

TRAINING SCHEDULE



You must register to participate in a training class.

Check The Labor Citizen training section at the beginning of the Painters and Allied Trades section for updated classes to the Training schedule.

You must complete 16 hours of training per year.

WORK OUTLOOK

Work in Dayton is good, and there is a need throughout the Council for good drywall finishers and painters.

If you know anybody, have them contact one of the Business Representative, or me.

When you are on jobsites where our competitors are working, be sure to talk to them about the advantages of being a union member.

DUES REMINDER



It is every member's obligation to keep their dues current.

If you have not worked 40 hours a week, every week, you may be behind on your dues.

If you think you are behind, call me 937-272-4785 or **Dannie Dunn** 937-231-2693.

We appreciate your cooperation.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR



If you have any questions, come to a Local meeting.

As a reminder, Local meetings are on the second Wednesday of every month at 5:30 p.m.

Try to attend if you are able.

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WORK STATUS

Make sure to call the Union Hall when you are laid off, and call again when you return to work, so I can remove you from the "Out of Work" list.

IN CLOSING

Please remember to work safe and help your Brothers and Sisters throughout the year.

Mixed Trades LOCAL 1275

Christopher Naegle

COLUMBUS — Brothers and Sisters, I hope everyone survived the crazy cold we experienced last month.

Before you know it, spring will be here and with that, we should take the time to get ourselves trained up!

Check the District Council website and get signed up for the safety training provided.

WORK OUTLOOK

Our drywall finishing contractors continue to be awarded a massive amount of work.

We are struggling to get the qualified help they need.

If you know anyone with experience in the drywall finishing industry, on

the job, or in your personal life, talk to them about the benefits of being a member.

Our commercial painting contractors, on the other hand, are slowly picking up steam.

With projects being pushed back on start dates, and the weather being a factor, this spring will be the time where people will be called back to work.

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IN CLOSING

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns, contact me at 614-620-6986. You can also contact **Rebecca Reinert** at 614-294-5301, **Joe Crytser** at 614-580-1275 or **Harry Mullins** at 614-371-6290.

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