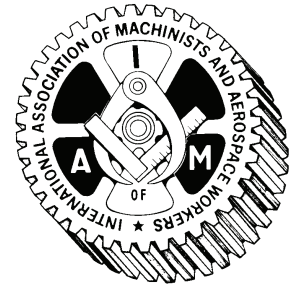




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FOR LOCAL 701 MEMBERS & THEIR FAMILIES



Standard Automotive Agreement Negotiations

On Monday June 2, 2009, Local 701 and the Dealers Association met for the 1st time to begin negotiations for the Standard Automotive Agreement. Proposals from the Union delegates were passed to the dealer committee and were discussed.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday June 16th, with another to follow on June 19th. The Unions goal is to bring back a fair and equitable contract for its members and dealers.

6th Annual Guide Dogs of America Car & Motorcycle Poker Ride

The 6th Annual Guide Dog Run will be held Sunday, August 30, 2009. This years event will include antique cars, classic cars and hot rods. We will start the event at different locations at 9 am, and will end at the **VOLO AUTO MUSEUM**. The ride will conclude with a barbeque and admittance to the museum.

[Click here](#) to go to the **Social Club** page for information and registration form for the event.

Sox vs. Royals Outing Planned for August

The Local 701 social club would like to announce that due to popular demand a White Sox Outing is now planned for this summer. The game will be held on August 18th and has a 7:11 p.m. start time. Tickets are only \$20.00 for lower box seats (normal price is \$38.00) Hot dog meal deal is available for only \$6.00, which includes a hot dog, chips & soda.

Tickets will need to be paid for in advance by July 15th. Please see any Business Representative or see Mike at the monthly membership meeting. For more information contact Mike Wendling at 708-828-2001 or e-mail Mike at 701socialclub@gmail.com

**Local 701 Union Meetings are held on the 1st
Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in our union hall.**

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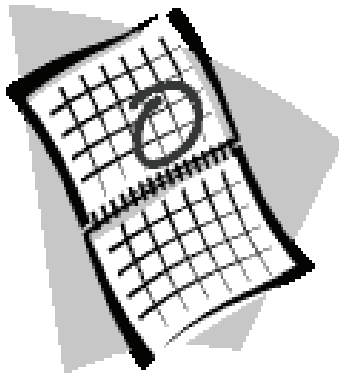
Contracts Ratified in May

Al's Truck Repair (April 09)
Local 701 Funds Office
LaGrou Motor Service

Current Contracts in Negotiation

Avis Budget Car Rental
Caddy Corner
Charles Equipment Energy Systems
Chicago Truck Lease
Crown Trailer
DS Water
East Baltimore Commissary
First Student - Batavia & Peru
General Truck (ITLRA)

***Local 701
Car & Motorcycle Show
to be held at the
July 1, 2009 meeting!***



Mark Your Calendar!

Haggerty Pont Buick GMC
Service Writers

Harig Manufacturing

Hertz Car Rental -

Honda City

Illinois Auto Central -

Komatsu Forklift

Molon Motors

Oestreich Sales & Service

Perkins Manufacturing

Ramcel Eng.

Road Builders

Ruan

Standard Automotive Agreement

TH Ryan - pending

UPS

Arbitration Cases Pending

First Student - termination

Honda of Joliet - termination

Honda of Joliet - tech working out of
classification

Lincoln Tech - 2 terminations

Patten - improper layoff

Ryder - termination

**Total active membership
as of May 31**

6895

Important Information for 701 Members

Out of work because of Layoff, Termination, Disability or on Workers Compensation?

If you are out of work for more than 15 days in a calendar month because of a layoff, termination, accident or injury, whether it happened on the job or off the job, you do not have to pay full Union dues.

You must call the bookkeeper that handles your shop and pay \$2.00 per month. If you mail your payment in, please make the check payable to Local 701 and put the current month's dues that you are paying for on the check. Place your check in the mail by the fifteenth (15th) of the current month to allow for postal mail delivery.

Also, please contact the benefits department at 708-482-0110 to let them know you are out of work, as most of the employers fail to do so.

Members who are out of work for **ANY**

reason and do not pay the \$2.00 per month fee, are subject to pay reinstatement fees after being dropped by the IAM after 2 consecutive months of non-payment.

Reinstatement Fees: Currently set at 3 times or 6 times the current monthly dues, depending on your working classification, per the IAM Constitution and the Local 701 by-laws. Don't let your membership lapse! Please call your union shop bookkeeper that is listed below to report a loss of employment.

Call either # listed below

Shops: A thru C

Catherine Lando 708-588-7517

Shops: E thru N

Rosemary Brendel 708-588-7514

Shops: D & O thru Z and UPS

Retiring?



Members who are planning to retire should contact the Local 701 Pension Department at 708-482-0220, as well as the Union Dues Department at 708-482-1720 at least 90 days prior to their planned retirement date.