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October News Letter 10/13/2011

Dear Members,

I'm glad football has started and all of us can start to worry about injuries to our fantasy players. I have bid my week's vacation & a few of my flex days, if you decide to bid your vacation please remember to print off a copy of what you bid. If you change your bids print your changes off, if you're unable to print them off contact me and I will do it for you. I will be available to help anyone having troubles bidding there vacation. The carrier has not decided on when we will bid our personal days, the last two weeks of the year is what is in question.

Brother Gilland returned from the International convention in Canada, he will be giving a report on how it went and what will affect us at the next union meeting. On the locals web site has some good pictures of Randy and our International Presidents Ed Hill. The next meeting will be October 11th at the Eagles Club, hope to see you there.

President Obama has ordered an Emergency Board to settle the dispute between the Carriers and the Unions. The P.E.B. board with respect to the dispute will report to the President within 30 days of its recommendation. Anyone that would like more information, you can go to IBEW International web site or our local's web site.

We are calling overtime for the open PTC jobs, you must of gone thru both classes to work the overtime. If you want to go thru the install class let James Howell and he will schedule you. The two day class will be offered again to those who want it, make sure you let James Howell know what you need.

Just a reminder to get what vacation you have scheduled for this year because its filling up fast and we only have two and half months left in the year.

If any of you have any questions please call me.(308)-530-8312

Thank You
Bob Norton