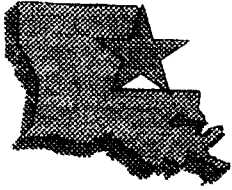


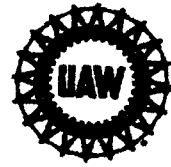
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## Greetings

I'm sad to say that this newspaper will be the last editorial printed for UAW Local 1977. It has been an honor to write and edit this paper to forward information to our union family. God bless all of you.

Gratefully Yours,  
Editor: Yolanda Robinson  
Co-Editor: Daffney Ferrington  
Former Editor: Teresa Murphy  
And Former Co-Editor:  
Miriam Johanson.

## Presidents Report By: Larry Jackson

Saturday, January 20, 2007, beginning at 3:30 p.m., at (the Union Hall) 170 Meadowlark Dr., Monroe, LA., UAW Local 1977 will have our regularly monthly union meeting.

The agenda for the meeting will include the following, along with any other business that properly comes before the membership:

- All normal union business (minutes, financial report, committee report, etc.)
- Communications.
- Vote on the day and time of union meetings for the next 6 months.
- Re-Districting of the Plant.
- Shop Report.

The Local Union By-Laws require that all elected and appointed officials are to attend 2 out of 3 consecutive union meetings.

## Presentations At The Union Hall

Monday and Tuesday,  
January 22, and 23,  
Representatives for Fidelity Investments will be making presentations at the Union Hall concerning our PSP and Guide's 401K Savings Program.  
9:00 a.m.  
1:00 p.m.  
3:30 p.m.

## Job Fair

Those employees that will be working in the plant and unable to attend the fair: a list of job listings will be made available to you and you can go by ONE STOP for assistance. Please be advised that the Job Fair is scheduled at the Monroe Civic Center on January 23, 2007 for 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. for the employees of Guide Monroe.

## Union Hall

The Union Hall will be open from 8:00 a.m. until 4:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. If you need to call, the numbers are: 318-343-0660 or 318-343-3773

for those that live out of town you can call 1-888-343-0767 toll free. Please stay in contact with the Local Union.

## “Do Not Call” Reminder For Cell Phones

A reminder was received on January 03, 2007 reading . . . 16 days from today, all cell phone numbers are being released to telemarketing companies and you will start to receive sale calls. **YOU WILL BE CHARGED FOR THESE CALLS!!!!**

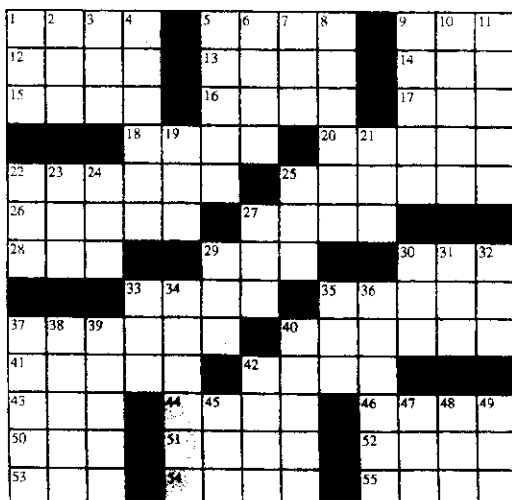
To prevent this, call the following number from your cell phone: 1-888-382-1222. It is the government's National DO NOT CALL LIST. It will only take a minute of your time. It blocks your number for five (5) years.

You must call from the cell phone number you are wanting to have blocked. You cannot call from a different phone number.

Help others by passing this on to all your friends, or go to: [www.donotcall.gov](http://www.donotcall.gov)

## Retirees By: Randy Sawyer

With this being the last newspaper this is my phone number and e-mail [lbweiler@bellsouth.net](mailto:lbweiler@bellsouth.net) 397-1730. Feel free to e-mail or call puzzle 43



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- 13 Popcorn
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- 29 Family name prefix
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- 35 Confused mixture of sounds
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## Shop Chair Report By: Henry Davison

### Plant Closing

All production has ceased at Guide Monroe. On January 12, 2007, all employees were sent home after 9:00 a.m. with pay for the entire day. All employees who were effected will be paid for 40 hours per week for the next 60 days. After 60 days they will be laid-off and they must sign up for unemployment and sub-pay until the plant closing agreement is concluded.

International has informed the Shop Committee that they are still continuing negotiations to get an agreement with the company.

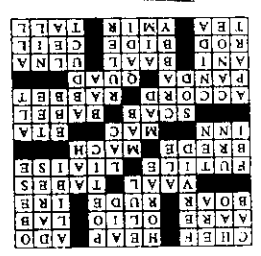
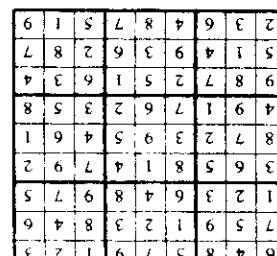
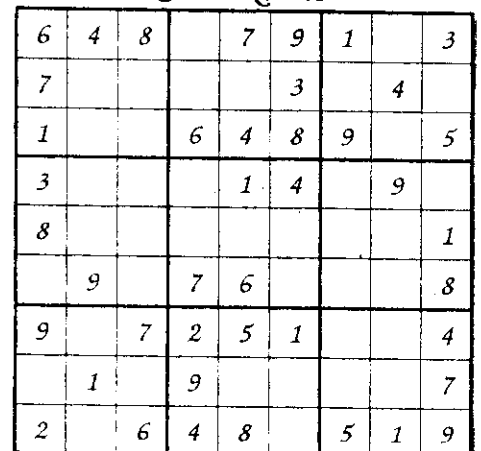
Here are the Shop Committee's telephone numbers:

- Henry: 791-8934
- Chicken: 791-8905
- Gerald: 237-2958
- Charlie: 237-8576
- Darren: 355-7958
- T.J.: 280-8105

### Meeting

When the International Union notifies the Shop Committee that they have a negotiated settlement you will be notified where and when we will have a call meeting.

### Sudoku 23



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