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Business Manager's Report

Hello Brothers and Sisters,

I hope you are having a good fall season and that you have gotten to enjoy some of the cooler weather.

As of right now, I am happy to report that our work picture is looking more consistent. While the recent hurricanes have pushed a couple of our jobs back until the first of the year, we have received a steady uptick in job calls – especially when compared to around this time last year. Thank you to all our talented and hardworking members for manning these projects and doing your best on the job site. We hope to have even more good news to report in the near future, and I thank you for your continued professionalism and support.

I also appreciate everyone keeping the Hall up to date on several of the current rumors concerning various job sites. As of this time, there is nothing definite to report, but I will let you know of any new developments when and if they materialize.

Veterans Day is Saturday, November 11, and I want to offer a special "thank you" to all of our veterans and current active duty members. Your service has helped protect the fabric of a strong and noble nation, and our lives are better because of your selfless and honorable contributions.

I hope that everybody has safe and happy holiday season with plenty of celebrations, and I look forward to seeing you and your families at our annual Christmas party.

In solidarity,

Jeff Sims

Business Manager/Financial Secretary

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- 10 Year Pins** Benjamin Allen, James Allsup, Bradley Asher, Charles Helms, Brandon Hernandez, Earl Hopkins, Bill Huston, Samuel Kemp, Daniel Kraft, Christopher Lee, Mike Robbins, Curtis Royal, Jeff Sims, Gale Stark, Tobby Stumpf, Robert Sullivan, Blake Thompson.
- 15 Year Pins** Anthony Chism, Keith Griffin, Anthony Harrison, Jeremy Mullen, Patrick Skaggs, Jason Thompson, David Ward
- 20 Year Pins** Gary Corley, Don Funston, William W Hill, John Lafferty, Harlan Saulsberry, David Smashey, Richard Steele, Gary Thomas
- 25 Year Pins** George Bridgeman, Joe Bryan, Robert Holtz, Kevin Stone
- 30 Year Pin** Roger Martin
- 35 Year Pins** Larry Lafave, Tommy Turner, Robert Turnipseed, Jim Upshaw
- 40 Year Pins** John Abbott, Tim Anderson, Jerry Brown, David Cook, Howard Graham, Dave Hanoch, Rodney Harmon, Paul Martin, Jeffrey Moore, Lynn Phelan, Mickey Ragsdale, Michael Skinner, Jeanette Williams
- 45 Year Pins** Gordon Ellis, Ernest Hewitt, Larry Jones, Robert Plumlee, Steven Smith, Larry Spencer, Robert Sullivan, Bernard Wakole
- 50 Year Pins** John Barnett, Mark Cloud, David Cloud, Wyndle Corser, Ronald Cummins, Ernest Moore, Tom Quigley, James Shouse, Jerry Stumbo, James Turley, James Vanvelzer
- 55 Year Pins** Douglas McClary, Gerald Turner, Jack Williams
- 60 Year Pins** Charles Bertalot, Charles Bright, Jimmie Dill, Carl Henderson, Tommy Hodges, Kemper Javine Teddy Sewell
- 65 Year Pin** Marvin Vanbeber
- 70 Year Pins** Samuel Cromartie, Ralph Elliott, Harlan Ellis, JD Harris, Donald Thomas

The service pins will be awarded at our Annual Christmas Party. If you are unable to attend please call the hall and we will make arrangements to get your pin to you.

Accidents, Sickness & Deaths

209 – John Arey E2824

Born on October 25, 1936, in Cushing, OK, John was very passionate about his hobbies, which included collecting Native American artifacts that he either found searching river beds and known encampments or purchased at gun shows or flea markets, making arrows from river cane, sinew, willow, and turkey feathers just as the Native Americans did in the old days, collecting bows, fishing, and playing racquetball. John was a union electrician by trade and a veteran of the U.S. Army. John was a gentle, soft spoken soul who will be sorely missed by those who knew and loved him. He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty, to whom he was married to for 33 years. A true testament to the man he was, John cared for Betty the last 15 years of her life as she battled Alzheimer's. He is survived by his son, John Jr, his daughter-in-law Maggie, grandson Adam, granddaughter Maria, and brother Jim.

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210 – James Rolen 7131961

James Gordon Rolen passed away on August 28, 2017 in Oologah at the age of 62. He was born in Tulsa on October 19, 1954 to parents Terrell Franklin Rolen and Jewel L. Bane. Brother Rolen is survived by his sons, Terry Rolen and Theron McMillian; brother, Randy Rolen; sister, Andrea Boyd; and grandchildren, Charleigh, Channing, and Paisley Rolen. James was preceded in death by his parents and his brother, Jeff. Brother Rolen loved taking long rides on his motorcycle and playing darts, and he also found success as a tournament level pool player in his free time. He was dedicated on the job site and enjoyed his career in the electrical trade.

211 – Lawrence Houser D597116

DATE OF BIRTH: January 4th, 1949 - Tulsa, Oklahoma DATE OF DEATH: October 2nd, 2017 - Tulsa, Oklahoma SURVIVED BY: DAUGHTERS: Laurie Husong - Tulsa, Oklahoma Melissa Bly & Husband, Claude - Skiatook, Oklahoma SON: John Houser & Wife, Windy - Skiatook, Oklahoma GRANDCHILDREN Josh, Cody, Jonathon, Amber, Jessica, Megan, Jacob, Cassidy, Hollis, Felicia, Desirae, Jace GREAT GRANDCHILDREN Savannah, Salarah, Stetson, Sterling, Madelyn, Reece, Jett, Jack, Jade, Neveah, Arabella, Abigail, MiaBella, two on the way MOTHER: Wanda Houser - Oakhurst, Oklahoma BROTHER: Mike Houser & Wife, Elvia - Locust Grove, Oklahoma SISTERS: Sharon Dickinson - Mounds, Oklahoma Karron Linam & Husband, Rick - Mounds, Oklahoma Wynetta Bundy - Liberty Mounds, Oklahoma BROTHER-IN-LAW: Bruce Harvey - Talala, Oklahoma He was preceded in death by his wife, Fayette Houser, and his father, Paul Houser. Lawrence was an Electrician and was affiliated with the Pentecostal church. He enjoyed fishing, hunting, golfing, spending time with family, travelling, & helping others. He was a member of IBEW of Tulsa.

212 – Gerald Devin D357646

Brother Gerald Devin passed away on September 8, 2017, at the age of 69. He was born to parents William Lee Devin and Daisy Devin on June 4, 1948 in Oakhurst, Oklahoma. Brother Devin had been a resident of Lakeside, Arizona, for more than 10 years before his passing. Gerald is survived by his two children, daughter Jerra Myher and son Jason Devin, both of whom live in the Tulsa area; brother Ron Devin; sister Linda Robinson; and sister Treva Thurman. He was preceded in death by his parents; sister Marilyn Hayes; sister Carolyn Parrish; brother Donald Devin; and sister Nina Holloway. Brother Devin will be remembered for his hard work and dedication to his trade and local union, as well as for being fond of traveling and the outdoors.

Retiree's Luncheon

The Retirees of 584 meet the **FIRST** Tuesday of every month at the **Cherokee Casino Buffet** at **12:30 p.m.**
Cherokee Casino Buffet, 777 West Cherokee St., Catoosa, OK

Odds N Ends

The hall is going to start using an e-mail system along with our other current avenues of communication to keep you informed and reminded of thing going on or coming up. Please contact the hall to make sure they have your current e-mail address so you can stay up to date.

The Annual Christmas Party will be December 9th at 6:00pm at the JATC. Santa and his elf will be there handing out gifts, there will be a bounce house for the kids, and door prizes. Dinner will be provided. If you are able, please bring a dessert to share. Call the Hall to RSVP so we can get an accurate head count for food and seating.

Upcoming Events

November 1st:	Union Meeting @ Union Hall	7:00pm
November 15th:	E-Board @ Union Hall	2:00pm
November 22nd:	RSVP for Christmas Party	
November 23rd & 24th:	HAPPY THANKSGIVING!	Hall Closed
December 1st:	Union Meeting @ Union Hall	7:00pm
December 9th:	Christmas Party @ JATC	6:00pm
December 20th:	E-Board @ Union Hall	2:00pm
December 25th:	MERRY CHRISTMAS!	Hall Closed