



The IAM
Indicator
The Newsletter for IAM Local 99

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Elections

Executive Elections:

It's election time again. IAM local 99 bylaws are structured to have elections for a portion of the executive one year and the other portion the following year. This year, the President, Conductor Sentinel, and the three Trustee positions are up for election. Anyone who wishes to run for any of these positions either needs to be in attendance and be nominated at the membership meeting in Calgary or needs to contact Ryan Ermet (rermet@iamaw99.ca) in writing indicating the position they in which they are interested. Once the nominations have been completed, ballots will be mailed to all members and will be counted at the November membership meeting. Further details will be included with the ballots.

Member Fatality:

It is with great sadness that we have to report the death of Kyle Kromm. Kyle was a parts journeyman who started his career with Finning in 2011 and worked out of the Jackpine Mine site. Kyle was lost during a successful rescue of his young son in a boating-related incident

He is survived by his son Keenan and his partner, Kayla Run. A celebration of Kyle's life was recently held in Prince George.

A memorial Education fund has been arranged with the Integris Credit Union in Prince George. Anyone wishing to donate needs to send a cheque (pay to the order of : Kyle Kromm Memorial Fund) to the following address: Integris Credit Union, 100-2150 Ferry Ave, Prince George BC V2N 0B1. Your Executive passed a motion at a recent meeting to donate \$500 to the memorial fund.

~Rest in Peace, brother Kyle.

Brand New Look:

You may notice some changes to the both the website and this newsletter. As communicator for the local, I was given the opportunity to attend three days of training with Frank Saptel, Communications Representative from the IAM territory office in Toronto, ON. Frank provided excellent technical and creative input for website design and maintenance as well as inspiration for newsletter creation.

This newsletter is a work in progress, so feedback is definitely appreciated.

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Upcoming Meetings:

September 10, 2014 Calgary Alberta, Port O' Call Inn. Times: 12:30 and 5 pm