UNISON MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Whether you're on the job or outside the workplace, UNISON has a lot to offer its members. That's UNISON benefits - the added value of membership!

There For You (UNISON Welfare) (registered charity 1023552)

A unique service providing support exclusively for UNISON members and dependants at times of special need. There is also a free and confidential debt advice referral scheme.



Legal advice

UNISON provides expert legal advice and services, including free assistance with problems at work and an extended package of legal services for members and their families.

UNISONPlus membership benefits.

Special offers and discounts for UNISON members and their families on insurance, mortgages, motoring, holidays & travel, financial services and much more.

Learning and Organising Services (LAOS) offers a wide range of learning opportunities, which range from basic skills through to professional level qualifications for UNISON activists and members.

Rule book benefits

Full members are entitled to benefits paid out on: death, accident, fatal accident. Education and training grants are also available.

To find out more about membership benefits logon to:

http://www.unisonwarrington.org.uk/membership_services.html or contact our helpline, UNISON direct on 0845 355 0845. Lines are open 6am-midnight Mon to Fri and 9am-4pm Sat.

RECRUIT A FRIEND !!!!



If you successfully recruit a member during January 2014 and that member stays in UNISON for 3 months, then you will receive a £10.00 Marks & Spencer Voucher. You must however, make a note on the application form stating that the member was recruited by you in order to receive this bene-

Application forms are available from the

Branch office (Tel: 01925 637927) or your local steward.



1.30pm

WARRINGTON **BRANCH NEWS**

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NOVEMBER 2013

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

FRIDAY 28th FEBRUARY 2014 The Gateway, Sankey Street, Warrington 12.15pm to

FREE PRIZE DRAW!!

FREE **BUFFET** LUNCH!!

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Your invitation to the AGM

You are invited to the ANNUAL GENERAL The AGM will be an opportunity for you to MEETING of UNISON, Warrington Local Government Branch. The Meeting will be held on Friday 28th February 2014 at 12.15pm (lunch available from 12 noon) up until 1.30pm in the Gateway, Sankey Street, Warrington.

The Branch will reimburse any reasonable cost incurred in attending the AGM. Nearest parking facilities are via Legh Street. Refreshments will be provided. Any Motions should be submitted to the Branch Office no later than Friday 14th February 2014.

meet Branch Officials, receive reports on Branch Activity during the past year and raise / debate any issues of concern. You can also have your say on Branch priorities for the next twelve months.

This meeting is only open to members of the Warrington LG Branch of UNISON. Retired members are welcome, and we look forward to seeing you on the day.

Best Wishes. Pam Howard & Jason Horan **Joint Branch Secretaries**

CAN YOU HELP YOUR BRANCH **BECOME MORE ACTIVE?**

Contact the Branch Office on: Tel: 01925 637927/442186/7

Email: unison@warrington.gov.uk

UNISON Direct: 0845 355 0845 (out of hours)

Summary Agenda



- Introduction and Announcements
- Apologies for Absence
- Minutes of Last Quorate AGM
- Branch Financial Matters
 - I. To Receive & Approve The Audited Accounts For 2013.
 - II. To Approve The Branch Executive Committee's Recommendation For Honoraria Payments For 2013/14.
- Annual Report To Receive & Approve.
- 6. Branch Representation Declaration of Results and Ratification of Branch Officers, Stewards & Workplace Contacts April 2014 to March 2015.
- Guest Speaker To Be Confirmed.
- 8 Motions
- 9. Any Other Business To Be Notified To The Chairperson In Advance Of The Meeting.
- 10. Free Prize Draw
- 11 Chairperson's Closing Remarks and Close of Meeting

Nomination Form 2014



Branch Officers, Executive Officers & Auditors

OFFICE	NOMINEE	PROPOSED	SECONDED
Branch Chairperson			
Vice Chairperson			
Joint Branch Secretary (1) (Seconded)			
Joint Branch Secretary (2) (Seconded)			
Branch Treasurer			
Branch Auditor (1)			
Branch Auditor (2)			
Terms & Conditions Officer			
Welfare			
Education & Training			
LGB & T Officer: (Lesbian, gay, bisexual and transgender)			
Equality			
Sports & Social			
Black Members Officer			
Disabled Members Officer			
Health & Safety			
Membership Services			
International Relations Officer			
Labour Link Officer			
Communications Officer			
Young Members Officer (26 or under)			
Women's Officer			
Retired Members Officer			

Nominees please note that when proposing a person for a Branch / Officer position they must ensure that the person is willing to undertake those duties, which accompany the post. Please Note: Retired members can only stand/vote for the retired member's officer's position.

THIS FORM SHOULD BE RETURNED TO THE BRANCH OFFICE NO LATER THAN 12 NOON ON FRIDAY 10th JANUARY 2014.