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### **Thinking of Retiring?**

**Please contact Local** 514's Retirement Counselor Mark Loeber for details. Contact details are listed below:

Mark Loeber TWU, Local 514 **Retirement Counselor** 9175 S. Yale Ave. Suite 200 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74137 918-491-0079

#### **Bankruptcy Information**

Information about the bankruptcy comes almost everyday for hearings etc. The informer only goes out weekly. The Informer is not the best way to keep up with daily information for the membership. We highly recommend that you go to the computer at home or at work and go to www.twu514.org and see daily up to the minute updates. This is the fastest and most reliable way to be informed. You can also sign up for updates at www.twu.org (the **International TWU** 

website).

# Bankruptcy Update, May 30, 2012

The TWU Negotiating Committee met May, 30<sup>th</sup>at the Hurst Conference Center to prepare for court supervised mediation sessions in New York. The Maintenance and Related and Stores work groups rejected AA's last offer on May 15th. The mediated bargaining session will be for these two work groups and begins at 10:00am on Monday June 11. If no agreement is reached, the parties will reconvene on Tuesday June 12 at 1:00pm and continue until the close of business that day.

All seven work groups attended the meeting due to unresolved global issues which affect all TWU represented work groups, including the "me too" clauses.

Attorney Mark Richard explained the recent claim forms mailed out by AMR. Richard detailed the process involved in filing the claim forms and advised negotiators to inform their members that, "if any member believes they have a claim, by all means file one." A member should not rely on anyone else to file a claim on their behalf. The deadline for filing is July 16, 2012.

The judge has also referred APA and APFA to supervised mediated sessions with the company over the next two weeks.

The mediated sessions will be an opportunity for the parties to reach a deal before the judge renders a decision on the 1113 motion to abrogate the contracts on June

TWU Negotiators for Maintenance and Related and Stores want members to understand that one and a half days of supervised mediation, may not provide substantial improvements that have not been attainable over the last four and a half years of negotiations and mediation.

If no agreement is reached during the mediated sessions the judge will rule on AA's motion to abrogate the contracts, and if rejected, the parties will begin negotiations at some point after the 1113 bankruptcy process has concluded.

# **Shop Steward Meeting**

**June 11, 2012** 

7:15 am 11:45 am 3:45 pm

You have a voice, let it be heard!!

## **TWU Blood Drive**

APU Shop - May 29th from 7 AM to 11 AM Wheel and Break Shop - June 6th from 7 AM to 11 AM

#### The Main Base

June 7 <sup>th</sup>	.8AM to 2PM
June 8 <sup>th</sup>	. 8AM to 2PM
June 11 <sup>th</sup>	. 8PM to 2AM
June 12 <sup>th</sup>	. 8PM to 2AM
June 13 <sup>th</sup>	. noon to 7PM
June 14 <sup>th</sup>	. 8AM to 2PM
June 15 <sup>th</sup>	. 8AM to 2PM

All presenting Donors will receive a navy blue pocketed t-shirt. The TWU

Local 514 will be grilling cheeseburgers.

## 11th Annual Brookside Rumble & Roll

#### Thursday, June 7, 2012

Benefits: The Make-A-Wish Foundation of Oklahoma

Motorcycle Parade: 7:00 p.m. Through Cherry St. landing in Brookside

Brookside St. Party Registration at Myers-Duran Harley Davidson, 4848 S Peoria

Big Band Theory!!! Or online at www.rumbleand roll.com 7:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m. \$10.00 per person for registration

(33rd to 36th on South Peoria) Every Rider will be eligible for a chance to win a \$2.500

Myers-Duren Shopping Spree!!!!!

### **Kevin Scott Toolbox**

### We Need a Little Help

Kevin Scott, a member with Local 514, has recently passed away. His family is wanting his toolbox returned to them, however the location of the box was never revealed to his family before his passing. We would appreciate any help you can give on the location of his toolbox. From what we have heard, it is blue in color with a gray snap-on toolbox cover. If anyone knows of the location of Kevin Scott's toolbox please call Malinda Hamm @ 918-576-1717. We really would like to return it to his family.



### **TWU Local 514 Jackets**

Black TWU, Local 514 jackets are on sale at the Union Hall Office for \$35 each, cash or check. Sizes available are S, M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL and 5XL.



Brown TWU, Local 514 jackets are also on sale for \$45 each, cash or check. Sizes available are M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL and 5XL.



Blue denim TWU, Local 514 jackets are on sale for \$25 each, cash or check. Sizes available: M, L, XL, 2XL, 3XL, 4XL and 5XL

Please bring the correct change or a check

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