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**NEWSLETTER**

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**2018**

**THE ROY LINGUSKY CLASSIC GOLF OUTING**

Our annual Golf Outing was held on Wednesday, June 27, the weather was a little wet to start but ended up pleasant with 40 golfers enjoying the beautiful day. 1<sup>st</sup> place team was from JRG Advisors with Rick Galardini, Ron Smugh, Rob Higginbotham and Ron Carmassi with a 59. 2nd place team was from Sherwin-Williams with Steve Misner, John Eibel, Matt Templeton and JD Hennessey with a 65. 3rd place team was from Lowe's with Mark Cunningham, Scott Bracken, Cory Kehen and Joe Boninni.

**PROGRAM SPONSORS FOR 2018:**

September –

October –

November-

Please call the office if you're interested in being a sponsor.

**MAKE SURE YOUR HIC NUMBER  
IS CURRENT - it's only good for two years\*\***

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**THANK YOU TO THE FOLLOWING FOR SUPPORTING THE 2018 GOLF OUTING**

Arone Lumber – Co-Sponsor of Tournament  
Lunch- CBBT- Mike Orangis  
Reception- CBBT- Mike Orangis  
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**Calendar of Events for 2018**

July 12- Midwest Region Meeting- 5:30pm- Indiana Country Club

August 3-4 - PBA Board Meeting- Nittany Lion Inn - State College

**Membership has  
its privileges !**



**May Riddle Winners:**

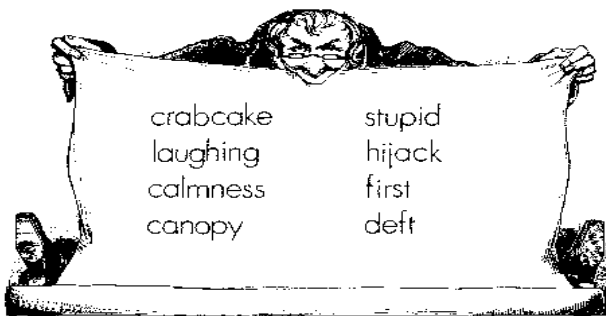
Jim Nave with Lezzer Lumber

**The answer to May riddle was:**

34 fence posts

**July Riddle**

**The Most Challenging "Eight Word" Puzzle**



What do the above eight words have in common?

The first 3 correct winners will receive a portable screwdriver set.



## Affordability Percentages Will Increase for 2019

On May 21, 2018, the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) issued Revenue Procedure 2018-34 to index the contribution percentages in 2019 for purposes of determining affordability of an employer's plan under the Affordable Care Act (ACA). For plan years beginning in 2019, employer-sponsored coverage will be considered affordable if the employee's required contribution for self-only coverage does not exceed:



- 9.86 percent of the employee's household income for the year, for purposes of "pay or play rules," and premium tax credit eligibility;
- 8.3 percent of the employee's household income for the year, for purposes of an individual mandate exemption (adjusted under separate guidance).



## Stop, Look, and Listen

What matters most to employees? Rob Higginbotham addresses key areas where employers should pay attention.

[\*Read more.\*](#)

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## Lifestyle Lesson



**Did You Know?** Extreme summer temperatures can be uncomfortable and dangerous for your health. This is particularly true for older adults and children.

To avoid heat illnesses in summer, drink lots of water - even if you are not thirsty. Wear light-colored, lightweight clothing made of natural fibers and put on a well-ventilated hat. Seek air-conditioned areas in the middle of the day if you can. And, get things done outside in the early morning or evening when temperatures are cooler.

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**SAVE THE DATE**

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2018**

**FROM NOON UNTIL 5PM, WE WILL BE HAVING A 2015 IRC CODE TRAINING SESSION AT THE WHITE TOWNSHIP FIRE STATION. THIS WILL BE PRESENTED BY A REPRESENTATIVE FROM THE PENNSYLVANIA HOUSING RESEARCH CENTER. THE COST WILL BE \$30.00 FOR IABA MEMBERS AND \$75.00 FOR NON-MEMBERS. A 2015 IRC CODE BOOK IS MANDATORY TO UNDERSTAND THE CHANGES. THE LEAST EXPENSIVE WAY TO GET A BOOK IS TO GO ONLINE ON AMAZON OR BARNES AND NOBLE.**

**A REGISTRATION FORM WILL BE SENT OUT IN AUGUST.**