# Liuna NEWS



**RETURNING**TO LIVE EVENTS

**THE 2021 JAMES MACKINNON LOCAL 1059**SCHOLARSHIP FUND
RECIPIENTS

**BENEFITS**ENHANCEMENTS



Brandon MacKinnon, Business Manager LiUNA Local 1059

Dear Members,

As we head into the fall months, we must reflect on what has been a hectic but rewarding summer.

Our industrial members working in the healthcare sector in particular continue to help on the frontlines, while our construction members continue to build the critical infrastructure needed in our communities, even throughout these challenging times.

Local 1059 has continued to grow exponentially and has reached nearly 5,000 total members despite a limited labour pool to draw from. We continue to grow market share and employment opportunities for the membership by organizing new contractors. As a result of this growth, we've recently hired two new construction business representatives to ensure continued service and representation to our members and signatory employers.

As an integral part of what our local has accomplished at the Bruce Nuclear Power Development (BNPD) for more than a decade, Mike Rock, our Chief Union Steward at BNPD, has decided to move on from the role. The local and our members are forever indebted to Mike for his tireless efforts over the years standing up for our members' rights and advocating for and on behalf of the local, and he will be sorely missed. Wesley Dietrich has graciously stepped up to fill this important role, and I have confidence he'll continue the legacy of strong representation. Best wishes to Mike on his future endeavours and best of luck to Wes in his role as Chief Steward at BNPD.

In lieu of our cancelled charity golf tournaments, our signatory contractors, industry partners and

members were able to raise a remarkable \$211,150 for United Way Elgin Middlesex, directly helping those most in need within our community. This is something our local and membership should be extremely proud of.

Next year we look forward to hosting our annual members' tournament once again, as well as hosting a new tournament for our Northern members. Keep an eye out for dates and details.

I had the distinct pleasure once again of presenting this year's Local 1059 Jim MacKinnon Scholarship Fund recipients with their awards. It was truly gratifying to meet with and recognize the outstanding achievements of the award recipients, as well as the members whose hard work and commitment to their careers have enabled the opportunity to present these scholarship awards. We look forward to continuing this program for years to come.

As restrictions begin to lift, we are excited to start engaging with and providing activities and events for members and their families to participate in. We hope to be able to host our 20 Year Member Appreciation Dinner in person, as well as Family Day at The Factory, family skating events, and London Knights and Owen Sound Attack games, just to name a few.

As always, thank you on behalf of the executive board, business representatives, and our entire staff for your continued trust and support through these unprecedented times. We look forward to better days ahead

All My Best, **Brandon MacKinnon** 



#### **NEW Business** Representatives Join Local 1059 Team

In June, we welcomed two new construction business representatives to the Local 1059 team! Perry Thomas is representing the Fencing, Residential Concrete, and Line Painting sectors, as well as Walker Environmental Group (Industrial sector), building supply companies such as Foundation Building Materials and Woollatt Building Supply Ltd., and providing support to other sectors we represent as needed. Perry has been a member for 12 years, having started his career with us as a pre-apprentice. He worked for Con-Wall Concrete for the entirety of his career as an apprentice and then form-setter working primarily on high-rise buildings. Perry became a Health and Safety Instructor in our Training Centre 3 years ago, and he also taught in the Construction Craft Worker (CCW) program, which is the same program he was enrolled in prior to beginning his career! Like all of our business reps, Perry's duties involve negotiating and enforcing collective agreements, advocating for members, and acquiring work opportunities for members. Perry is excited to be supporting members however he can, and taking the next step on his career ladder after coming full circle as a pre-apprentice, member, instructor, and now business representative.

We're also pleased to introduce Brian Carlos! Brian is representing the busy Formwork, Home Builder and Developer Maintenance sectors. Brian began with Local 1059 as a pre-apprentice 8 years ago, and like Perry, began working for Con-Wall Concrete after finishing the program, where he stayed for the length of his career. During his time at Con-Wall Concrete, he worked on high-rise buildings as an apprentice, then worked his way up to becoming a skilled form-setter and eventually moved on to surveying and working alongside supervisors. Over the past year, Brian also worked as one of the instructors in our Training Centre, and enjoyed passing along his skills and knowledge to his fellow members. When the opportunity to become a business representative became available, he was excited to take on a new challenge. Along with our other business reps, Brian's duties involve negotiating and enforcing collective agreements, advocating for members, and obtaining work opportunities for members. Brian is excited to be working with members in the sector he's grown familiar with, and supporting members he's worked with and trained, as well as the members he hasn't met yet.

Welcome, Perry and Brian! We're excited you're part of the team!



Nathan Moniz

Miami Developments have signed a Voluntary Recognition Agreement to become signatory to Local 1059 under Non-ICI and Provincial ICI collective agreements. Miami Developments recognizes the value Local 1059 members bring to their growth and look forward to continued success employing our membership.

A grievance was filed with Fondations Beliveau Inc. ("Fondations") for utilizing members of the Carpenters Union to pour and vibrate concrete on an ICI project. Damages of \$1000 were paid by Fondations and they signed a Minutes of Settlement to ensure Local 1059 labourers are exclusively utilized to perform this work.



Fence Canada has signed a Voluntary Recognition Agreement to become signatory to Local 1059. Fence Canada is currently a small unit and is looking forward to continued growth through employing Local 1059

Perry Thomas



**Upper Thames Forming** signed a Voluntary Recognition Agreement to become a Local 1059 signatory employer. Upper Thames Forming is a small unit currently employing several Local 1059 members. They're pleased to have entered this partnership with Local 1059 and look forward to expanding their business.

Brian Carlos

#### **NEW** Chief Union Steward and Health and Safety Representative Appointed

Effective September 30th, Mike Rock will be passing the Chief Union Steward and Health and Safety Representaive responsibilities at Bruce Power to Wesley Dietrich. While Mike's passion, commitment, and dedication to our union will be missed, we wish him the very best going forward, and we're excited to welcome Wesley Dietrich as Mike's successor.

Wesley lives in Kincardine and became a Local 1059 member in 2006. After a period of time working out west, he returned to Local 1059 in 2014 where he worked on the wind turbines with

Black and McDonald, before returning to Bruce Power. Wesley began as a labourer at Bruce Power, and then became a steward for Bird Construction on site.

Throughout his 15 years as Chief Union Steward and Health and Safety Representative, Mike Rock demonstrated strong leadership skills, acting as a fierce advocate for members and improving our local for the better. Wesley's work ethic and years of experience and leadership as a member are valuable assets to this role, and while Mike will be missed, we are confident that Wesley will carry forward his legacy of advocacy and strong leadership.

Wesley is honoured to have been appointed to this new role, and is looking forward to representing Local 1059 members to his fullest ability. Welcome, Wesley; we're excited you've joined us in this new capacity!

#### **General Benefits** Enhancements

#### Continuous Glucose Monitor (CGM)

CGM and related supplies (receiver, transmitters & sensors) will now be covered under the current plan provisions with the following frequency limits (estimate required for initial CGM & related supplies):

- Receiver limited to one purchase per lifetime
- Transmitter allowed once every 3 months
- Sensors purchased monthly (maximum of 3 months at any one time)

The coinsurance will remain at 90% for non-construction members and 100% for construction members ■

#### **Massage Therapy**

- The Massage Therapy calendar year maximum has increased to \$1,800 for services performed at the Local 1059 Wellness Centre or outside of the Local 1059 Wellness Centre, under both the construction and non-construction benefits plans. Services performed outside the Wellness Centre will continue to be subject to the existing 80% co-insurance coverage.
- Please note that beginning January 1st, 2022, a referral from a medical doctor will be required for massage therapy

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to get in touch with our Benefits Representative: Cidalia Resendes cresendes@liuna1059.ca | 519-455-8083 x 228

#### Laser eye surgery

Laser eye surgery is now covered at a rate of 75% up to a lifetime maximum of \$3,000.00 per person, under both the construction and non-construction benefits plans



## 24/7 Telemedicine Service

We would like to remind you that the MembersHealth telemedicine service is available to all eligible members and their dependants 24/7/365. If you have any concerns related to COVID-19 or any other health-related matter, skip the long wait at your neighbourhood walk-in clinic and call 1-800-484-0152. You can speak to a doctor within minutes on your phone, tablet, or PC

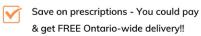
#### DID YOU KNOW?

Global Benefits—which administers the Local 1059 Benefit Trust— has an app that allows our members to easily file benefits claims right from your mobile device! Just search 'Global Benefits' wherever you download your apps

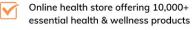


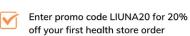


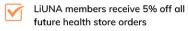


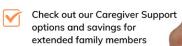


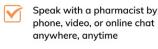














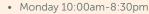
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welcome@thehealthdepot.ca

www.TheHealthDepot.ca/pages/liuna

#### **NEW HOURS!**

Beginning September 1st, the hours for The Chiropractic, Physiotherapy, and Massage Clinic are as follows, with the new addition of Sunday hours:





• Wednesday 8:00am-8:30pm

• Thursday 9:30am-8:30pm

• Friday 12:00pm-6:30pm

• Saturday 8:00am-3:30pm

• Sunday 9:00am-3pm



To book an appointment at The Local 1059 Chiropractic, Physiotherapy, and Massage Clinic, please visit

www.tinyurl.com/htw3z6kt, or call (519) 286-1310 ■

The Dental Studio will also be open every other Sunday beginning September 12 $^{\rm th}$ , from 9 am-2pm. The new schedule is as follows:

• Monday 9:00am - 8:00pm

• Tuesday 9:00am - 8:00pm

• Wednesday 9:00am - 8:00pm

• Thursday 9:00am - 8:00pm

• Friday 8:00am - 4:00pm

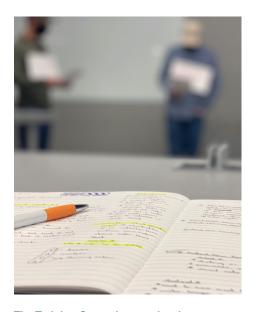
• Saturday 8:00am - 4:00pm

 Sunday 9:00am-2:00pm, every other week beginning September 12<sup>th</sup>



To book an appointment at The Local 1059 Dental Studio, please visit www.1059dental.com or call (519) 286-1206

#### **NEW Training Attendance Policy** in Effect



The Training Centre has previously announced and implemented a new Attendance Policy to help curb some of the attendance issues at the Training Centre.

These training seats are extremely valuable, and empty seats are an unnecessary cost to all of us. Missing three confirmed safety certification classes will now result in a training suspension for one year. This means you would need to find approved outside training sources at your own cost. Please ensure you attend your confirmed classes and/or cancel your seat in a reasonable time prior to the scheduled training date. To help, we have established a text messaging service to help remind you of your classes and allow you to opt for the next one if you can't make it.

You will be sent a text message that will notify you of the upcoming course(s) that you have signed up for. You can then contact the Training Centre to register for the class. A week prior to the class start date you will receive a text message that will ask you to confirm your seat by replying "yes". If you reply "no" you will be placed in the next available class and simply wait for an invitation again. You must reply to these messages to confirm your seat in the class and avoid being turned away if the class is at capacity when you arrive.

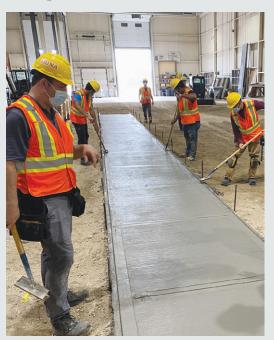
If you have any questions about this policy or attendance messaging system, please contact Local 1059 Training Director, Mike Ropp at (519) 455-8083 ext. 237 mropp@ liuna1059 ca

#### ATTENTION APPRENTICES!

#### Trade School Training Dates for 2021-2022

Our Apprentice Training season is fast approaching, and soon the apprentices will be packing up their tools for a Trade School term over the late fall, winter and early spring. Apprentices and employers are encouraged to watch out for a letter that indicates when your specific trade school session is in effect and prepare for a leave from your workplace. Below is a schedule for our upcoming season:

- Construction Craft Worker Level 2. Dec 6. 2021- Jan 28. 2022
- Cement Finisher Level 2. Jan 3 - Mar 3, 2022
- Construction Craft Worker Level 1 (Group 1), Jan 31 - Mar 18, 2022
- Cement Finisher Level 2, Mar 7 - Apr 9, 2022
- Construction Craft Worker Level 1 (Group 2), Mar 21 - May 6, 2022



We are looking forward to another great training season and hope everyone has had a safe and productive year so far!

#### Liuna 1059 **working for you!**

The world of health and safety is always evolving and affects members and employers in the field every day. With the support of our Business Manager Brandon MacKinnon and our Training Director Mike Ropp, The Training Centre is heavily involved in many labour management committees and ministry consultations that relate to your everyday work. In recent years, our Training Coordinator Dan Armstrong has been working on several committees that work to improve construction regulations as we know them and, in doing so, ensure these changes result in the best outcome for our members and the labour movement.

Currently, Dan Armstrong is the Chair of the Traffic Control Construction Legislative Review Committee (CLRC) Working Group and has made positive progress on new potential changes to our current laws for traffic control persons and traffic control setups. The proposed changes will soon be sent for review to the CLRC for industry consultations and eventual amendments to the construction regulations.





Mike Ropp

LiUNA 1059's direct engagement in this work is just one example of how your union is working for you in all aspects of your career and employment. Our close involvement also ensures that our training programs and information is up to date and industry leading. During training sessions, you are encouraged to voice your concerns and ideas for safer workplaces. In the classroom. our instructors work as a team to help ensure these concepts are passed along to be used and applied in such committee work. The Training Centre will continue to keep you updated on ongoing issues and new health and safety implementations, laws and programs that emerge

#### 2021 James MacKinnon Local 1059

#### Scholarship Fund Recipients

In August and September, Business Manager Brandon MacKinnon, as well as Business Representatives Nathan Moniz and Brian Carlos, were very proud to meet with 17 recipients of the 2021 James MacKinnon Local 1059 Scholarship Fund, including 5 university awards (\$3000 each), 4 college awards (\$2000 each), and 8 general awards (\$500 each). This was the second year we awarded scholarships to worthy recipients, after our inaugural year in 2020. We're honoured to be of service to our hardworking members and their families, and to support these recipients on their academic paths!



















Aarts, and Helen Connell









A BIG THANK YOU to the Independent Review Committee (IRC), who met in July to

deliberate over the scholarship applications we received. Pictured clockwise from

L-R are our IRC members Alfonso Balassone, Chris Bentley, Jim MacKinnon, Ryan



Num Concrete Group

Medina Sakiri Coldstream Concrete

Member: Abraham Dyck J-AAR Excavating Limited

#### Shalysha Esteves

Member: Fernando Esteves Aecon Utilities

**Anthony Fernandes** Member: Abel Fernandes Autoform Contracting

#### **COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS**

Carvajal Member: Aleiandro

Matamoros CO-FO Concrete Forming

Member: Josephine Youkhana **GDI Services** 

#### **Nicole Dos Santos**

Member: Diamantino Santos Con-Tact Masonry

Tristyn Brick Member: Jason Brick Bruce Power

#### **GENERAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

Lidia Bettencourt Member: Duarte

Bettencourt The Tricar Group

Junelle Kaak (not pictured) Member: Joe Kaak

EllisDon Corporation Davida Cordeiro Member: Bruce House

Megan Merner Member: Jason Merner Aecon Industrial

TW Johnstone

Member: Ali Tassi Autoform Contracting Ltd.

Isabel Livingston George and Asmussen Masonry

**Chloe Rands** Member: Kevin Rands

#### Rachel Reeves

Member: Chris Reeves Wayne and Harold Smith Construction Ltd.

Hana Moussa

Member: Darryl Livingston

Ken Jackson Construction

# **Labour** Gives Back

This partnership matches trade apprentices with local non-profits who need assistance completing small projects, which is done free of charge. In the photo that appeared in the article, Josh is standing in front of the Luso Community resource portable, which our pre-apprentices helped repair.

We're proud to be part of such a great partnership, which provides worthy organizations with the assistance they need to continue doing incredible work for our community, and it also provides our preapprentices with meaningful experience they can use on job sites!



#### **UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS**

**Gwyneth Pella** Member: Cesare Pella

Member: Fatmir (Frank)

**Felicity Dyck** 

### Paola Matamoros

Julie Barkho

**COMMUNITY GIVING** 

United Way Elgin Middlesex Fundraiser

that we have once again broken the record and raised an astonishing

In the 21-year history of our Annual Charity Golf Tournaments, we

dedicated to helping the members of our community who need it

We have sincerely appreciated your ongoing support for our annual

Lauren Donohue, Local 1059's Legal Counsel, has

been appointed for a second three-year term as a

Director on the United Way Elgin-Middlesex Board

of Directors! As a Director, she sits on a number of

standing committees and hosts the annual Labour

Appreciation Awards. Lauren is looking forward to

continuing her support of United Way Elgin-Middlesex

and the important work this organization does for our

most. United Way Elgin Middlesex has done tremendous work to lift

those in need out of poverty, and to support these individuals on their

fundraiser, and we hope to welcome you back to the fairway next year!

have raised over \$1.5 million for United Way Elgin Middlesex with your

support. The funds raised have supported critical programs and services

For the second year in a row, we decided to make the difficult decision to cancel our Annual Charity Golf Tournament in support of United Way Elgin Middlesex. However, we are very pleased to report

**Breaks Record Again in 2021!** 

\$211,150!

paths towards better lives.

community

In June, Business

**Representative Josh Stewart** 

appeared in The London Free Press in a story about Labour Gives Back, which is a project Local 1059 has entered into with London and District **Building Trades Council and** United Way Elgin-Middlesex.



#### **Temporary Paid IDEL Extension**

On August 31, 2021, the Ontario Government extended the eligibility time period for the province's temporary paid infectious disease emergency leave ("IDEL") days that were made available through the COVID-19 Putting Workers First Act, 2021.

Originally slated to end on September 25, 2021, the entitlement to the paid IDEL days now expires December 31, 2021. This means that an eligible employee who is absent from work for reasons exclusively related to COVID-19 and who has not already exhausted their three-day entitlement will be able to claim payment for their time away from work during this three-month extension.

For each day, an employee is entitled to the lesser of \$200 per day or the wages the

employee would have received had they not taken the leave. Vacation pay is not included in this amount; however, employees are entitled to receive the appropriate amount of vacation pay for the wages they earn while on the paid leave.

The paid IDEL days continue to be available in addition to any other entitlement to unpaid days under the infectious disease emergency leave provisions of the Employment Standards Act

Employees with paid days under their collective agreement may be eligible for paid IDEL days, depending on a variety of factors. If you are unsure about your eligibility, please contact your business representative



#### MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Congratulations to Richard Wells on 50 Years as a Local 1059 member! In June, Local 1059 Business Representative Adam Millman met with Richard Wells at his home near Durham, ON to present him with his 50-Year Membership card and certificate. Richard worked for Bruce Power for 40 years prior to retiring several years ago, and has maintained his membership since then. It was a great honour to meet with such a longstanding member. Congratulations on your achievement, Richard!

Business Representative Nathan Moniz had the chance to meet up with Local 1059 member Matt Carvalho recently while on site in Mitchell, ON! Matt, who is from London, has been a member for 15 years, since joining Local 1059 in 2006. Matt says his favourite part about working in the trades is learning new skills and having the opportunity to work in different sectors.

"I've had the privilege to work with many amazing people and have created life-long friendships with my fellow union brothers and sisters."

"Personally, I have had a very positive experience being a member of Local 1059. Additional training and re-certification is often offered through the hall, and my Business Rep, Nathan, is always available to get in touch with. There are always jobs within the construction field, and working in the skilled trades keeps you active and fit. Fixing things, building things, seeing the actual project take shape and eventually completing a project is personally fulfilling."



#### The Owen Sound Salmon Spectacular Fishing Derby

After mass event cancellations in 2020, it was great to return to live events! We were happy to return as presenting sponsor of the 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Owen Sound Salmon Spectacular. We had a booth set up in the scaled-down events tent from August 27th-September 5th, where Business Representatives Adam Millman and Nathan Moniz, as well as Organizer Ralph Grass Jr. spoke to attendees about LiUNA, and greeted some familiar faces. Two Local 1059 members even participated in the fishing derby and reeled in some winners!

Bill Wyatt, a member working for EMC Power Canada Ltd. was the daily salmon leader on Saturday September 4th at 22.38 lbs!

Lucas Bester, who also works for EMC Power Canada Ltd. Finished 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> on Saturday, September 4th for the trout he caught weighing 14.96 lbs!

We're looking forward to returning again next year, hopefully at full capacity!





Organizer Ralph Grass Jr. and Retired Member Les Coleman



Lucas Bester



We returned as title sponsor at Sauble Speedway on the evening of Saturday, August 7th! Business Representative Adam Millman and Organizer Ralph Grass Jr. were present at the event, and it was great to catch up with the members who attended



Organizer Ralph Grass Jr. and Member Perry Anderson





Business Representative Nathan Moniz, Member Ryan Campbell, and Business Representative Perry Thomas



Matt Langford's Race Car

We were also proud to support Delaware Speedway on Friday, August 13th, which Business Representatives Nathan Moniz and Perry Thomas attended, and met up with some members while there. Member Matt Langford, whose Local 1059-sponsored race car was in the races, won in his particular division that evening! Congratulations, Matt—we were proud to witness your victory!

#### **MEMBER PERKS & DEALS**

We're always looking for ways to improve the lives of our members and your families by offering added perks for being a member of Local 1059. Recently, we've partnered with a number of local businesses to secure various discounts for you. Check out the deals below, and be sure to keep an eye on our social media channels and future newsletters – we'll continue to update you as we add more perks to the list!

	GoodLife Fitness
GoodLife WORKPLACE WELLNESS	We recently partnered with GoodLife Fitness Clubs to offer you a <b>Corporate Membership rate</b> for you and up to four family members. You will have received this information by email and letter mail, but in case you missed it, visit corporate.goodlifefitness.com to register.
	Adrenaline MMA
ADRENALINE MMA	We are also pleased to be able to offer Local 1059 members a <b>20% discount</b> at Adrenaline MMA Training & Fitness. Just show your union card to receive the discounted rate on monthly memberships. Check them out at adrenalinemma.ca
4	The London Lightning
II GHILING	<b>\$14 tickets available</b> to all LiUNA Local 1059 members using the promo code LIGHTNINGLOCAL.  This price is valid for any regular season game. Visit lightningbasketball.ca
C-11ing	Collins Formal Wear
CO IIIIS FORMAL WEAR	Local 1059 members get <b>15% off menswear purchases.</b> Just show your union card!
	Mark's
<b>Mark's</b>	Local 1059 members get <b>15% discount</b> at any Mark's location. Just show your union card!
WORK	Work Authority
AUTHORITY	15% off regularly priced merchandise. Just show your union card to receive the discount. <b>Available at all locations.</b>
LP FLYING	Flying Squirrel London
THE WORLD'S LARGEST INDOOR TRAMPOLINE (1) PARKS	BOGO FREE: Buy 1 hour of jump time and get another hour free. Show your union card to receive the deal.
	Columbia Sportswear
Sportswear Company.	We recently partnered with the Columbia Sportswear Employee Store to give Local 1059 members access during certain time periods throughout the year. Please note this is <b>not a standing discount</b> . Rather, the Columbia store will
EMPLOYEE STORE	alert us to a 2-week time frame where Local 1059 members are allowed to use the store to take advantage of the significant discounts it offers. We will send out an email blast with a specific invitation when we receive notice about an
	upcoming access period. As such, please keep an eye on your email (and be sure to update your email address with us).
Rockys	Rocky's Harley-Davidson   900 Wilton Grove Rd, London, ON   rockys-harley.com
HARLEY-DAVIDSON	\$500 off any new untitled motorcycle with your union card.
	Harris Harris and Control in the control of the con
	Unity Uniform and Safety   unityuniformandsafety.com  Significantly discounted rates on high-vis + discount on almost all other products.
Common Golds	
<b>daleWURFEL</b>	Dale Wurfel Chrysler Dodge Jeep   28478 Centre Rd, Strathroy, ON   dalewurfelchryslerdodgejeep.com  Affiliate Pricing for members.
CHRYSLER-DODGE - JEEP	Affiliate Fileling for Herribers.
Courtesy	Courtesy Ford Lincoln   684 Wharncliffe Rd S, London, ON N6J 2N7   courtesyfordlincoln.com
LINCOLN	Exclusive Pricing for members.
@ SPARTAN	Spartan Nutrition   www.spartannutrition.ca
NUTRITION	10% off regular-priced merchandise at all 3 Spartan Nutrition locations in London when you show your union card, use code save10 online.
F A O T O D V	The Factory   100 Kellogg Lane, London, Ontario   thefactorylondon.ca
THE FACTORY	Members get 15% off attractions! Just show your union card before paying.



Local 1059 members receive 15% off attractions at The Factory in London. This offer is eligible for groups of up to 5 people per visit.

#### WHAT THE FACTORY HAS TO OFFER:

- High Ropes and Ziplines
- Trampoline Park
- Warrior Course
- Indoor Kids' Playground
- Arcade
- Virtual Reality
- Escape Rooms
- And more!

#### WHAT YOU NEED TO **ACCESS THIS OFFER**

All you need to do in order to claim this discount is bring your union card with you and show it at the front desk prior to payment. The Factory asks that all bookings are made in advance by emailing bookings@thefactorylondon.ca or calling 226-213-5160 ext 2008. Please note that The Factory must comply with evolving government COVID-19 protocols. Patrons must wear masks, and proof of full vaccination (except for children under 12) must be shown to enter The Factory.

For more information, please refer to the email sent on October 2nd. You can also visit the Factory's website here: https:// thefactorylondon.ca/



We also recently partnered with Spartan Nutrition in **London!** Members receive 10% off regular-priced **SPARTAN** merchandise at all 3 Spartan

London when you show your union card, as well as online when you use the code save10 at www.spartannutrition.ca

This offer is available at the following 3 store

- Masonville Location: 109 Fanshawe Park Rd E, London, ON N5X 3W1
- Pine Valley Location: 151 Pine Valley Blvd, London, ON N6K 3T6
- Wellington Location: 841 Wellington Rd S, London, ON N6E 3R5



We're very pleased to share that we have partnered

with Courtesy Ford Lincoln to bring our members an exclusive discount!

Local 1059 members receive Member-Exclusive Pricing on the purchase, finance, or lease of new vehicles at the Courtesy Ford Lincoln dealership in London. All you need to do in order to take advantage of this deal is to bring your union card with you to the dealership and ask to speak to Dylan Frada, Sales and Leasing Consultant.

If you have any additional questions, please call Dylan at 510-680-1200 x 261



#### **NEW** Local 1059 Satellite Office in Hanover

We recently acquired a new office space in Hanover, which is central to the 4 Northern Counties we serve, including Grey, Bruce, Huron, and Perth.

The office serves as a space for business representatives and organizers to meet with members and contractors as needed, and is located at 467 10th St. Unit #101, Hanover. It is open by appointment only

#### TC Energy Reaches Agreement with National Defence to Develop **Proposed World-Class Pumped Storage Project**

In July, TC Energy Corporation reached an agreement with the Department of National Defence, which (subject to conditions and regulatory approval) will allow for the development of a multi-billion dollar 1,000-megawatt clean energy storage project on federal lands in Meaford, ON.

The Ontario Pumped Storage Project, proposed to be constructed on the Department of National Defence's 4th Canadian Division Training Centre property in Meaford by TC Energy, would be Ontario's largest energy storage project. This project will serve to optimize the province's electricity system and is estimated to deliver more than \$250 million in annual savings to electricity consumers.

If approved, this project would result in approximately 1,000 construction jobs over an 8-year period. It would also provide emissionfree electricity for Ontario, while making a marked positive impact on the environment. This project is expected to reduce greenhouse gas emissions by 490,000 tonnes, which is equal to removing 150,000 cars from Ontario

This is a very exciting project that will result in the creation of many jobs within the construction industry, and for Local 1059 members. More details will follow as the project unfolds!







#### In Memoriam

In memory of our Local 1059 brothers and sisters.

- Brendan McArdle, May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member from 2002-2021
- Jake Epp, July 15th, 2021 Member as of 2021
- Jorge Rolo, July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2021
   Member from 1990-2020
- Paul Cruickshank, July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member from 2002-2019
- **Jason King**, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member from 2019-2021
- **Jose Almeida**, August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member from 1975-2006
- Ross Shular, August 18<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member from 1981-2016
- Ross Mitchell, August 21st, 2021 Member from 2007-2021
- Manuel DeMelo, September 24<sup>th</sup>, 2021
   Member from 1973-2012
- **Brock Motheral**, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2021 Member as of 2021
- Dick Fehr, October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2021
   Member from 2008-2015
- Carman Hodgkinson, October 1st, 2021 Member from 1975-2007



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