

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

We would like to take this opportunity to wish the following GTD employees a Happy Birthday on:

SEPTEMBER 2010

- 3Larry Ruthruff
- 6Doug McKeown
- 9Ted Bush
- 9Jon Gigowski
- 10Tony Ross
- 11Ross Hansen
- 13Gaven Tift
- 15Kevin Bradley
- 17Derrick Baker
- 23Roger Rasmussen
- 23Matt Greenhoe
- 29AJ Selleck
- 30Dan Badge
- 30Ted Murray

SAFETY & SUGGESTION COMMITTEE

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| Brad Throop | Dwayne MacLaren |
| Ted Murray | Brian Scott |

The Safety & Suggestion Committee for August will meet on Wednesday, August 25, 2010, at 3:00 p.m. in the large conference room.

RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

We had 32 donors at our Red Cross Blood Drive on July 13. All donors are appreciated, but we would like to pay tribute to several employees reaching milestones with their donations:

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| Ted Murray | 3 Gallons |
| Brett Tomkinson | 4 Gallons |
| Brian Scott | 5 Gallons |
| Tim Johnson | 8 Gallons |
| Gordon Gorby | 9 Gallons |
| Joe Dempsey | 11 Gallons |
| Jay Vlahas | 15 Gallons |

Our next drive is September 14, 2010.

LABOR DAY CLOSING

Greenville Tool & Die will be closed on Monday, September 6 in observance of the Labor Day holiday.



Mark Winters, Robbie Rahn, Dennis Guernsey, Mike Smith

GESTAMP NORTH AMERICA

We are in the process of completing several jobs for our customer, Gestamp North America. Gestamp designs, develops, and manufactures metal components, metal stampings, and structural systems for the automotive industry. Gestamp's North America branch was established in 2004 and is based in Troy, Michigan.

One of these jobs for Gestamp has been the design and manufacture of a double transfer die to build the right and left hand Inner Wheel Housing Reinforcement for an upcoming Volkswagen vehicle. Gestamp's Chatanooga, TN plant will be running the production of these parts.

Dennis Guernsey has been our die leader with assistance from Mark Winters, Mike Smith, and Dave Hendricks. Robbie Rahn has been the design leader. Gaven Tift and AJ Selleck were also part of the design team.



BACK TO SCHOOL

For our students, CLASSES AT MCC START SATURDAY, AUGUST 21. Please check your schedule accordingly.

If you have not done so, please go to MCC's website, click on the MyMontcalm portal and set up your student email account. This has become the college's primary communication tool with its students.

Fall Semester classes end on Friday, December, 17, 2010.



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Ryan Merlington, Jary Shinabarger, Eric Teegardin,
and Dan Gasper

GESTAMP FRONT BUMPER REINF.

We are nearing completion of another transfer die for Gestamp North America of Troy, Michigan. This die will also be run by Gestamp's Chatanooga, Tennessee plant and will produce a Front Bumper Reinforcement for an upcoming Mercedes-Benz vehicle. Its design and building proved to be a challenge due to the material the part is produced from. Relatively new in the United States, the reinforcement is made from dual phase 980 material which is very tough to work with.

Jary Shinabarger has been our die leader on the project. He has been assisted by Ryan Merlington, Larry Ruthruff, and Chris Johnson. Eric Teegardin is the design leader with help from Rachel Hopkins, Brad Throop, Dan Gasper, and Dick Grimm.



JUNE COOKOUT LUNCH

On June 29, the Company treated employees to a hamburger/hot-dog cookout lunch. Management staff were the cooks (bottom photo above) and served the employees, both shifts (top photo). A number of hamburgers and hotdogs were consumed.



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