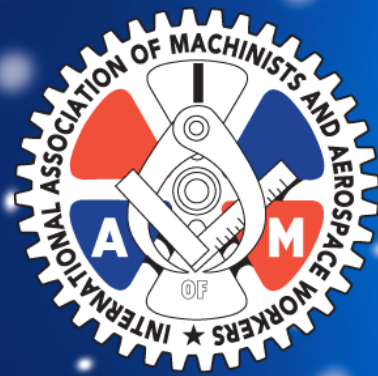


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Presidents Report: by Brad Chase

With the Holidays upon us and as 2021 comes to a close, we would like to wish our Union Members a very merry Christmas and a happy New Year from Local Lodge 1746.

Union Members have done an outstanding job working together in unity through these trying times. This is a time of year to come together in solidarity for the holiday season. Let's not forget all we've done this year in unity, together as Union Brothers and Sisters. Working in unity has strengthened us all. Let's take that strength into the new year, preparing

for a new contract that our Union Members all deserve. Making it through the challenges we faced the last two years has been a victory for all of us. Let us enjoy a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year in solidarity Brothers and Sisters. **HAPPY HOLIDAYS TO ALL!**

Wishes for a Healthy & Happy Holiday from the Women's Committee Co-Chairs

2021 heralded the beginning of the LL1746 Women's Committee. Thank you to all the women who have participated in various ways to help us on our journey to a rich and rewarding collaboration. This is a great time to recognize our power as a group and come together to create the best place to work and further a strong Union.

We accomplished a successful school supply drive in August and have ideas for the next project. Next year promises to be an even better one as we continue to grow and establish a working and vibrant Women's Committee. Don't forget to add our monthly meeting to your calendars. We meet right after the monthly membership meeting on the second Sunday of the month. We will be working to add an alternate afternoon meeting to serve the needs of the AWW and those who can't come on Sundays. Contact Taylor Salman or Thérèse Hervieux (LL1746WC@gmail.com) to add your phone number and email to receive updates and info. Thank you again and we look forward to seeing and working with you all next year.

In Solidarity,

Taylor & Thérèse



Remember Our Troops! Red Shirt Fridays!

**NEW Sweatshirts
Available now at
the Union Hall**



The Union Hall Office has restocked all sizes of the CONTRACT SHIRTS and we just got a shipment of new designs. Stop by the office and see Shay to get some of the latest and greatest Union apparel

A message from your EAP coordinator

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

The holiday season is here and we are rapidly approaching the end of 2021. It has been another hectic year for many of us and I'm sure 2022 will have its own challenges. My sincere hope for each of you is that you are able to find a way to relax and enjoy whatever brings you peace and happiness over the next couple of weeks. Life is short and time is precious. Hopefully you can take some time this holiday season to connect with whatever and/or whoever brings joy into your life.

Thank you for allowing me to be of service. I'm grateful to you all and I wish each and every one of you a happy, healthy and safe holiday season!

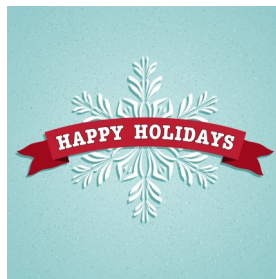
And as always, if there is anything you need, don't hesitate to reach out.

In solidarity,

Sean Marcil; EAP Coordinator,
IAMAW Local 1746

203-528-8701

EAPlocal1746@gmail.com



Machinists Club

Join us at the bar for the annual

Holiday buffet

Starting at 4pm Wednesday (12-22)

Here are some of the Officers email addresses to contact with your concerns and suggestions.

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Contract countdown

as of 12/20/2021:

132 days

Until the current contract expires

LOCAL EXECUTIVE BOARD:

President, Brad Chase; Vice President, Regan Toomey;
Recording Secretary, Howie Huestis; Secretary Treasurer, Kurt Burkhardt;
Conductor/Sentinel, Roy C. Chambers;
Trustees: James Bullock, Therese Hervieux, John Hanusovsky