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Local Negotiations will begin today. The Bargaining Committee, Ed Zirkle and I will be out of the plant during the negotiation process. Our alternates will be filling in during this period of time. It is very important that we all show our solidarity and support to the Bargaining Committee each and every day. However, now more than ever over the next few months during negotiations it is important that we all stand together. Just remember, United We Stand, Divided We Fall. I know that the Bargaining Committee is committed to getting the best possible contract for all of our Local 402 membership.

Elections: Election for the remaining unexpired term of Vice President and Guide will be held on August 15, 2018. See postings for candidates, polling locations and times. Good luck to all of our candidates who are running for these offices.

Richard T. Gosser Scholarship: Richard T. Gosser Scholarship applications are now available for 2018/2019. The student must be a graduating high school senior for the 2018/2019 school year. The deadline for submitting the application is October 15, 2018. Information and applications can be found on our website: uawlocal402.net or Region 2B website: region2b.uaw.org.

Upcoming Events:

- UAW Local 402 Car Show & Swap Meet Saturday, August 18, 2018. Registration from 11:00 – 1:30.
- Labor Day Picnic September 1, 2018 from 12:00 – 5:00 p.m. Must have ticket to attend.
- John Minchin Golf Scramble dates are being finalized. Please watch for upcoming information.
- United Way Community Challenge – UAW Local 402 will be sponsoring teams and individual members who would like to represent the UAW at the United Way Community Challenge on Saturday, September 8, 2018. We will sponsor for the following events: tug-of-war, cornhole, volleyball, pickleball and a 5k run. This is a family friendly event held at Snyder Park with music, food/beverages and kid zones with activities. If you would like to participate, please call the Union Hall 937-390-3327 to register.

Union Hall: We are temporarily extending the Union Hall hours on Wednesdays due to mandatory overtime. We will be open until 5:00 p.m. during this period of time. This will give those who need to pay initiation fees the opportunity to do so.

In Solidarity,

Chris Blizard
President, UAW Local 402