

UAW NEWS

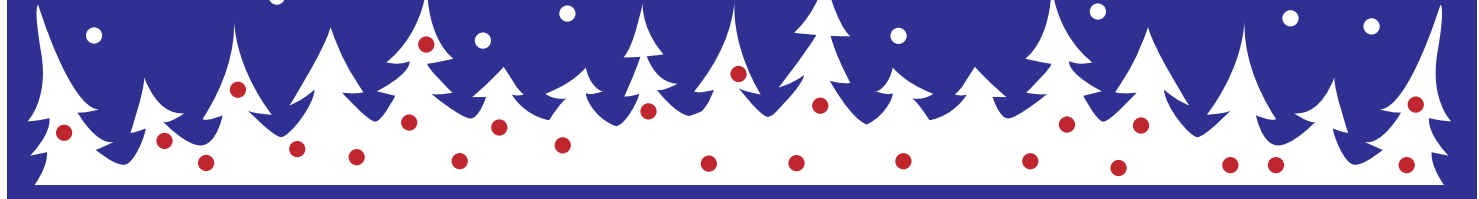


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Merry Christmas & Happy New Year



As 2012 comes to a close, and before everyone heads out for a much deserved break, we would like to take this opportunity to wish each of you a very joyous and happy Holiday Season. We also want to tell you thanks, for all you do each and every day, here at Spring Hill Manufacturing, to ensure we are building the highest quality product available for our customers. We know it's not easy, but you make us so proud to be able to represent you.

We would like to also extend Holiday Greetings to our retirees. Thank you, for your service and time with this Union.

On behalf of the Executive Board and the Bargaining Committee we would like to wish all our members a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. Please focus your time off with what really matters, your family and loved ones. Enjoy the break and when you return, healthy, relaxed, rested and be ready to build the best product Chevy has ever had to sell.

Please drive safely. Always use a designated driver and buckle up!! If you don't do it for yourself, do it for your family. May God Bless you, your families and the UAW.

In Solidarity,

Tim Stannard	Joey DiCataldo	Paul Taylor	Mike Herron	Steve Homrich
Darrell Dejean	Jay Lowe	Mike Marteniz	Kenny Gwynn	Eric Sasaki
Mark Wunderlin	Morris Bowers	Larry Heflin	Tom Serley	Jay Minella
Deqqy Mullins	Norm Jenks	Neil Osborne	Danny Taylor	Chris Brown
Dave Clements	Tom Karroitt		Mike Danford	

Local 1853 Standing Committees

I would like to thank the following individuals for submitting resumes to take on the added responsibility of leading Local 1853 Committees. It is anticipated that 2013 will be an extremely productive year for our Local and Facility. The following committees will be active and looking for additional volunteers. Please contact leaders of a committee if interested in getting involved. Contact information for each committee will be available on Local 1853 website. uawlocal1853.org

In Solidarity,



1853 President Report

LOCAL 1853 COMMITTEE

CHAIR

CO-CHAIR

By-Laws	Tony Mills	Steve Homrich Mike Herron Jr.
Communications	Todd Horton	Jack Cobb
Education	Norm Jenks	Chris Brown Ritchie Griffith
Organizing	Jack Cobb	Renee Penny Diana Trevino
Recreation	Bill Weber	Cathy Busbee Sierra Campbell
Civil Rights	Kevin Hawkins	Pearl Bogus Ladonna Johnson

LOCAL 1853 COMMITTEE

CHAIR

CO-CHAIR

Community Service	Kim Timmons	Ruth Tennyson Carrisa Fly
Union Label	Michael Ray	Amanda Hopkins Ashley Holloway
Womens	Sherry Crepps	Patti Hood Evangela Ashley
Veterans CAP	Charlie Davis George Mitchell	Gary Grove Sarah Brown Derrick Mitchell
Resolutions	Kenny Gwynn	Mike Danford Holly Deyager
Retired Members	Mike Martinez	Lois Sheperd

UAW 1853 & Ryder Ratify Contract



After many hard hours at the negotiating table, UAW Local 1853 and Ryder Logistics agreed on a tentative contract that was ratified by 84% of the Ryder membership. Congratulations on a solid agreement.

The UAW Bargaining Team was led by Region 8 Servicing Representative David Bortz and Local 1853 President Tim Stannard with Local 1853 Ryder Unit Bargaining Committee members Kevin Sherburn, Tim Estes and Don DePew.

"This agreement is a testimony to the effectiveness of orderly collective bargaining. We applaud our members patience during these negotiations. The Bargaining Committee would also like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all our members."

AMERICAN FOOD & VENDING

American Food & Vending will start a food cart program a the first of the year. This has been established to bring food to our membership at their group rooms throughout the plant. The menu will be as follows: Breakfast - Biscuit Sandwich (bacon, sausage or ham & egg 2/cheese \$2.50, Jumbo Breakfast Sandwich \$3.75 (served on Texas toast, bagel or English muffin with bacon, sausage or ham & egg w/cheese), Biscuits with gravy \$2.25, Breakfast Tahoe Burrito \$2.50, Assortment of fresh fruit \$1.00 each, Assortment of cereal \$1.00. Lunch - Hamburger 1/3 lbs. \$3.25, Cheeseburger 1/3 lbs. \$3.50, Fried Chicken Sandwich \$4.50, All Beef Jumbo Hot Dog \$2.25, Extra Large Slice of Pizza \$3.25, Chips \$1.50, Chef Salad \$6.75, Large Garden Salad \$5.50, Turkey Wrap \$5.75, Ham Sub \$5.75, Tuna Salad \$4.50, Chicken Salad \$4.50, Dessert of the day \$2.15, Assortment of Fresh Fruit \$1.00, Assortment of Pastries \$1.70. Drinks - Bottle Soda \$1.50, Bottled Juices \$1.75, Bottle Water \$1.25, Milk \$1.50

Salvation Army Gate Collection



The Salvation gate collection with the matching funds yielded \$2861. A Big Thank You to all those that contributed and to the bell ringers that staffed the gates.

NEWS YOU CAN USE

Local 1853 Union Meeting

The next Union meeting will be held January 27, 2013 at 2pm at the Banquet Hall. Please remember that elected and appointed members are required to attend two out of three Union meetings. Make plans to attend, your voice matters!

UAW Volunteer Day

Local 1853 Community Services Committee is looking for a few good men and women for an upcoming project on January 26, 2013. Carpenters and assistants will be needed for work at a Nashville day care facility. If for some reason the construction work is not needed, an area food bank will be the target for the Committee's help. The work will

consist of about 6 to 8 hours of work with lunch provided. For more information please contact Kim Timmons at 615-202-5583.

Local 1853 Retirees

Local 1853 Retirees Chapter will hold their next Meeting at the Banquet Hall Monday, January 7, 2012 at 10am. Stay informed, plug-in, get involved and make a difference. The Retirees Chapter depends on you!



New Year's Eve Bash

The Saybrook Trail Foundation is presenting a "Rockin' the Decades" New Year's Eve Bash and Silent Auction at the Banquet Hall on December 31. The cost is \$75 per person and \$150 per couple.

Dinner with appetizers will be served with beer, wine, soda, mixers provided and a champagne toast a midnight. The 60's and 70's tribute band - Boomerang will provide the music for the festive event. All proceeds will go to the foundation which was set-up for Cameron O'Reily who was killed in an auto accident in Thompson Station. To purchase tickets or for more information please contact Susan Zemek at 931-334-6690 or email saybrooktrailfoundation@gmail.com.

Health Fair

Health Fair coming to Local 1853 Union Hall February 4, 2013, 11:00am-5:00pm, twenty plus vendors more info to follow. Plan to attend!

Team Member Classified's

If you have an item(s) that you would like to sell, send us a email (1853news@gmail.com) so that it can be posted in Team Member Classified's. Please be concise and include contact information for the potential buyer to reach you. Ads may be edited for spacing. Your posting will run once per submission space allowing. To repost your ad, you must resubmit each week. Service for hire will not be posted.

