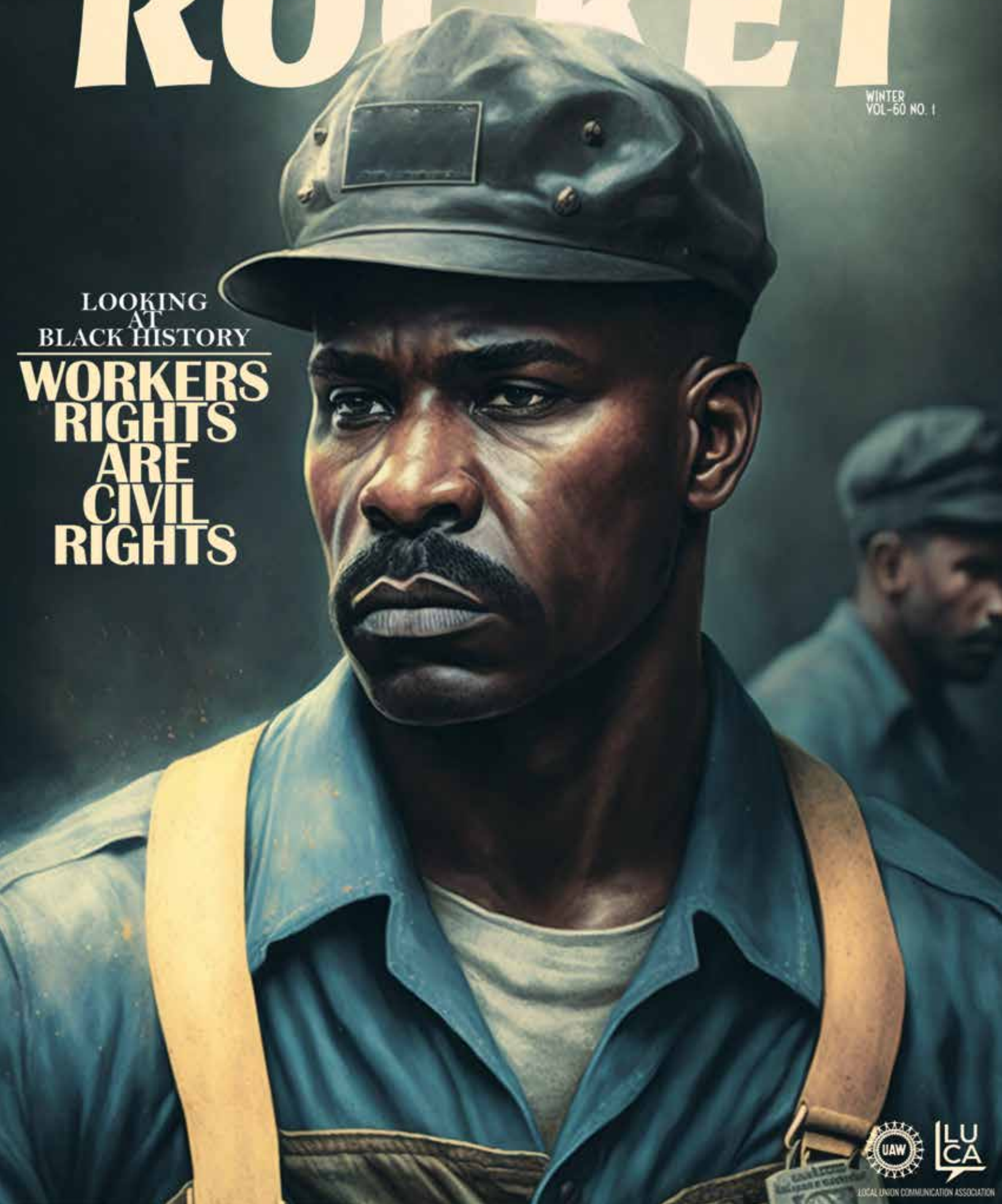


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## GARY HOLMES

### LOCAL 933 PRESIDENT

Greetings Sisters and Brothers,  
Being at the beginning of 2023,  
activities are picking up here at  
the union hall. The 933 Retiree  
Chapter is back to meeting the

second Tuesday of each month starting at 12:00 noon and their card party starts at 11:00 a.m. on the third Tuesday of each month. Keep an eye on the union bulletin boards and our website as we are working on the tentative dates for all of our upcoming activities this year. I appreciate all of our standing committees for everything they do; our events would not be possible without them.

Black History Month is observed annually during the month of February. According to Association for the Study of African American Life and History, "African Americans have resisted historic and ongoing oppression, in all forms, especially the racial terrorism of lynching, racial pogroms, and police killings since our arrival upon these shores." The association's website states, "These efforts have been to advocate for a dignified self-determined life in a just democratic society in the United States and beyond the United States political jurisdiction."

#### *History of Black History Month (Hanna Seariac / Deseret News)*

*In 1915, Dr. Carter G. Woodson founded an organization now known as the Association for the Study of African American Life and History, per Library of Congress. "Through this organization, Dr. Woodson initiated the first Negro History Week in February 1926," the library's website states. This week included the birthdays of both Frederick Douglass and Abraham Lincoln — he chose it to commemorate both of these figures. Woodson's parents were former enslaved persons and Woodson worked from a young age to support his family. He was the second Black American who earned a doctorate from Harvard University. He became a prominent scholar who "fervently believed that Black people should be proud of their heritage and all Americans should understand the largely overlooked achievements of Black Americans," per NAACP. The week that Woodson established was celebrated for several decades as Black Americans faced discrimination and disenfranchisement via Jim Crow laws. According to NPR, the civil rights movement led to increased awareness of Black history.*

*Eventually, the country recognized Black History Month. Former President Gerald Ford said in 1975 that the whole country needed to "recognize the important contribution made to our nation's life and culture by black citizens." A year later, per NPR, Ford officially declared February Black History Month and said that the public should, "seize the opportunity to honor the too-often neglected accomplishments of Black Americans in every area of endeavor throughout our history."*

*This year, President Joe Biden's White House administration issued a proclamation on Black History Month. The statement said, "During National Black History Month, we honor and continue the work of Black Americans who have created a more fair and inclusive democracy, helping our Nation move closer to the realization of its full promise for everyone."*

*The true message of Black History Month: Hope never dies.*

A special thank you to our Civil and Human Rights Committee: Always striving to ensure a fair and equitable place to work within these plants, for all of our members at UAW Local 933.

In Solidarity,

Gary Holmes, President  
UAW Local 933

# Local 933

## Fall 2023 ACTIVITIES

For all hourly in good standing ATI/Speedway Unit, RR/Maywood Unit, Ryder Integrated Logistics Unit, ABM Unit, and Ford INHVC Unit employees, retirees, and their immediate family.

# TURKEY CONTEST

### RULES:

All hunting laws of Indiana will be complied with.  
You must enter the 2023 season to be eligible for prize.  
Winner will be decided by combination of weight, \*beard and spur length. Any ties will share the prize equally.  
**Entries must be paid seven (7) days prior to a turkey check-in.**

\*The longest beard will be counted, i.e. double beard(longest beard).

**\$300  
REGULAR SEASON PRIZE  
\$100  
YOUTH PRIZE**

Age 18 or younger, still in high school, must be compliant with Indiana hunting laws through grade 12(child, stepchild, grandchild, or step-grandchild of member)

### TURKEY MUST BE CHECKED-IN AT:

**THE OUTDOORSMAN**  
1010 South State Road 135  
Greenwood, IN 46142  
317.881.7446

**BAKERS CAMP TAXIDERMY**  
Call before checking in  
4146 East CR 650 North  
Bainbridge, IN 46105  
765.552.FURS(3877)

Once turkey is checked-in, **BE SURE YOU GET** your **AVO** receipt. **BE SURE TO SPECIFY** you are in the **UAW Local 933 Turkey Contest.**

### HOW TO ENTER:

All entries have a \$10 entry fee - check made payable to UAW Local 933/Turkey Contest. Entry forms are available at the UAW Local 933 Union Hall, [www.local933.com](http://www.local933.com), or from **Brad "Coondog" Hall - 317.946.5216.**

# BASS TOURNAMENT

**Saturday, April 15, 2023**

**ENTRY DEADLINE: Friday, April 14, 2023**

**MONROE RESERVOIR (Cutwright Ramp) \$50.00/team - 100% Payback  
BIG BASS included in Entry Fee - NO REFUNDS**

Life Preservers Required

Artificial Lure Only - NO LIVE BAIT

30 Boat Limit

5 fish limit per boat

14" limit - Large Mouth, Small Mouth and Kentucky Spotted Bass only.

All live fish released

Starting positions and tournament hours to be decided at ramp

Boat checks starting at 5:30 a.m. Entrants not present 15 mins before take-off will be disqualified

Take-off legal sunrise

**Lake is NOT off limits before tournament.**

**Entry must be submitted on SPRING 2023 form. NO EXCEPTIONS!**

**Forms available at the UAW Local 933 Union Hall, [www.local933.com](http://www.local933.com), or contact Darrell Yates - 317.697.1320 (Cell)**

**RELEASE AND WAIVER MUST BE COMPLETED AND SIGNED BY BOTH PARTICIPANTS. FAILURE TO DO SO MAY DISQUALIFY YOU FROM TOURNAMENT. CASH OR CHECK PAYABLE TO: UAW LOCAL 933/BASS TOURNAMENT. NO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES OR ILLEGAL SUBSTANCES ALLOWED DURING TOURNAMENT HOURS. VIOLATIONS OF THIS RULE WILL BE CAUSE FOR DISQUALIFICATION.**



## **JOHN SNOW**

LOCAL 933/RR  
CHAIRMAN

### **Black History Month**

Each year during the month of February, the United States celebrates the history of Black Americans and their contributions to our country. When Harvard-trained historian Carter G. Wilson and prominent Minister Jesse E. Moorland founded the Association for the Study of Negro Life and History, I doubt they ever realized it would be the event it is today nearly a century later. Today, Black History Month includes great accomplishments by African Americans in all fields of society including activist and civil rights pioneers such as Harriet Tubman, Rosa Parks, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. and Malcolm X. As racial barriers fall, we still have room to grow as we eliminate all social injustice. There are several events locally you can be a part of by visiting [www.visitindy.com](http://www.visitindy.com). UAW Local 933 also concludes the month with the Charles S. Kinchelow Sr. Civil and Human Rights Celebration/Dinner February 25<sup>th</sup> 2023. Please come out and join us. Tickets are available at the Local 933 Union Hall.

### **V-280 Update**

In December 2022, the United States Army selected Bell Helicopters V-280 Valor with Rolls-Royce AE 1107 F Turboshaft as the engine supplier. Since that time the competitor, Sikorsky SB>1 Defiant has protested the Army's decision. The time frame for the protest is 100 days or by April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2023. This contract is a generational amount of work amounting to 4,000 plus engines and spare parts. Public announcement of this contract cannot be revealed until the protest has been completed and a clear winner has been named.

### **New Hires**

Recently Rolls-Royce has added up to 40 new heads in hourly manufacturing. This is in part due to retirements and vacancies from employees departing manufacturing to fill new skilled trades apprentice jobs. We would like to welcome all new UAW Local 933 Rolls-Royce employees and a special thanks to our UAW Training Center for the complete over-haul of the new hire orientation. This process has been a 100% improvement.

### **International Executive Board Run-Off Election**

As I write this article, the International Executive Board Run-Off Election is in full stride. Our International President's position is between the current President Ray Curry, and his opposition Shawn Fain. There is one Vice-Presidential spot left to fill, which will be between current UAW Vice-President Chuck Browning and his competitor Tim Bressler. As UAW Members, it is our duty to vote. Please do not take this lightly because our vote will determine our future UAW leadership. February 28, 2023 is the deadline for all ballots to be received by the U.S. Post Office in Dayton, Ohio. On March 1, 2023, the vote count commences.

Union Strong,  
John Snow  
Local 933 Rolls-Royce  
Bargaining Chairman



Contrary to what management thinks, there is more to the membership than they would lead you to believe. In this section we are highlighting members, because we know that we are...

## More than a Name and Dept.

**Member Name:** John Bultman Jr.  
**Local 933 Unit:** RR  
**Plant:** Single Crystal Operations  
**Classification:** Cast Producer  
**Years of seniority:** 16  
**Social Media:** [www.facebook.com/wildheartband](http://www.facebook.com/wildheartband)  
**Phone:** 317-670-3210

John has worked at Rolls-Royce for 16 years and currently works at SCO as a Cast Producer. Wildheart started in the mid 90's with John and Eddie Bultman and has transitioned over the years to become a 6-piece country rock band based on the southside of Indianapolis. Members include John Bultman Jr., Chris Creek (27 years seniority at Rolls-Royce), Tony Spurlin, Rick Waswick, Greg Mrakich and Zack Brown. You can hear them playing some of your favorite covers from Johnny Cash, George Strait, The Eagles, Tom Petty and some original material around central Indiana. Check out [www.wildheartband.net](http://www.wildheartband.net) for upcoming shows and information on booking them or 3 of Heart, a three piece acoustic band, for your next event.



John Bultman Jr.



# EASTER EGG HUNT

## UAW LOCAL 933 SHELTER HOUSE

2320 S. Tibbs Avenue

**Saturday**  
**April 1, 2023**  
**9:30 am - 11:30 am**

Easter Egg Hunt Start Times are as Follows...

### AGES START TIMES

5 & under	9:45 am
6+	10:15 am

Allison Transmission  
Rolls-Royce  
ABM  
Ryder  
Ford INHVC

Active and Retiree Members of Local 933 Welcome

Please RSVP to Local 933  
317-247-6661 ext. 21  
by

**Friday**  
**March 24, 2023**

(Leave your name with number of adults & number of children)

Pastries, Milk, Orange Juice, and Coffee will be available

For questions contact Alyssa McCammon  
765-729-7370

# UAW Local 933

## SCHOLARSHIP 2023 PROGRAM

One (1) scholarship will be awarded, \$1,500.00, to an eligible participant. The scholarship is only available for a child, stepchild, grandchild, or ward of an UAW Local 933 active, retired or deceased member in good standing.

Entrant must be a 2023 graduating high school senior entering a college/university or recognized technical/vocational post-secondary school as a full-time student to apply. All entry requirements including essay topic is included with application.

Applications are available February 15, 2023 at the Local 933 Union Hall and on the Local 933 website at [www.local933.com](http://www.local933.com).

The application/essay MUST be mailed:

**Certified Mail-Return Receipt Requested - NO EXCEPTIONS**

Entry Deadline:

**April 10, 2023**



**GEORGE  
FREEMAN III**  
*LOCAL 933/ATI  
CHAIRMAN*

Brothers and Sisters:

2023 will bring forth some grand opportunities for many organized labor unions as their Collective Bargaining

Agreement is set to expire. Organized labor unions have suffered for many years through concessionary contracts and meager gains on their benefits and wages to keep the doors open for their employers while, simultaneously, the employer rakes in record profits each year. Close to 700,000 organized labor members will have the opportunity to vote on their upcoming contract to

seek gains through equitable negotiations that have been one-sided for far too long.

As the UAW International Executive Board President Race is still up in the air, the message throughout the campaign trail for both candidates has been that the UAW will pursue and promote an aggressive stance to ensure equality for its members during upcoming contract negotiations.

The Teamster Union President took an even more aggressive stance with its membership by blatantly stating, “The days of concessions and walking over our members are over”. We won’t extend negotiations by a single day. We’ll either have a signed agreement that day or be hitting the pavement. {Labor Notes} This stance sums it up for organized labor members. We are sick and tired of being sick and tired. So let’s beat the pavement and demand a fair contract and no division amongst union workers; we must eliminate tiers and temp workers across the organized labor union spectrum.

Striking the employer is the most powerful tool in our toolbox. Still, sadly to say, that tool is in jeopardy of being struck down by conservative members of the Supreme Court who carries animosity toward labor unions.

The case of Glacier Northwest vs International Brotherhood of Teamsters hinges on challenging the rule that protects workers’ “right to strike” as a longstanding concerted activity. In the mentioned case, the employer is seeking damages from the labor union when they went out on strike, stating the union members left cement in the trucks causing harm and damaging their equipment. Therefore, the union should be liable for all damages. With such vague language and interpretation of the upcoming ruling, the Supreme Court could solely rule the union is responsible for the employer’s lost revenue during an economic strike. If this ruling falls in favor of the employer, our weapon to strike is no longer effective; it’s nothing more than a threat with no teeth.

In Solidarity,  
George Freeman III  
Bargaining Chairman Local 933/ATI Unit



Black History Month is a time to celebrate the contributions and achievements of black Americans and to acknowledge the struggles and injustices they have faced in American history. One of the critical areas where black Americans have fought for their rights is in the workplace and in the wider civil rights movement. Two key figures in this struggle were Walter Reuther and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., both were prominent leaders in the fight for workers' rights and civil rights in the mid-20th century. Their approaches to social and political activism were different, but both were motivated by a deep commitment to justice and equality in America, and they often worked together to achieve these goals.

Reuther, as president of the United Auto Workers union, was a labor leader and civil rights activist who played a significant role in improving the rights of workers in the mid-20th century. Reuther was a strong advocate for collective bargaining and equal pay for equal work, and safe working conditions. He also worked to end discrimination in the workplace. Reuther helped lead successful strikes and negotiations that resulted in better wages and benefits for workers. Reuther was also a vocal supporter of civil rights and advocated for the integration of public spaces, including schools and housing.

Dr. King, on the other hand, was a Baptist minister and one of the most iconic figures in American history and is widely recognized for his leadership in the civil rights movement. King's work was centered on achieving equal rights for African Americans in all areas of society including, but not limited to, the right to vote, access to quality education and housing, and the end of segregation.

Despite their different areas of focus, the two leaders had a strong working relationship and collaborated on several important initiatives. Reuther and King knew the importance of linking the struggle for workers' rights with the wider struggle for civil rights. For example, in 1961, Reuther joined King in the famous Freedom Rides, which were organized to protest segregation in public transportation and with Reuther's support and involvement helped to bring attention to the important connections between workers' rights and civil rights.

King's famous "I Have a Dream" speech, delivered at the March on Washington in 1963, in which Reuther was present and also spoke, remains an inspiring call for equality and justice for all Americans. In 1968, King organized the Memphis sanitation strike, which sought to improve the working conditions and pay of black sanitation workers. Reuther strongly supported the strike and used his influence to bring national attention to the cause. Sadly, King was assassinated in Memphis just a few weeks after the start of the strike, but his legacy and the causes he fought for inspired many future leaders. Years before in 1948, Reuther survived an assassination attempt in his own home in which he was hit by a shotgun fired through a window. Even after King's death, Walter Reuther inspired by King continued the struggle for justice and equality.

Black History Month is an opportunity to remember and celebrate the contributions and sacrifices of black Americans, and to acknowledge the ongoing struggle for workers' rights and civil rights. Walter Reuther and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. were two of the most influential figures in this struggle and their legacy continues to inspire and guide us toward a more just and equal society. The relationship between Walter Reuther and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. was one of mutual respect and collaboration and emphasized the importance of linking the struggle for workers' rights with the wider struggle for civil rights. By working together to achieve their shared goals of justice and equality for all Americans, they have inspired civil leaders for many years and will do so for years to come.







## **DON REED**

*RETIREE  
CHAIRMAN*

This is my first letter to the UAW Local 933 Retiree Chapter since becoming the Retiree Chapter Chairman.

We lost a good Union Brother when we lost Ron Long. He was a strong Union Leader as well as a great guy. We will miss him very much.

On a lighter note, the Board is working on the UAW Local 933 Retiree Chapter 2023 Event Schedule. We plan on having a couple of gambling trips and a mystery trip. We will try and have our Beef and Boards Dinner Trip as well. Steve Campbell has tickets for the Cincinnati Reds Game on July 20<sup>th</sup>. It's always

a fun day.

Our 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of each month Euchre Card Party is back! Please bring a dish to share.

All of our Union Meetings and Luncheon on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Tuesday of each month will now be catered. Can't wait to see our old friends and new ones too!

In Solidarity,  
Don Reed  
Retiree Chapter Chairman, Local 933

# **Welcome our new Retiree Chapter Chairman and Congratulations to our newest Retirees!**

## **UAW LOCAL 933 4th QUARTER 2022 RETIREMENTS**

### **OCTOBER 2022**

Kenneth R. Berger	ATI
Gerald G. Footman	RR
James L. Tolle	ATI
Donald E. Watson	ATI
Thomas L. Whittemore	RR

### **NOVEMBER 2022**

James W. Dugan	RR
John C. Kelley	ATI
Jon G. Nice	RR
Stephen P. Searcy	RR

### **DECEMBER 2022**

Robert J. Chynoweth	RR
Steven M. Clarkson	RR
Rickie D. King	RR



# Local 933 Retiree Chapter 2023 Event Schedule



Schedule subject to changes/additions as they occur.

## ALL MEALS ARE CATERED

Except card party pitch-ins

### JANUARY

- 10—Meeting/Lunch (Subway Box) – Noon
- 17—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 19—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### FEBRUARY

- 14—Meeting/Valentine Luncheon – Noon
- 21—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 23—CAP Meeting – 3 pm
- 25—\*Civil & Human Rights Banquet @ UAW Local 933  
– Cost \$30 – 5 pm

### MARCH

- 14—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 21—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 22—Beef & Boards Theatre – “Footloose” – Doors Open  
11 am – Drive Self (Contact Phyllis Smith)
- 23—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### APRIL

- 01—\*Easter Egg Hunt @ UAW Local 933  
– 9:30 am-11:30 am
- 11—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 13—Four Winds Casino – Coffee Only – bus leaves Union Hall  
@ 7:30 am (Contact JoAnn Reaves)
- 18—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 20—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### MAY

- 09—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 16—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 18—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### JUNE

- 13—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 20—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 22—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### JULY

- 11—Meeting/Lunch (Hot Dogs and Hamburgers) – Noon
- 15—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 17—CAP Meeting – 3 pm
- 20—Cincinnati Reds Baseball Game \$37.00 - coffee only  
– bus leaves Union Hall at 8:30 am (Contact Steve Campbell)

### AUGUST

- 08—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 15—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 16—Mystery Trip – Coffee Only – bus leaves Union Hall at 7:30  
am – (Contact Nora Stockton)
- 17—CAP Meeting – 3 pm
- 19—\*Veteran’s Car Show @ American Legion Post 64
- 26—\*Community Labor Celebration – More info to follow

### SEPTEMBER

- 12—Meeting/Lunch – Noon
- 16—\*UAW Local 933 Memorial Ride @ UAW Local 933
- 19—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 21—CAP Meeting – 3 pm

### OCTOBER

- 10—Meeting/Lunch (Hot Dogs and Hamburgers) – Noon
- 12—Belterra Casino – TBA
- 17—CAP Meeting – 3 pm
- 19—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am

### NOVEMBER

- 14—Meeting/Thanksgiving Luncheon – Noon
- 16—CAP Meeting – 3 pm
- 21—Card Party (pitch-in) – 11 am
- 27—Decorate Hall for Christmas – 9:30 am  
(Chili @ 11:30 am)

### DECEMBER

- 06—Beef & Boards Theatre – “White Christmas” – Doors  
Open 11 am – Drive Self (Contact Phyllis Smith)
- 09—\*Breakfast with Santa @ UAW Local 933 – 8:30 am-  
11:00 am
- 12—Meeting/Christmas Luncheon – Noon
- 19—Card Party (Pizza) – 11 am

\* Joint Activity for Active and Retired Members of UAW Local 933



**Don Reed, Chairperson**  
**UAW Local 933 Retiree Chapter**  
**317-247-6661 (leave message at Union Hall)**

Please have your **LOCAL 933 RETIREE MEMBERSHIP CARD** available for admittance if requested.

Lunch provided, and planned activities, for dues-paying Retired Local 933 members and dues-paying Associate members. Both Retired member and Associate member may bring their spouse or one guest to all luncheons and planned activities, unless indicated otherwise. **Children/Grandchildren allowed ONLY IN EMERGENCY SITUATIONS with prior notice only.**

All trips depart from Local 933 Union Hall unless otherwise noted.

TBA=To Be Announced [Time & Location, etc.]

This schedule is tentative and subject to change due to conditions beyond our control.

# INDIANA MILITARY & VETERANS LEGISLATIVE DAY

TUESDAY JAN 10, 2023

The purpose of this event is to be aware of any legislation regarding Veterans in the State of Indiana, for future, present, and recent past.

The event consisted of over 50 vendors and exhibitors hosted by State Representative, Renee Pack.

There was a moment of silence from Mike Clark, Army Veteran and President of Rolling Thunder.

Introduction was delivered by John Bartlett, Founder and House Legislative Sponsor State Representative.

There were three guest speakers, all being Army Veterans:

Tommy Pension Jr, Buffalo Soldier Member  
Pat O'Donnell

Sammy Davis Jr, Medal of Honor Recipient

Thank you to UAW Local 933 and our members for having Frank Islas and I attend this event.

Jeremy Richard, USMC

UAW Local 933 Veterans Chairman



## Local 933 2022 Largest Deer Contest Winners



The 2022 winners of the Gun and Bow Largest Deer Contest is a father and son duo, and with no other youth entering a harvest, the son also claimed the Youth Category.

Saturday, September 24, 2022 found Charlie Jones (son of Tom Jones, Rolls-Royce) in an afternoon hunt harvesting a nice 174.3 pound buck to win the Gun Contest. Congrats Charlie!

Tom Jones, Rolls-Royce Midnight shift Victory Building on November 5, 2022 harvested a 208 pound brute with his crossbow to win the Bow Contest. Congrats Tom!

Thanks to all that entered and don't forget to enter the 2023 UAW Local 933 Spring Turkey Contest.

Brad Hall

# BREAKFAST WITH SANTA





# SCOTT LAWSON FINANCIAL SECRETARY

## COMBINED FUNDS REPORT 4TH QUARTER 2022 (October, November, December)

**Beginning Balance** **\$780,090.99**

Dues/Regular (Private Sector)	\$453,554.22
Dues/Bonus-Profit Sharing	14,834.30
Dues/Retired Workers @ 35%	12,971.92
Dues/Retired Workers @ \$1.00 or \$2.00	81.00
Area Retiree Councils	86.07
Initiation Fees/International	57.00
Initiation Fees/Local	1,083.00
Donation/Other	2,373.02
Exchanges	281.00
Interest/Commercial Checking Account	17.05
Interest/CD's	9.11
Interest/Savings Account	147.28
Rents/Building, Office, Property	11,923.98
Rents/Gyms and Recreation Halls	460.00
Rents/Refundable Deposits	500.00
Sales - Fundraising Items	1,270.00
Sales - Refreshments (Food & Drink)	277.00
Soc & Rec Entry Fees (Sport Events, Etc.)	130.00
Refund/Maintenance & Repair	1,500.00
Refund/Refreshments (Coffee, Food, Etc.)	100.00
Refund/Supplies	300.00
Refund/Travel Pd to Airline, Agency, Hotel	2,564.09

**Income Total** **\$504,520.04**

<b>EXPENDITURES:</b>	
Wages (Officers)	\$34,421.68
Wages (Clerical)	39,658.29
Wages (Maintenance and Security)	10,016.40
Wages (Organizers)	13,000.00
Lost Time (Officers)	12,533.87
Lost Time (Others)	20,023.03
Weekly/Monthly Exp Allowance - Officers	4,095.00
Weekly/Monthly Exp Allowance - Others	1,560.00
Officers/Non-Tax Travel, Per Diem	2,592.50
Organizers/Non-Tax Travel, Per Diem	5,229.01
Others/Non-Tax, Travel, Per Diem	2,820.25
Holiday/Clerical	1,350.88
Vacation/Clerical	11,073.47
Holiday/Maintenance & Security	326.40
Vacation/Maintenance & Security	979.20
Refund/Maintenance & Repair	18.58
Refund/Supplies	94.39
FEDERAL Taxes	15,770.40-
FICA Taxes	9,240.35-
MECA Taxes	2,160.76-
Local/County Taxes	2,797.97-
Indiana State Taxes	4,844.91-
Simple IRA/Employee Deduction	2,990.00-
Union Dues	676.29-
United Way Deduction	260.00-
Refund/Regular Dues	229.93
Refund/Reception Hall	200.00
Refund/Damage Deposit Rental of Hall	600.00
Federal Income Taxes Forwarded	15,770.40
FICA Forwarded, Employee	11,401.11
State Income Taxes Forward	5,360.08
County Income Taxes Forward	3,040.95

Charitable Contributions Forward	260.00
Retirement Savings Forward (Simple IRA)	2,990.00
Union Dues Forward	887.32
FICA/Employer Share	11,401.11
Unemployment Taxes - Federal	407.96
Unemployment Taxes - State	356.46
Dental/Hearing/Medical/Vision Insurance	22,939.05
Disability/Sickness & Accident Ins	350.64
Group Life Insurance	1,237.02
Medical Fee Reimbursements	130.05
Pension Allocation	4,224.00
Retirement Savings (Simple IRA) Employer	1,621.91
Athletic Part: Tournament Prizes	600.00
Bank Charges-Service Fees, NSF, Etc.	44.00
Bank Errors (that decrease bank balance)	330.00
Bank Errors (that increase bank balance)	0.33-
Insurance (Fire, Theft, General Liability)	5,779.89
Maintenance & Repairs	2,922.03
Taxes (Real Estate-Property)	9,754.25
Utilities (Building Ownership)	10,628.60
Cartage & Freight Fees	346.24
Donations - Charities	24,066.22
Donations - Other	500.00
Door Prizes	800.00
Entertainment (Bands, Magicians, Etc.)	500.00
Exchange	176.00
Flowers, Bibles, Cards, Donations in Lieu	2,227.80
Furniture & Equipment-Leases & Rentals	414.21
Insurance - Special Event Liability	212.10
Per Capita Taxes - International	385,572.17
Per Capita Taxes - CAP Council	19,783.07
Per Capita Taxes - Retiree Councils	86.07
Per Capita Taxes - Retired Workers @ 65%	122.85
Per Capita Taxes - AFL-CIO	8,930.40
Postage	789.54
Printing Costs/Pamphlets & Literature	618.00
Professional Fees/Legal	2,250.00
Recognition/Service Awards	2,550.00
Refreshments - Caterers	13,060.50
Refreshments/Coffee, Donuts, Food, Soft Drks	1,707.00
Refreshments - Meals at Restaurant	2,631.39
Registration/Conference/Tuition Fees	300.00
Resale Items/Fundraising Items	30.00
Resale Items-Refreshments	102.93
Service Fees - Sorting, Mailing	5,979.73
Soc & Rec Events/Halloween Parties	335.97
Soc & Rec Events/Breakfast with Santa	675.90
Soc & Rec Events/Dinners, Lunches, Banquets	1,430.53
Supplies-Office	5,672.39
Telephone	103.44

**Expenditure Total** **\$716,493.15**

**Total** **\$568,117.88**

	October 2022	November 2022	December 2022
Beginning Balance:	\$780,090.99	\$771,526.40	\$819,990.78
Income:	\$208,160.79	\$282,894.08	\$13,465.17
Expenditures:	\$216,725.38-	\$234,429.70-	\$265,338.07-
<b>Difference:</b>	<b>\$8,564.59-</b>	<b>\$48,464.38</b>	<b>\$251,872.90-</b>
Balance:	\$771,526.40	\$819,990.78	\$568,117.88

**Beginning Balance** **\$780,090.99**  
**Income** **\$504,520.04**  
**Expenditures** **\$716,493.15-**  
**Difference** **\$211,973.11-**  
**Balance** **\$568,117.88**

**Bank Balance/Comm. Account.** **\$436,487.16**  
**Money Market Savings Account** **58,587.45**  
**Certificate of Deposit** **49,560.14**  
**Certificate of Deposit** **23,483.13**

**TOTAL CASH ASSETS** **\$568,117.88**

Respectfully submitted by, subject to audit: Scott Lawson  
Financial Secretary-Treasurer UAW Local 933

# IN MEMORIAM

## OCTOBER 2022

Ervin Amick (Spouse).....	Ret.
Eric Bateman (Mother) .....	9301
<b>Richard “Scott” Bruce .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Gary Calvert (Father).....	Ret.
Kathleen Cavanagh (Mother).....	3594
Curtis Chapman (Grandmother) .....	1451
<b>Richard Eugene Chelf.....</b>	<b>0587</b>
<b>Robert Durbin .....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Jerry Erisman (Spouse’s Mother).....	1512
Shelly “Buck” Everett.....	0535
Yolanda Grier (Mother).....	2F03
Deborah Harting (Spouse) .....	Ret.
George Howard (Grandfather).....	1343
Dwayne Landrey (Mother) .....	4571
<b>Larry Lynch.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Renard Mahone (Brother).....	0590
Jack McBride (Spouse).....	Ret.
Elvin Newby (Spouse) .....	Ret.
Jerald Painter (Spouse’s Father).....	0561
Candy Jo Simpson (Daughter).....	Ret.
David Smotherman (Brother) .....	1228
Kirk Tomlinson (Spouse).....	0583
<b>John E. Trout.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Robert Vedder (Sister).....	0551
Mike Wells (Mother).....	4594

### CORRECTION of an error posted August, 2022:

Bryan Henson (Spouse’s Mother).....	0505
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## NOVEMBER 2022

Butch Abrams (Spouse).....	Ret.
Alphonso Banton (Grandson) .....	0591
<b>Daniel Barker .....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Ronald Blakley (Spouse) .....	Ret.
William Boone (Father) .....	4560
Anthony Bournes (Spouse’s Stepparent) .....	2236
Jeffrey Drane (Son).....	ABM
<b>Lonnie Embery.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Gabriel Formica (Grandparent).....	6F41
Dave Inman (Sister).....	8312
<b>Joe Jefferson .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>William Jellison.....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Willis Johnson (Grandmother).....	3574
Jeff Kingsbury (Spouse’s Father).....	0535
<b>Marvin Lay.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Ron Long.....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Brian Lowhorn (Father).....	4599
<b>Milton Lowhorn .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>

Ronald Mays (Spouse’s Parent).....	1451
Glenn Murff (Mother).....	4599
David Owen (Parent) .....	6F01
Lloyd Pence (Spouse).....	Ret.
<b>James A. Perry .....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Robert E. Robinson.....	Ret.
Valerie Rose (Stepmother).....	0593
Michael Taylor (Father) .....	4571
Patricia Wenning (Sister) .....	2201
<b>Stephen Williams.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Josh Willits (Spouse’s Father).....	0590

## DECEMBER 2022

Maria Amezcua (Mother).....	2201
<b>Carolyn Baldwin .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Steven D. Barnes .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Kenneth Bauers.....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
<b>Larry G. Bland.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Sarah Boyd .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Everlene Brewer.....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Homer D. Britt.....</b>	<b>0591</b>
Charlie Brown (Spouse).....	Ret.
Robert Ciyou (Spouse).....	Ret.
Steve Clark (Mother) .....	0590
Steven A. Clark (Spouse).....	Ret.
Paul Dalton (Spouse’s Grandmother) .....	0561
Gilbert Elliott (Spouse’s Father) .....	1518
Tim Finke (Brother).....	0874
Robert Floreancig (Spouse) .....	Ret.
<b>Danny Gebby .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Donald “Doc” Holliday (Mother).....	4559
<b>John Isenbarger .....</b>	<b>3587</b>
John D. Jones (Spouse).....	Ret.
Matt Mann (Grandmother).....	1518
David Pingleton (Father).....	Ret.
<b>James E. “Mitch” Pingleton.....</b>	<b>Ret.*</b>
Chris Smith (Father) .....	0593
<b>Donald L. Sparks .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
<b>Ron Wagner .....</b>	<b>Ret.</b>
Tarra Warsaw (Spouse) .....	4594
Chad Wilmoth (Grandmother) .....	4592

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# UPCOMING LOCAL 933

## Membership Meetings

**Skilled Trades Unit Meeting**  
**Sunday, March 12, 2023**  
**@ 1:00 p.m.**

**AGENDA**  
Regular Order of Business

**Regular Membership Meeting**  
**Sunday, March 12, 2023**  
**@ 2:00 p.m.**

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