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**6-18-14**

**The Guild Negotiation Team met today with the company over a new contract.**

**Both sides discussed their proposals. BCI rejected our proposal in its entirety. The Guild will respond to BCI's proposal in a meeting scheduled tomorrow morning.**

**As we have stated before, we are prepared to continue discussions with hopes that the two sides can reach a shared path forward for the company.**

**We will have an additional update after tomorrow's meeting.**

**The Guild Negotiation Team**

**Representing Editorial, Advertising, Circulation, Marketing, IT, and Finance Departments at The Toledo Blade.**

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## **GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING**

The General Membership meeting will be held **Thursday, April 24, 2014 at 12:15** at the Goodwill building. We will be covering such topics as the bylaws and upcoming negotiations as well as other housekeeping concerns.

## **FIREMAN DONATION**

The Guild through private and local donations issued a check to the Toledo Firefighters Charities set up for the Dickman and Machcinski Families in the amount of \$605.00.

## **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATIONS**

Each year, the Toledo Newspaper Guild –CWA Local 34043 awards five (5) scholarships in the amount of \$500 to assist Guild members in good standing, their spouse or domestic partner, children and stepchildren living in their home with expenses as they pursue higher education. Applicants should already be enrolled or planning to attend, an accredited two or four-year university, an accredited trade school, graduate school or law school. They must carry at least a 2.0 grade average. Students must supply proof of grade point average in the form of a transcript from the student's high school, college or university. Transcripts can also be faxed from the applicant's school. All applicants must submit a letter of application with their name, address, phone number and school. The letter should contain the following: community service, extracurricular activities, and several paragraphs on their understanding of how unions have helped them.

Please drop off all the above to the Guild office located at 626, N. Huron St., Suite A, Toledo, Ohio 43604 (in Goodwill Bldg.). The **deadline is June 11, 2014 at noon**. We will announce the names of those who have been awarded the scholarships at the July General Membership meeting.  
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## **BLADE PENSION OFFICE**

The offices of Northwestern Ohio Administrators, Inc. (which include the administrative office of the Toledo Newspaper Unions-Blade Pension Plan) are moving to a new location. Effective April 1, 2014. Northwestern Ohio Administrators will be located at 7142 Nightingale Dr., Suite 1, Holland, OH 43528-7822.

If you need to talk with Al (Clarence) Espen regarding your pension, his number is 419.248.2401 Ext 1070 or E-mail – [ale@nwoadm.com](mailto:ale@nwoadm.com).

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