



UAW Local 774 President's Report

President Teddy Maldonado



February 4, 2025

Upcoming Membership Meeting

The next UAW Local 774 Membership meeting is Sunday, February 16, 2025, at 10:00 a.m. in the upper and lower meeting halls of UAW Local 774, 2939 Niagara St. Buffalo, NY 14207.

The UAW Local 774 Membership meetings for the first half of 2025 are March 23, 2025, April 13, 2025, May 18, 2025, and June 8, 2025, *All dates are subject to change.

Welcome

We are pleased to announce 20 new full-time temporary workers to our UAW Local 774 family this month. 10 Members will start on February 10th followed by 10 more Members on February 24th. We extend a warm welcome to each of you.

UAW Region 9 CAP Council

Members of UAW Region 9 Western New York CAP Council have voted to endorse Senator Sean Ryan for Mayor of the City of Buffalo. UAW Members and leaders met with candidates for the November 2025 Buffalo Mayoral race seeking the endorsement of UAW. Senator Sean Ryan has an extensive history of supporting working families by showing up on strike lines, participating in labor rallies, and championing legislative priorities in Albany. Senator Sean Ryan earned this endorsement with his positive track record on labor issues and standing up for active and retired members. The City of Buffalo will be well served by the experience and dedication of Senator Sean Ryan. As working people, the endorsement process is a critical component to ensure our elected representatives are the strongest union allies.

Our collective power has been well earned by the commitment of our members to our union and we must ensure that those elected to local, state, and federal levels will walk with us side by side. We look forward to helping Senator Sean Ryan become Buffalo's Mayor.



Meat Raffle

Save the date we will be holding a Meat Raffle on **March 1, 2025**, at Ellicott Creek Volunteer Fire Company. Located at 45 S Ellicott Creek Rd, Buffalo, NY 14228.



Prize Raffle

We would also like to announce that the annual prize raffle will be held on Tuesday, **March 4, 2025**, At the UAW Local 774 union hall. The Prize raffle will on live on Facebook at 3:30 p.m.



RAFFLE TO BENEFIT The Variety Kids Telethon

Sponsored by The UAW Local 774 Telethon Committee

Tuesday March 4th, 2025 at 3:30pm

At UAW Local 774 Union Hall

PRIZES:

GRAND PRIZE \$2000 Las Vegas Getaway \$1000 Delta Airline Gift Card, \$1000 MGM Gift Card, Donated by West Herr Of Western New York

1 st Prize: Samsung 75" Class QLED 4K QE1D TV	8 th Prize: Buffalo Bills Custom Cornhole Set
2 nd Prize: LG 70in Class UQ75 Series LED 4K UHD	9 th Prize: 14" HP Chromebook
3 rd Prize: PlayStation 5 Slim- Fortnite Cobalt Star Bundle - White (Full Game Download Included)	10 th Prize: 14" HP Chromebook
4 th Prize: Xbox Series X 1TB All-Digital Console (Disc-Free Gaming) - Robot White	11 th Prize: Apple - 10.2-Inch iPad (9th Generation) with Wi-Fi - 64GB - Space Gray
5 th Prize: Delevan Dinner, Overnight Stay, Spa Package and Breakfast Donated by Jeanne LoHouse	12 th Prize: Apple - 10.2-Inch iPad (9th Generation) with Wi-Fi - 64GB - Space Gray
6 th Prize: Russell's Steaks Chops and more Dinner, Overnight Stay and Breakfast Donated by UAW Local 774 Retirees	13 th Prize: Solo Stove Fire Pit
7 th Prize: JBL - Partybox Encore Essential Portable Wireless Party Speaker - Black	14 th Prize: Solo Stove Fire Pit
	15 th Prize: Ultimate Ears - Wonderboom Bluetooth Wireless Speaker
	16 th Prize: Ultimate Ears - Wonderboom Bluetooth Wireless Speaker

More prizes will be added closer to the event date.

TO PURCHASE TICKETS STOP BY THE UNION HALL (7:30AM - 3:45PM) OR SEE:

Ted Maldonado - President, 1st Shift	Wence Valentin III - Region 9, 1st Shift
John Orsini - Tooling Service, 1st Shift	Julianna Vega - Gen V Assembly, 2nd Shift
Jeanne LoHouse - HD Block, 2nd Shift	Dominic Caselli - Maintenance, 1st Shift
Mike Grimmer - Shop Chairman, 1st Shift	Jose Colon - Benefits, 2nd Shift
Doug Seefeldt - Maintenance, 3rd Shift	Carlos Cruz - Gen V Head, 2nd Shift
Bobby McRae - Gen V Head, 2nd Shift	Larry Boltz - HD Crank, 3rd Shift
PJ Lemme - GSC, 2nd Shift	Lonnie Burrough - Tooling Service, 2nd Shift
Shelby Misiak - Gen V Assembly, 3rd Shift	Benny Rodriguez - GSC, 2nd Shift
Heather Grimmer - Gen V Block, 1st Shift	Dustin Rose - Committeeman, 2nd Shift
Jon Chase - Met-Lab, 1st Shift	
Stasia Donohue - GSC, 1st Shift	
Eric Perfitt - Gen V Block, 1st Shift	

FOR QUESTIONS OR DONATIONS
Call Ted Maldonado at 873-4715 Ext 12

Winner not be present to win • All proceeds benefit the Variety Kids Telethon

**Only 2,500
Tickets Sold**

**Donation:
\$10.00**

The proceeds of the Meat raffle and Prize raffle will benefit the Variety Kids Telethon.

5th Annual UAW Local 774 Golf Tournament

Our 5th Annual Golf Tournament is on Sunday, June 22, 2025, at Chestnut Hill Golf Course in Darien Center, NY. The Registration is at 7:15 am, and the Shotgun start is at 8:00 am the cost is \$125.00/person, due at sign-up. Forms will be available at the UAW Local 774 Union Hall. The tournament is limited to (34 foursomes first come first serve). All proceeds from this event will benefit Variety Kid's Telethon.



The poster features a background image of a golf course with trees and a golf bag. It includes the UAW Local 774 logo in the top left and the Chestnut Hill Country Club logo in the top right. The main text reads: 'Fifth Annual UAW Local 774 GOLF TOURNAMENT JUNE 22, 2025'. Below this, it lists the location: 'Chestnut Hill Golf Course, 1330 Broadway, Darien Center, NY 14040'. Registration details are: 'REGISTRATION: 7:15 A.M. SHOTGUN START: 8:00 A.M.'. A note states: 'ALL PROCEEDS TO BENEFIT VARIETY KID'S TELETHON'. The price is '\$125 per person includes: golf, cart, breakfast & steak lunch'. At the bottom, it says: 'For more information visit our website at www.774.com or call the Union Hall at 716-673-4715'.

Important Upcoming Dates and Events

- Tuesday, February 4, 2025 – UAW Local 774's 84th Birthday
- Tuesday, February 11, 2025 - Retiree Chapter Meeting 1:00 pm (In the upper and lower Meeting Halls)
- Friday, February 14, 2025- Valentine's Day
- Sunday, February 16, 2025 – Regular Membership Meeting at 10:00 am (In the upper and lower Meeting Halls)
- Saturday, February 22, 2025 - Defensive Driving Course, Contact Ken Ryan (716) 861-4896



In Solidarity, /s/ Teddy Maldonado Jr., President - UAW Local 774