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Local S6 joins A. Philip Randolph Institute Maine

Local Lodge S6 recently became the first organizational member of the A. Philip Randolph Institute. APRI is a constituency group within the AFL-CIO that fights for racial equality and economic justice. All workers deserve dignity and respect, regardless of race. We are proud to align ourselves with a group that was founded to eliminate racism in our workplaces and communities. To become a member of APRI Maine or find out more about the organization please go to aprimaine.org/join.

2024 Rifle Raffle for IAM Grand Lodge Convention

Enter to win a one-of-a-kind rifle to benefit the 2024 IAM Grand Lodge Convention. The Grand Prize is a Custom Winchester .308 bolt action rifle with a scope and engraved stock with the IAM Logo and “Since 1888” on one side and the 2024 IAM Grand Lodge Convention logo and theme on the other side. Additional prizes include: Henry Original Style Replica .45LC, Henry Lever .44 Mag, Henry Lever .410, Henry Eagle Scout Lever .22 LR, and Henry Lever .22 Mag.

Get your tickets now for \$20. Only 3,000 tickets are available. Call Matt Dustin at 207-376-6639. Follow the IAM Eastern Territory Facebook page for updates. The drawing will be held on Aug. 23, 2024, and will be done by Coastal Defense. Participants must be 18 years of age or older. All federal and state laws apply.

401K Professional Money Management Opportunities for Members

A Financial Advisor with experience working with union members’ retirement accounts and Fidelity Investments is available for free consultations. Many of us do not have the experience to manage our own investment accounts to their greatest potential. Any member who wants to utilize professional money management to get the full benefit from their 401k have this opportunity to speak with an advisor to see if it's right for them. Investment plans that are catered specifically to anyone's financial needs are available. For more information call the Benefits Committee at 207-443-5533.

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IAM CORE Members Vote to Authorize Strike

The IAM Coalition of Organized Retail Employees (CORE) has overwhelmingly voted in favor of authorizing a strike at the Apple retail store located in Towson, MD. The vote underscores the frustrations among workers regarding unresolved workplace issues. A potential work stoppage date will be determined by IAM CORE. “This vote today is the first step in demonstrating our solidarity and sends a clear message to Apple,” said members of the IAM CORE Negotiating Committee. “The passage of the strike sanction vote highlights IAM CORE’s unwavering commitment to advocating for the rights and well-being of workers in the face of challenges. As discussions with Apple management continue, we remain committed to securing tangible improvements that benefit all employees.” IAM CORE represents approximately 100 employees at Apple’s retail store in Towson, MD. Their members, who in June 2022 became the first Apple retail store to organize into a union in the United States, have been negotiating with Apple management since January 2023.

Local S6 Secretary-Treasurer Hired as Morse High Varsity Basketball Coach

Congratulations to our very own Secretary-Treasurer Stephen Stewart for being chosen as the next Varsity Basketball Coach for Morse High School right here in Bath. Brother Stewart brings over 20 years of coaching experience and has led teams on the AAU circuit in Maine to win multiple state championships, Northern New England championships, a Zero G National Championship, and most recently the 2023 GymRat Challenge Platinum division championship in Albany, NY. We are proud to have one of our leadership members continue to serve our community outside the gates. There's no doubt that basketball in Bath has a bright future ahead of it.

New Local S6 Union Label

We received a shipment of new Local S6 T-shirts. We have black short sleeve shirts with orange ship designs on the back and gray short sleeves with the American flag on the back. Both shirts are available with or without a chest pocket. If you are interested, call the hall and ask for a Trustee.

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