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Jobs Awarded

STEEL STUD/DRYWALL

- **Atlas Resin East - Merrilan**
4 men for 8 weeks, July 2011
- **Central School Renovations - Rhinelander**
2 men for 5 weeks, June 2011
- **Sargento Foods - Plymouth**
6 men for 12 weeks, May 2011
- **SNC Michels Commons - De Pere**
6 men for 12 weeks, July 2011

CEILINGS

- **St. Elizabeth Hosp Cancer Ctr - Appleton**
100 hours, on-site
- **Rhinelander High School Renovation - Rhinelander**
800 hours, June 2011
- **Sargento Foods - Plymouth**
1060 hours, July 2011
- **Festival Foods - Sheboygan**
140 hours, November 2011

EIFS

- **Oldenberg Tech Center - Kingsford, MI**
3 men for 4 weeks, June 2011

2011 Safety Performance

	GOAL	YTD-11
LOST TIME INCIDENCE RATE	0%	0.0%

NUMBER OF
LOST TIME ACCIDENTS IN 2011:
0

NUMBER OF DAYS SINCE OUR LAST LOST
TIME WORK ACCIDENT:
354

LET'S MAKE SAFETY A PRIORITY!!!

Attitudes and Latitudes

What is your safety attitude?

Here are some safety attitudes that contribute to accidents:

- “The company really doesn’t care about safety.”
- “It’s necessary to take chances to get anything done fast.”
- “If I did all that stuff OSHA wants I’ll never get my job done.”

Here are some safety attitudes that help prevent accidents:

- “Accidents have causes. They can be prevented.”
- “The company is truly interested in safety rules, and so are the people who work here”.
- “I came to work this morning in one piece, and I’m going home this evening in one piece. That’s a good goal.”
- “Accidents interfere with production. Safe work is efficient work”.

Which attitude do you have?

ALC’s Vision

To dominate our industry as the leader in safety, quality and innovation while providing challenges and rewards for our company.

ALC Address Update

Appleton Lathing has eliminated our post office box. Effective immediately, please send all mailings to our physical address in Neenah (please note the different city and zip code).

Appleton Lathing Corporation
2300 American Dr
Neenah, WI 54956- 1019

PROJECT PROFILE

Bergstrom Infiniti—Appleton, WI

ALC teamed up with Miron Construction to complete another new Bergstrom facility. This time it was for the Infinity brand. ALC performed the ss/dw, taping, EIFS and ACT on the project. Paul Blaczyk lead the overall project and we got to work with our good friend Kurt Wolfgram – Miron, who had been out of state for the past several years. Tim Fink lead the ACT installation and Andy Knabenbauer ran the EIFS. The project featured some high-end drywall and ACT finishes. The project was successful for all our services, our customer and Bergstrom.

ALC buys only Chevy vehicles and only from Bergstrom. We would encourage you to shop at Bergstrom for your next vehicle.

Thanks to everyone who helped out on the project.

—Tim



Safety Award Program

WEARING SAFETY PROUDLY

The following employees have reached 5,000 hours without a work related incident.

CONGRATULATIONS to:

Jay Burns

We are currently tracking the following projects for the safety incentive program:

Clearview Longterm Care UWSP Residence Hall

Kroc Community Center Actuant Admin Building

Legendary Waters Casino

Some of these projects are getting close to completion-keep working safe!

Safety incentive letters will be going out in May!

Ever wonder if the general contractor really pays attention to the safety issues on the project you are working on? Here's an example:

Team,

Below are the total calendar days to date without an incident, please continue to make Safety #1 priority.

340 days can be converted to one of these units:

29,376,000 seconds

489,600 minutes

8160 hours

48 weeks (rounded down)

Lunch will be served in the Hard hat Lounge on

Wednesday 4/13/11 @ 11:45..

Thanks.

Jeffrey S. Spiller

Project Manager – Healthcare

Nick – thanks for you and your crew's part in making something like this happen. Tim

Congratulations to Nick Spanbauer and the crew at Mercy Walworth for this accomplishment!

Weather Service Alerts:

Spring is here (according to the calendar anyways), and we are getting into tornado season for our area. It is important to review what the various National Weather Service Alerts mean:

A Severe Thunderstorm Watch

That means conditions are favorable for a severe thunderstorm in the areas covered under the watch. A Severe Thunderstorm warning means a severe thunderstorm was spotted in the area either visually or via Doppler Radar. Expect high winds, lightning and heavy rain.

A Tornado Watch

This means the conditions are favorable for a tornado in the areas covered under the Tornado Watch. You do not need to take cover, but you should keep an eye on the conditions and stay near a radio/tv/weather radio for updates.

A Tornado Warning

A tornado warning means a tornado has been spotted in the area either visually by someone on the ground, or via Doppler Radar. If a tornado warning has been issued, seek shelter immediately. A basement or inside room is a good place to go. If you are on the jobsite, your foreman or the general contractor will advise you where the shelter area is located.

Remember: Rain can turn a jobsite into a gigantic mud pie. Water seems to get in everywhere. Rain can ruin building materials and supplies. Cover whatever materials you can before the storm strikes. By covering equipment, materials, tools and supplies rain doesn't have a chance to do as much damage as it could.

Help eliminate slipping hazards by sweeping water out of low areas used as passageways inside of buildings. Stay safe!

Company Anniversaries

CONGRATULATIONS!

5 YEARS

Don Shaw

Phil Hubbard

Bob Bernitt

10 YEARS

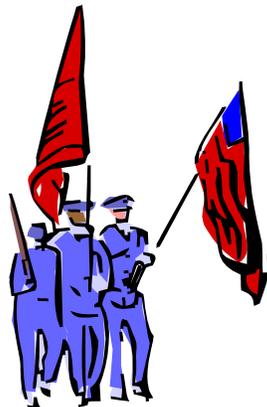
Josh Otten

15 YEARS

Nate Groshek

Thank you for your dedication to ALC!

The Appleton Lathing Office will be closed on Monday, May 30, 2011 in observance of the Memorial Day Holiday, and on Monday, July 4, 2011 in observance of the 4th of July Holiday.



Crew News

Benefit for Dennis Bricco

Dennis was an employee at Appleton Lathing from 2003—2009, and is the father of ALC employee Ryan Bricco. Dennis has been diagnosed with cancer. A benefit will be held on Saturday, June 25, 2011 at Hopper's Bar in Pella beginning at 5:00pm. A pig roast, raffle, horseshoe tournament and other activities are being planned. If you would like to help (donate a prize, bring a dish to pass, help with organizing the event), please contact Sean Shumaker (715) 250-0150, Dan Shumaker (920) 737-2826, John Giddings (715) 216-4230 or Doug Zahn (715) 853-3831.

All proceeds will go to Dennis. Watch your paycheck for additional information coming soon!



Hello Tate,

I wanted to thank you for fixing these holes that our installers put in the walls. I think it really shows a lot of integrity when you went that far beyond expectations and fixed a problem that wasn't even your fault.

This shows me that you are a company that can be trusted, and that will make every effort towards customer satisfaction. There are many times when we are doing logo change-outs on wall signs that we need to have eifs repairs done. You can be sure that when I have a need to have eifs repaired I will be phoning Appleton Lathing.

Sincerely,
Christopher Fish
Graphic House, Inc.

Congratulations to Jim Davis for successfully completing ABAA training. ABAA is the Air Barrier Association of America. This certification will help Appleton Lathing in the vapor barrier division. Tate Ahrens and Jim Davis both traveled to North Carolina to take place in the training for ALC's certification. Way to go guys!

If you ordered additional high visibility t-shirts, they are here. Greg will begin delivering them to job sites on his weekly visits. Costs for the t-shirts will be deducted from the May 10 paychecks unless other arrangements have been made. Contact Mary at 920-750-5172 with any questions.



Happy Birthday!!

To those celebrating in May:

Ryan Bricco	4
Paul Blasczyk	7
Pete Bodway	15
Bill Kohn	20
Jim Davis	21
Scott Fischer	21
Jon Jecevicus	22
Ray LaValle	23
Pete Schuh	24
Daryle Zarling	25
Les Bonifas	29
Cliff Groshek	30
Sam Wierzba	31



To those celebrating in June:

John Reins	1
Greg Bernitt	2
Tom Bangert	2
Todd Hengel	6
Dawn Printz	8
Steve Vey	9
Dave Hendricks	11
Luis Zepeda	21
Rick Reins	28
Todd Baumann	30



Trophy Den



Nick Miller shot this 21.5 pound turkey with a bow during this years hunt. The turkey had a 10.5 inch beard.

Good job Nick!

Send your trophy pics to Mary at mkempen@appletonlathing.com.