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**A Message from A. C. McAfee
Business Manager/Financial Secretary**

Dear Brothers and Sisters:

WE HAVE MOVED

We have officially moved into our new building in Grand Prairie.
The September 7, 2010 General Membership meeting will be held in the new union hall.

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2010 LOCAL UNION NO. 20 ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET

This years Awards Banquet will be on Saturday, October 30, 2010 and will be held at the new IBEW Local Union No. 20 facility. See pages 3 and 4 for this years list of Awardees.

We will provide more information regarding the banquet in the September newsletter.

LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

The Local Union No.20 Business Office will be closed on Monday, September 6, 2010, in observance of Labor Day Holiday. We will resume regular business hours on Tuesday, September 7, 2010.

We wish you all a safe and happy Labor Day Holiday.

STEWARDS REPORT

Harold Beaman	Fisk Elec.	Cooks Children's Hospital
Dick Eckhart	Angiel Elec.	V.A. Hospital
Mike Morley	Morley/Moss Elec.	U. T. Southwest
Mike Bradshaw	Boggs Elec.	Bell Helicopter—Plant #5

DOOR PRIZE

Steve Allman won the door prize at the August 3, 2010 General Membership Meeting .

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IBEW 7th DISTRICT
FOREMAN'S DEVELOPMENT SERIES

The IBEW 7th District is proud to announce its Foreman's Development Series; a program resulting from a joint effort by the 7th District Local Unions and signatory contractors to improve the quality and skills of the Foreman on Union projects. The twelve (12) two (2) hours training modules in this series are designed as basic training to assist the Journeyman or beginning Foreman in developing the skills necessary to succeed in the role of Foreman.

Although the program is designed to address the fundamentals, the experienced Foreman will also benefit from the industry "Best Practices" that have been incorporated into the series. The modules employ an action learning format and encourage a lively exchange of ideas between participants, and the experiences shared will benefit the entire class.

The Foreman's Development Series provides a broad overview of practical hands-on fundamentals based on industry "Best Practices" and do not represent any particular management style or point of view. The goal of this series is to provide additional tools for the Foreman that will compliment other training programs either from the contractor or other industry partners. Local Union 20 has scheduled class dates for 9 of the 12 modules in the series. The remaining 3 modules will be added to the schedule as the program matures.

Modules & Class Dates

Each Module is a 2 (two) hour class and will be offered at least twice. The Module titled "Role of the Foreman" is a prerequisite for the remaining classes (offered 6 times). All other modules can be taken in any order. All classes are scheduled for 5:00 PM – 7:00 PM at the Apprenticeship and Training Center. Below is a list of available class dates:

Role of the Foreman

Date to be announced at a later time.

Project Start-Up

Date to be announced at a later time.

Understanding the Estimate

Dates to be announced at a later time.

Safety

Date to be announced at a later time.

Labor Relations

Dates to be announced at a later time.

Manloading and Scheduling

(Choose one date)
September 13, 2010
September 16, 2010

Communication

(Choose one date)
September 27, 2010
September 30, 2010

Documentation

(Choose one date)
October 11, 2010
October 14, 2010

Managing Production

(Choose one date)
October 25, 2010
October 28, 2010

These classes are being offered to JIW members in good standing at no cost.

Call Karsten Frentrup (972-263-1122 ext. 104), at the Local Union Business Office, to register for classes.

2010 ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET
AWARDEES

Below is a list of names who are to receive awards this year. If you think you should be receiving an award this year, and your name is not on the list, please call the Local Union Business Office for verification. We will provide more details in the September, 2010 newsletter regarding making your reservations, etc.

20 YEARS

Julie D. Benton
 Charles K. Bourquin, Jr.
 Sam H. Cole
 Raoul E. Crum
 Mike W. Dalton
 Mark F. Dunham
 Ronald H. Flatt
 Randy D. Gentry
 Thomas M. Grothe
 Robert B. Henry
 Jeffrey T. Hill
 Daryl G. Kellner
 Darrin E. Kennedy
 Robert T. Ledbetter
 David Manhard
 Ricky T. Manning
 Bryan L. Marx
 Don W. McDonald
 Robert E. McPherson
 Raymond C. Neugent
 Lisa Noble
 Kenneth C. Patrick
 Kevin D. Patterson
 Jeff L. Penney
 Chun Poy
 Joseph H. Shepard
 Wesley L. Sivess
 James B. Sumner
 Roger S. Taber
 John S. Terrell
 Verlon R. Trussell
 Jack R. Williams
 Marvin Woodard
 Pat D. Wyatt

25 YEARS

Donald L. Bergeron
 Troy L. Bland
 John P. Boyle
 Toni M. Brewer
 Bobby E. Brewer
 Ricky D. Foster
 Danny R. Gentry
 Jeffery T. Hicks

25 YEARS (con't)

Jane F. Kline
 Howard B. Pack
 Darren L. Renegar
 Harold W. Rice
 Mollie M. Royall

30 YEARS

Jose Alcorte
 Robert T. Allen
 Charles A. Allen
 Kelly W. Armstrong
 Elbert Ballew
 Kevin A. Black
 Eddie W. Bryant
 Kenon E. Chaney
 Loyal A. Cornelius
 Richard W. Covington
 Hubert L. Crutchfield
 Sid T. Currin
 Michael W. Curvey
 Rick T. Dalby
 Ricky T. Davis
 Bruce L. Denham
 Christopher K. Dohner
 Jeffrey L. Edgemon
 Billy L. Eivens
 Marshall S. Ellis
 Richard W. Foreman
 Robert A. Gleaves
 Kathy A. Hamill
 Robert N. Haney
 Randall G. Harris
 Richard T. Hatfield
 Roy A. Hicks
 John B. Hodge
 Robert G. Hooten
 Travis W. Keown
 James R. Lawhon
 Jerry W. Lawrence
 James A. Morgan
 Gene E. Nix
 Roy E. Phelps
 Steve B. Renfrow
 Jerry H. Robertson

30 YEARS (con't)

Jaime G. Rodriguez
 Adrian S. Sims
 Randell W. Slagle
 Jerry W. Spencer
 Francis Steele
 Gerald S. Stevens
 David J. Stone
 Richard G. Sullins
 Joe P. Thompson
 Michael D. Tilley
 Tony D. Tolbert
 George R. Walls
 Alan L. Williams
 A. C. Winkles
 Michael L. Wolfe

35 YEARS

J. C. Almanza
 Michael H. Boggs
 David O. Bonlie
 Kyle E. Hancock
 Paul V. Hernandez
 James R. Huff
 Richard A. Kraft
 Cleo Langle
 Jerry W. Marsh
 Alfred C. Meinzer
 William L. Morley
 Clyde L. Pierce
 Cecil R. Polk
 Jack G. Preston
 Erwin L. Pustejousky
 Michael L. Ramirez
 Larry L. Shewmake
 Douglas G. Stovall
 Sverre O. Straatveit
 Benjamin R. Sumbera
 Michael L. Taylor
 Willie E. Washington
 Michael J. Williams
 Marion J. Williamson
 Jerry E. Wynne

40 YEARS

Benjamin R. Aguirre
 Jerry D. Bivens
 Loyd S. Blackwell
 Charles K. Bourquin, Sr.
 Gerald L. Burkett
 Charles D. Cahill
 George A. Cook
 Bobby L. Cook
 Earnest L. Cunningham
 James R. Dugan
 Noah B. Enloe
 William A. Fisher
 Michael P. Flora
 William J. Fowler
 Jimmy Fuller
 James A. Green
 Earnest S. Harris
 Carroll L. Hobbs
 Melwyn T. Holloway
 John C. Illingworth
 Danny W. Kennemur
 Robert F. Kubelka
 Michael H. Law
 Jimmy M. McCord
 Jerald L. McCord
 Thomas O. McKenzie
 Steve M. McNeil
 Goober R. Morris
 Gary D. Mosley
 Thomas E. Murry
 Paul D. Myers
 Jim M. Nash
 Joe W. Neff
 Maurice J. Oler
 Michael J. Reitz
 Jerry D. Rountree
 Walter E. Shipley
 James L. Stephenson
 Joe A. Thomas
 Leonard D. Torres

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45 YEARS

Homer S. Aswell
 Ladon F. Black
 Larry G. Ernst
 Douglas H. Farr
 Weldon L. Fuller
 Luther E. Hankins
 C. Eugene Lloyd
 Don Q. Maloch
 Larry D. Martin
 Gilbert D. Mills
 Robert A. Miramontes
 Ray D. Reames
 Charles V. Stephan
 Tom O. Strickland
 Harold L. Waw
 James L. Weaver
 Larry D. Whatley

50 YEARS

Thomas W. Clark
 Darrel W. Crafton
 Michael D. Faulkner
 Sam Franklin
 Columbus D. Graham
 Gary D. Hall
 J. W. Hanshew
 Donald R. Illingworth
 James P. Kenney
 Gene D. Lee
 M. Glen Loosier
 Anthony L. Loria
 A. C. McAfee
 Robert J. Peters
 Richard W. Preston
 Ronald R. Scott
 Tracy J. Tolleson
 Benjamin N. Trostle
 Stuart S. Wells
 Thomas G. Wilcoxon
 Farel L. Williams

55 YEARS

Lonnie O. Bates
 James H. Button
 Melvin F. Cameron
 David L. Cruze
 Carlton R. Davis
 Clifton T. Davis
 William J. Fleming
 William L. Klassen
 Charles M. McNeil
 Edward Q. Wimberly

60 YEARS

Grover K. Countryman
 William A. Muller
 A. Byron Nettle
 L. Aderon Williams

65 YEARS

Herbert C. McGarity
 Odell D. Owens
 Delbert C. Wallace

70 YEARS

C. M. Savage

PENSION APPLICANTS

Listed below are members who were approved for pension at the August 3, 2010 meeting. They are:

E. Dean McPheron**Jack R. Williams****Samuel L. Pendleton**

We would like to say "thank you" for all your years of service and dedication to the IBEW. We wish you all many years of good health and happiness during your retirement years.

DECEASED MEMBERS

We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the family and friends of the members listed below that we have recently lost. They are:

DB# 397	John E. Gailey	Passed away 07/25/2010	He was a member 39 years.
DB# 398	Clois E. Johnson	Passed away 08/11/2010	He was a member 59 years.
DB# 399	Otis R. DeRossett	Passed away 08/16/2010	He was a member 46 years.
DB# 400	C. Larry Colgin	Passed away 08/17/2010	He was a member 53 years.

Also, we would like to extend our sympathy to the members who have recently lost loved ones. They are:

Ronnie Johnson, lost his father, Clois E. Johnson on 8/11/2010.

Charles DeRossett lost his brother, Otis DeRossett on 8/16/2010.

Charles A. Doerr, Jr., lost his wife, Donna on 07/02/2010.

RETIRED MEMBERS' LUNCHEON**DALLAS RETIRED MEMBERS**

The Dallas Retired Members will meet at Dickey's BBQ Restaurant, located at 7770 Forest Lane, Dallas, TX. on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at approximately 11:00 AM for great food and fellowship. If you are a retired member and have never attended the monthly luncheons, we encourage you and your spouse or friend to attend.

FORT WORTH RETIRED MEMBERS

The Fort Worth Retired Members will meet at the IBEW 116 Federal Credit Union, located at 603 S. Adams in Fort Worth, TX. (corner of S. Adams and Pennsylvania), on the 1st Tuesday of each month at 12:00 Noon. Come at 11:00 AM if you want to play dominos. Lunch is at Massey's at 1:30 PM.

If you need more information, call Tooter Mills at 817-292-9727. If you need assistance or are ill, call Odis Green at 817-448-8697 or Tommy Hammer at 817-460-7718.

THE FORT WORTH RETIREES CLUB
FALL PICNIC AND GOLF TOURNAMENT
LONGHORN PARK BENBROOK LAKE
OCTOBER 23, 2010

We offer you a day of fun and enjoyment with your Brothers and Sisters. Bring your family, play golf in the morning, lunch in the afternoon. We will be serving hamburgers, hot dogs and all the fixings.

GOLF is \$50.00 Pecan Valley Hills Course. Prize money instead of trophies

REGISTRATION DEADLINE is October 15, 2010.

PICNIC is \$10.00 per family.

The Fort Worth Retirees are also raffling a 9mm Ruger Pistol. \$10.00 per chance 100 chances

For additional information call Tooter Mills at 817-292-9727 or call the Fort Worth Credit Union at 817-335-3658.

