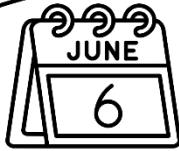


# August 2025 NEWSLETTER



Mark  
your  
Calendar



Brotherhood Party 2026

June 6, 2026



## BROTHERHOOD

### Party 2025



Brother Jesse Sewell  
Winner of 70-quart Igloo

HANGING WITH



DEEZ NUTS

IBEW BROTHERHOOD PARTY  
2025



2025 Cornhole Champs!

Brother Stormy Jones  
& Nathan Walston

Big thanks to everyone who came out and made the Brotherhood Party unforgettable! We had perfect weather, great food, fun games, and an amazing turnout. Huge shoutout to Forest Lake RV Park & Events, Juanito's, Bounce-A-Lot, and The Shelton Band for making it all possible. Over \$2,000 in prizes were given away, and every member left with a Local 301 T-shirt. We can't wait to do it all again on June 6, 2026!



Past and Present Business Managers  
Brother Tony Merritt, Chris Donaldson,  
James Morphew, and Steve Hensel



Megan Walston  
Office Secretary  
& Nikki Foster  
Office Manager

## SERVICE PIN AWARDS

5 Years

Terry Concepcion - Cody Cummings - Jessie Ruiz  
Cullin Underwood

10 Years

Robert Farrar

15 Years

Shawn Hardy

40 Years

Ron Norwood

45 Years

Ben Smith

Members with 5 - 45 years of service are invited to collect their service pins. You can visit the office or attend a union meeting to receive your pin.

### LOCAL UNION OFFICERS

Business Manager - Chris Donaldson

President - Jesse Hill

Vice President - Murice McCloskey

Treasurer - Stormy Jones

Recording Secretary - Stuart Easley



IF NOT DELIVERED RETURN TO  
**IBEW LOCAL 301**  
**PO BOX 490**  
**NASH, TX 75569**

NONPROFIT ORG.  
U.S. POSTAGE PAID  
NASH, TEXAS  
PERMIT NO. 6

## TYLER'S NEGOTIATIONS ARE COMPLETE!

Starting September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025  
Tyler/Longview will receive a \$2.00  
wage increase for JIW. Followed by  
\$1.25 September 2026, and \$1.25 in  
September 2027

We use Square to process all card transactions. You will be  
charged 3.5% + \$.15 in processing fees on top of your total payment.



### IBEW LOCAL 301 UNION HALL

114 Elm Street | PO Box 490, Nash, TX 75569 | (903)838-8531

Chris Donaldson – Business Manager | [Chris@IBEW301.com](mailto:Chris@IBEW301.com)

Nikki Foster – Office Manager | [Nikki@IBEW301.com](mailto:Nikki@IBEW301.com)

Local 301 website  
**ibew301.com**

Check it out to see our previous newsletters, calendar, local death  
benefit fund, open calls, and much more!

Find us on  
**facebook**

### UNION MEETINGS

Regular Meetings are held at 114 Elm Street, Nash,  
TX on the 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of every month.



## death benefit fund

**144. Bobby L. Bevis** | November 28, 1942 – May 3, 2025

Brother Bevis was a proud member of the IBEW for over 60 years.

Please remit your  
owed balance as  
soon as you can:

**\$0**

### HEALTH INSURANCE

#### Action Required by 10/1/2025: Dependent Verification

You will be receiving (or may have already received) a letter from the  
Southwestern Health and Benefit Fund regarding **Dependent  
Eligibility Verification**.

To maintain your **Dependent's** coverage, submit the required  
Verification Form and documents by **October 1, 2025**. Coverage for  
**unverified dependents** will end **March 1, 2026**.

Questions? Contact the Fund Office at **800-527-0320**.

### Notice of Meeting at Tyler, Texas Union Hall

Business Manager, Chris  
Donaldson, will be at the hall on  
**Thursday September 18, 2025**  
**at 6pm** to hold a local union  
meeting for this area. Please be  
in attendance to address any  
concerns.