
2008 DATES TO REMEMBER

MINNEAPOLIS/ST. PAUL, MN – LADIES GROUP meets for luncheon at noon on the **second Tuesday** of most months. Locations vary – call Zoe Mary Cunningham for more information at 952-948-2421. Remaining 2008 date: **Nov. 11.**

CANCELLATION – NEW ENGLAND AREA – There was no New England gathering in 2008. Contact Nick Tessitore, 128 Winslow Ave., Norwood, MA 02062, 781-769-4295 or Ralph Haynes at 978-369-5019 for information about future plans.

NEW JERSEY/NEW YORK – SEMI-ANNUAL BANQUET – The Retired Western Union Employees Association (RWUEA) Fall Banquet will be held on Saturday, **Oct. 25, 2008** at The Courtyard by Marriott located at **100 Chestnut Ridge Road – the corner of Chestnut Ridge Road and Grand Ave., (Lake St.) – in Montvale, NJ.** This semi-annual event is normally held on the last Saturday in April and October starting at 11:30 AM. Contact **Jim Forbes** at **201-825-0523** for more information.

NEW JERSEY/NEW YORK – BREAKFAST on the **first Wed. of each month** (except in December) at 9:30 AM at the Tiffany Diner, 1045 Rt. 17 So., Ramsey, NJ for “The Golden Girls.” Contact Jackie Velten, 201-825-1057 for further information. Remaining 2008 scheduled dates are: **Oct. 1, Nov. 5 and the Christmas party in December.** Tentative 1st qtr 2009 dates are: Jan. 7, Feb. 4, and Mar. 4.

NEW YORK CITY – THE “60 HUDSON ST IRREGULARS” meet at noon on the **last Monday of every other month** at Brady’s Tavern, 67 Murray St., Manhattan, NYC. Remaining 2008 dates are: **Oct. 27 and Dec. 29.**

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA/NEVADA – The 2009 annual reunion has not been scheduled at this time. More information will be forthcoming in future issues. Contact John Mathieson at john.mathieson@sbcglobal.net or visit his web site at <http://www.geocities.com/john.mathieson@sbcglobal.net> for more information.

OHIO DISTRICT – The annual reunion will be held at 1:00 PM Sunday, **July 26, 2009** at The Barn in Smithville, Ohio. Contact Diane (Gibbs) Dinkens at 330-673-3064 or e-mail digadi@juno.com for further information.

OKLAHOMA CITY – The Oklahoma City WU/ Autodin Retirement Group meets for breakfast at 9:00 AM **the first Saturday of each month** at “Don’s Alley” restaurant in Del City OK, 29th and Vicky. Remaining scheduled 2008 dates are: **Oct. 4, Nov. 1, and Dec. 6.** Contact Lee Wheeler at email: telegrapher1962@cox.net for more information. First quarter 2009 dates are: Jan. 3, Feb. 7 and Mar. 7.

PHILADELPHIA – Usually meets on the first Wednesday of May and October. Luncheon will be held at Applebee’s, 215 South 15th St., 2nd Floor, on Wednesday, **Oct. 1, 2008** at 12 Noon. The cost is \$20.00 per person and should be sent to Frank Senner, 3622 Sunny Lea Rd., Bensalem, PA 19020, 215-245-7177 no later than Sept. 26. Contact Frank Senner for further information. E-mail Foxyfrank7@aol.com. 2009 dates are: May 6 and **October 7.**

PORTLAND, OREGON AND THE PACIFIC NW – 2009 Luncheon has not been scheduled at this time. More information will be forthcoming in future issues. Contact Juyne Walker at e-mail: jaywalk1@comcast.net.

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA – There is no event scheduled at this time.

SAINT PETERSBURG, FLORIDA – Unable to confirm this event.

SOUTH ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI – Breakfast meetings are held at 9:00 AM the **first Tuesday every month** at Gingham’s Restaurant on So. Lindbergh in South St. Louis. Contact **Leo Matthews** at leomathews@sbcglobal.net for information. Remaining tentative 2008 dates are: **Oct. 7, Nov. 4 and Dec. 2.** First qtr. 2009 dates are: Jan. 6, Feb. 3 and Mar. 3.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA – Luncheon meetings will be held at Columbo’s Restaurant, 1833 Colorado Blvd., in Eagle Rock, Los Angeles, CA 90041. 323-254-9138. (We usually meet on the first Saturday of April, 2nd Saturday in August and 1st Saturday in December at 12:30 PM.) **The December Christmas party is on December 6.** Please contact Martha Houston, Secretary-Treasurer, at 6411 Haas Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90047, 323-752-2248, for reservations and additional information.

WASHINGTON, DC AND THE METRO AREA (MARYLAND & VIRGINIA) PICNIC – No location or time has yet been scheduled for this event in 2009. Contact Dick Brockert for information and directions at 301-424-1663 or e-mail JetRCB@verizon.net. All Western Union retirees and former employees and guests are welcome to attend. A picnic notice will be mailed out locally about a month in advance.

WASHINGTON, DC AND THE METRO AREA (MARYLAND & VIRGINIA) – THE ANNUAL LUNCHEON will be held on Thursday, **October 30, 2008** at Pier Seven Restaurant, 650 Water St., Washington, DC. Contact Margaret Dean at 301-423-4723 or Dick Brockert at 301-424-1663 or e-mail JetRCB@verizon.net for further information.

WEST VIRGINIA – The annual reunion of Western Union employees and families will be held on **Saturday, Sept. 26, 2009** in Flatwoods, WV. Contact Ron Deeds for further information at 304-736-6448 or e-mail retiredfolks@webtv.net.