

UFCW 951 BULLETIN

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The UFCW 951 Bulletin is a regular publication of UFCW 951 designed to give members a quick update of union news and events. It is distributed at the workplace by union representatives and is available online at www.ufcw951.org. To receive email copies of the Bulletin during the first week of publication, call the UFCW 951 Communications Department at 1.800.999.0951.

UFCW 951 ANNOUNCES NEW FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS FOR 2018!

In 2018 the Foundation will be offering two new programs to provide increased benefit to UFCW 951 members and their families. When combined with other programs the Foundation has offered for years, like the Child Care Scholarship and Utility Reimbursement Program, the Foundation will award \$73,000 in scholarships throughout 2018.

\$500 Education Scholarship

In addition to the fifteen \$2,000 College Scholarships awarded in June, the Foundation will now also award five Education Scholarships quarterly. These \$500 scholarships will be awarded directly to the recipients as reimbursements for qualifying educational expenses paid in 2018.

Fees incurred to attend college, a trade school, take language courses or get your GED all qualify. Eligible expenses include course fees, room and board, parking, testing fees, books and other education related expenses.

\$250 Medical Reimbursement Program

The new UFCW 951 Foundation Medical Reimbursement Program will award \$10,000 in 2018 to financially assist members with qualifying medical bills they have paid in 2018. Winners will receive a \$250 award to reimburse them for these essential living expenses. Members who are selected for the Medical Reimbursement may submit receipts for their own medical expenses and copays, as well as those of their dependents.

Winners of all Foundation scholarship and reimbursement



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programs will be selected in January, April, July and October, with the exception of the \$2,000 College Scholarships which are awarded once per year in June. Applications for the 2018 Utility Reimbursement, Child Care, Family Enrichment and College scholarships, as well as the new Education Scholarship and Medical Reimbursement Program, are available now. To see the complete rules and eligibility for each scholarship or to apply, visit www.ufcw951.org/members/scholarships, or contact your union representative at 1.800.999.0951 to receive a paper form.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE UFCW 951 HOLIDAY PARTIES!

The UFCW 951 Holiday Parties are right around the corner! This year's parties will be located in Grand Rapids, Dearborn, Jackson and Lansing. Tickets will be available soon, so be sure to contact your union representative at 1.800.999.0951 to purchase yours. For the first time, members will also be able to purchase tickets to the holiday parties online at www.ufcw951.org beginning in mid October.

Grand Rapids
Monday,
December 4

Dearborn
Wednesday,
December 6

Jackson
Monday,
December 11

Lansing
Wednesday,
December 13



QUARTERLY MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 23 at 7:00 PM

Membership meetings are one way you can ask questions, get involved and hear what's going on with your employer, your industry and your union!

Northern Region
All Seasons Resort
760 S. Cedar St.
Kalkaska

Eastern Region
UAW Local 228
39209 Mound Rd.
Sterling Heights

Central Region
UAW Local 652
426 Clare St.
Lansing

Western Region
UFCW 951 Office
3270 Evergreen Dr. NE
Grand Rapids

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