



BELLEVILLE FIRE FIGHTERS ASSOCIATION LOCAL 53 PRESENTS

THE ANNUAL CHICKEN & BEER DANCE

60TH ANNIVERSARY FORMAL



FRIDAY NOVEMBER 4TH
FISCHER'S RESTAURANT
\$20.00 ADMISSION
ALL YOU CAN EAT CHICKEN
ALL YOU CAN DRINK BEER
DOORS OPEN AT 6PM
FOOD AT 7PM

WITH LIVE MUSIC STARTING AT 8PM BY

OLD SALT UNION

with special guest

Freefall

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Dear Business Professionals,

Belleville Fire Fighters Association, I.A.F.F. Local No. 53 is asking for your support in raising funds for our Relief and Welfare Fund. The Relief and Welfare Fund, through charitable donation and fundraising events, is a provider of resources to many community programs. Some programs that the fund proudly sponsors include The Southern Illinois Burn Camp for Children, local neighborhood associations, and youth athletic teams. In addition to the sponsorship of local community programs the fund also serves as a reserve from which help may be provided to victims of fire loss. The annual Fire Fighters Dance is our means of reaching out to the community for donations to the Relief and Welfare Fund.

This year's dance will be held on Friday, November 4th, 2016 in the Jubilee Room at Fischer's Restaurant, 2100 West Main Street in Belleville, IL. Doors will open at 6:00pm and the traditional chicken dinner will be served at 7:00pm. Entertainment and beer will follow from 8:00pm until midnight. Featured entertainment this year will be music from Old Salt Union with special guest Freefall, area cover band favorites that entertain a broad range of rock, country and dance music interests. Tickets for the event are \$20.00 per person.

This will be the 60th anniversary of our annual Fire Fighters Dance and as a nod to the Firefighter Ball of our past, we're inviting firefighters who attend (active and retired) to wear their Class A uniform.

We greatly appreciate the support that has been received in past years from local businesses. This event has grown to over 500 in attendance each year and we hope you will support us this year to raise funds that help provide for the many charitable causes we sponsor annually.

You may send your donation or ticket request to:

Belleville Firefighter's Relief and Welfare Fund
PO Box 8190
Belleville, IL 62222

Additionally, you may arrange to pickup your ticket(s) from Belleville Fire Station Two at 2200 West Washington Street in Belleville. Please call 234-2244 prior to your arrival to ensure personnel will be available. Or you may order your tickets online at the Local 53 website: <http://iaff-local53.org>.

Sincerely,

Eric Wolfmeier

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Dance Committee Chairman
Belleville Firefighters Association
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