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Local 514



FYI

Deductions for Local 514's members who have a 2/1/2012 effective date (members who signed up during 2011 open enrollment) will begin Feb. 3, 2012. If your LTD deduction does not start on Feb, 3, please contact Mary Gorremans at 918-384-9483.

Insurance

Letters are being sent to certain Local 514 members informing them of non-payment on their insurance premiums. Due to payroll issues, some of the insurance premiums were not deducted. These premiums will need to be paid in order to keep coverage.

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Jan 22, 2012, 6:00 pm BOK Center

FREE vouchers are available at the Union Hall. Limit 10 per person.

Safety Coordinator Position

Wanted! TWU Base Safety has an opening for a Safety Coordinator. Someone who has a passion for safety and is interested in working with the Tulsa Base Safety group. This is a full-time position and duties will include, but are not limited to: accident reviews; safety walks; being a liaison between TWU and management; lead monthly safety meetings; give safety report-outs at the TWU hall; attend Joint Safety Council meetings; and become familiar with local, state, and federal safety regulations. The Coordinator will be a resource to shop/dock safety teams; provide safety support to the members on the floor; and will provide some training. This position will be filled by the most qualified individual who will be determined through an interview process. This job is fast-paced, busy, and requires selfmotivated, energetic individuals. Experience in Safety is not required but is helpful. Communication and people skills are a must, and clerical skills will be helpful.

Send a resume to aurora.sommer@aa.com or hand deliver to TWU safety office upstairs in Hangar 3&4 (C-10). Contact any of the Safety Coordinators if you have any questions. Applications will be accepted until January 31, 2012. (Aurora Sommer - TWU Tulsa Base Safety)

Michael J Quill Scholarships



Michael J. Quill 1905-1966 TWU Founder

The Michael J Quill Scholarship Applications are now available at the Union Hall or you can download one from www.twu.org. Please read the information below and make sure you qualify.

- You must have the TWU local of the relative, if alive, on whose membership or former membership in TWU your eligibility depends, complete Section C of the application.
- You must have your high school fill out Section D of the application.
- When all sections are completed, the whole application

should be returned to:

Michael J. Quill Scholarship Fund Transport Workers Union of America, AFL-CIO 501 3rd St. NW, 9th Floor Washington, DC 20001

Read below for more information and FAQs on the scholarship.

Since 1969, TWU has been awarding 15 four-year college scholarships annually to the dependents of TWU members. The awards are worth \$1,200 each annually, for a total of \$4,800 over the four year college period.

Winners of the scholarship are determined by a public drawing held each May at TWU Headquarters.

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The benefits of the first 30 drawings have been enjoyed by families throughout the Union. Sons and daughters of members in city passenger transit, railroad and air transportation, utilities, public employment, space installations, and allied industries are among those who began their college education with the help of funds paid to the universities.

The scholarship money is paid directly to the college or university that the successful applicant actually attends. Applications can be secured online and from the first issue of the TWU Express each year.

The Quill Scholarship Program is supervised by International Executive Vice President Harry Lombardo with the able assistance of Executive Secretary to the International Vice President & Secretary-Treasurer Tinisha Thompson.

Frequently Asked Questions on the Quill Scholarship

The applicant must be certified twice. First, a TWU Local must certify the facts that make the applicant eligible. Secondly, the principal of the high school must attest to the fact that the applicant is capable of doing college work. The applicant must comply with the Rules of the Scholarship Fund, available upon request.

Who is eligible?

Sons, daughters and dependent brothers and sisters (claimed with IRS) of present, retired, or deceased TWU members who are High School Seniors and who will enter an accredited college of their own choice beginning with the Fall term are eligible. Sons, daughters, brothers, and sisters of full- time, paid officers of the Union are not eligible.

What is the deadline?

All applications must be received by the Michael J. Quill Scholarship Fund by May 1, 2012.

How is the scholarship paid?

Money is paid directly to the college or university that the successful applicant actually attends.

How does a person apply?

Fill out and send in the application.

How are the winners decided?

By drawing to be held in May of each year at the TWU headquarters. Winners will be notified immediately thereafter.

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 5X.

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

Please bring the correct change or a check

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