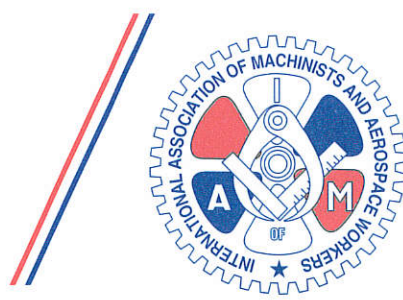


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October 30, 2014

Subj: 2015 Program for Women

To All Recording Secretaries of Local Lodges and Secretary-Treasurers of District Lodges in the United States and Canada:

Dear Sisters and Brothers:

This letter will serve to announce the date of the 2015 Women’s Programs scheduled at the William W. Winpisinger Education and Technology Center.

As the Women’s Department prepares to enter into its eighteenth year, we can look back on over a decade of accomplishments. Accomplishments that include more active involvement from our sisters in the workplace, a larger number of sisters filling positions of leadership within our great union, as well as an increased number of sisters participating in organizing drives and political campaigns.

Many of these benchmark successes could not have been possible if it were not for programs such as our IAM Women’s Programs held at the Winpisinger Center. These programs offer sisters the opportunity to come together in a learning environment. Classroom instruction as well as networking and the sharing of experiences, help our sisters develop skills to mentor and motivate their fellow sisters upon returning home. Under the tutelage of IAM Education Representatives and other union leaders, the participants realize neither industry nor geography change the problems facing working families, but gives us differing experience upon which to seek solutions.

We rely on you, the leadership of our Districts and Locals to help identify the sisters within your lodges that would benefit from participating in these leadership education programs. These sisters should have a general interest in learning more about their union, building solidarity among the membership and be willing to actively bring working women and family issues to the forefront.

The scheduled date for 2015 is May 31 – June 5, 2015.

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Enclosed is the enrollment form for the program noted above. These forms may be duplicated as needed. **It is imperative that ALL information requested be provided, as incomplete forms will not be processed.** Completed forms should be submitted by mail to:

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ATTN: Women's Department
9000 Machinists Place
Upper Marlboro, MD 20772
or by fax to – 301-967-4515

All programs are filled on a first come – first served basis. Please note that this program will fill up quickly. Swift action by the Lodge will ensure space for participants from your Lodge. For planning purposes, please be advised that enrollment procedures require that the list of participants registering for the class be provided to the Winpisinger Center a minimum of 12 weeks prior to the start of the class.

I thank you in advanced for your continued support of our women's program and look forward to participation by your Lodge.

In solidarity,



R. Thomas Buffenbarger
International President

Enclosure

cc: Executive Council
Babineaux
Wagoner
Kelley

Participant Registration Form
 William W. Winpisinger Education and Technology Center
 2015 Departmental Programs
Women Basic Program - May 31 – June 5, 2015

Mandatory - The following information must be filled in
Full Legal Name (as printed on your government issued ID)

First Name: _____ Middle Name: _____
 Last Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____
 Title: _____ Local Lodge: _____ District Lodge: _____
 Gender: _____ Territory: _____
 Mailing Address: _____
 City: _____ Province/ State: _____ Postal Code/ Zip Code: _____
 Home Phone: _____ - _____ Work Phone: _____ - _____
 Cell Number: _____ - _____ Fax Number: _____ - _____
 E-Mail Address: _____
 Last 4 digits of SSN/SIN: _____ IAM Book No.: _____

THE FOLLOWING MUST BE COMPLETED IN ORDER TO PROCESS ENROLLMENT

PRINT Name of Submitting Officer:	Title and Lodge:
Signature of Submitting Officer:	Date:
Daytime Phone:	Extension or Dept.:
Submitting Officer's Mailing Address:	
Submitting Officer's email address:	
Lodge President:	
Lodge President Daytime Phone:	
Directing Business Rep or General Chair:	

Return this form by March 6, 2015 to the
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