Happy Pay Day Info/News July 7th, 2010

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UUP Calendar for Summer 2010

Tues. July 20th • Office Boxing up meeting at Noon in anticipation of the UUP office move to the Library 5th floor (RSVP to Corinne at 2-6570)
Tues. Aug 17th • Chapter Exec. Board Meeting at Noon, WSCC Old Chem (RSVP to Corinne at 2-6570)

The SUNY Board of Trustees acts on Early Retirement Incentive
SBU's Human Resources is working on details of the various Early Retirement Incentive packages, and will be sending information out soon.
UUP is looking to have seminars on the various UUP retirement benefits such as dental and vision in the late summer.
More information will be posted as it becomes available.

NYSUT Member Benefits endorsed Legal Service Plan

Did you know that the Power of Attorney form in New York has substantially changed in recent months?
Did you know that you can get legal assistance if you’re struggling with your mortgage payments? If you rent, do you know about your rights and recourse available for enforcing those rights? Did you know it’s illegal for a collection agency to threaten to seize your Social Security benefits, and they cannot call you at work if you advise them not to do so?

Did you know if a disabled child receives an inheritance outright under a Will, the inheritance could disqualify the disabled child from public benefits he or she may be receiving? Did you know you may be able to get assistance if your stock market losses were caused by stockbroker misconduct?

If you are a member of the NYSUT Member Benefits Trust-endorsed Legal Service Plan provided through Feldman, Kramer & Monaco, P.C., then you would know all of this and more just by reading the Preventive Law Guide, the plan’s consumer-oriented newsletter.
sent three times a year to plan participants.

For the affordable price of $85 a year ($55 for retiree members), you can join the Legal Service Plan and receive unlimited toll-free access to attorneys who can answer your questions, write letters on your behalf, or meet with you in person at discounted hourly rates. You’re also entitled to a simple will, health care proxy, living will and durable power of attorney at no extra cost. And the plan’s annual fee is reduced if you pay using payroll or pension deductions.

If it’s time for you to get your legal affairs in order, or if you would like to find out more, just click this link: http://tinyurl.com/ydmremx
Please contact NYSUT Member Benefits at 800-626-8101 if you experience a problem with any endorsed program.

*RSVP* No later than three days prior to an event for lunch orders. UUP Office at 104 Old Chemistry • Bldg. Zip = 3475 • 632-6570 • Charlie McAteer, Your Happy PayDay Editor