

Birthdays, Anniversaries, Company Updates

Birthdays

August
 08-01 Ismael Davila (60)
 08-04 Ruth White (10)
 08-04 Gustavo Trinidad (60)
 08-05 Octavio Galindo (21)
 08-05 Rodolfo Montes Alaniz (21)
 08-05 Abel Rodriguez (60)
 08-05 Joseph Shepherd (60)
 08-06 Sergio Macias (20)
 08-06 Jesus Salazar Ruiz (90)
 08-07 Julio Cesar Puebla (20)
 08-08 Fernando Castillo (20)
 08-08 Daniel Harrison (21)
 08-09 Courtney Armitage (10)
 08-09 Edgar Santillan DeLuna (21)
 08-11 Jose Abigael Meraz (20)
 08-12 Roberto Rodriguez (20)
 08-12 Jose Angel Garcia (90)
 08-16 Cody Christensen (20)
 08-16 Erasmo Morales (21)
 08-16 Socorro Vazquez-Estrada (21)
 08-17 Oscar Gallegos (20)
 08-19 Ricardo Nunez Espinoza (60)
 08-19 Mayolo Rangel Garcia (60)
 08-20 Juan Hernandez (20)
 08-21 Luis Guzman (20)
 08-21 Joseph Garcia (60)
 08-23 Frank Gutierrez (94)
 08-25 Gerardo Chavez-Rodriguez (20)
 08-25 Salvador Gamez (60)
 08-26 Emigdio Medina Rodriguez (20)
 08-26 Eduardo Bernal (40)
 08-26 Jose Sanchez (60)
 08-27 Scotty Reardon (21)
 08-28 Juan Garcia Romo (60)
 08-29 Felipe Becerra (20)
 08-29 Victor Luevano (20)
 08-31 Ramon Estrada (60)

September

09-06 Ramiro Flores (20)
 09-08 Michael Haller (10)
 09-10 Travis Carpenter (21)
 09-10 Adrian Gutierrez Esquivel (60)
 09-11 Jeremiah Friesen (10)
 09-12 Manuel Coronado (21)
 09-13 Michael Woods (10)
 09-13 Jesus Galindo Mendez (60)
 09-17 Uriel Juarez Carrera (20)
 09-18 Manuel Jaquez (20)
 09-20 Steven Johnson (21)
 09-21 Rodolfo Velasco (20)
 09-23 Juan Bautista (20)
 09-23 Pedro Villa (60)
 09-24 Michael Elder (60)
 09-24 Jose Montoya Gutierrez (60)
 09-24 Jose Otero Trejo (60)
 09-26 Philbert Johnson (20)
 09-26 Dennis Hawley (40)
 09-26 Erick Donlucas (60)
 09-27 Ryan Turner (60)
 09-30 Kristopher Keys (10)
 09-30 Jeronimo Rivera (60)

Ironman Jeff Sample

Congratulations to Jeff Sample on completing his second Ironman Triathlon with a time of 14 hours and 39 minutes. An Ironman Triathlon consist of a 2.4 mile swim, 112 mile bike, and a 26.22 mile run. Great work!



Congratulations to Jerry Friesen (21) and his wife, Kelsey, on the arrival of their daughter on August 2. Skylar Janzen Friesen weighed in at 5 lbs and 18".

Congratulations

The Gallegos softball team was the WECMRD league champs this summer with a record of 11-1. Erasmo Morales, Michael Jaques, Cruz Cervantes Vera, John Trujillo, Johnny Trujillo, Oscar Gallegos, Fabian Venzor, Hector Martinez, Marco Martinez, Herb Samson, Angel Trujillo, Nacho Gallegos, and Jose Orenday Duenas are pictured below in their championship shirts. Jeff Sample, and Gerardo Rivera played on the team but are missing from the photo. Great job Team Gallegos!



Anniversaries

One Year

Clint Conter, Ricardo Vasquez, Jason Flynn
 Gerardo Luevano Bautista,
 Arturo Bujanda Villaobos,
 Luis Esparza Loera, Rogelio Alvarado

Two Years

Tiamanrie Batinich, Migeul Bacio
 Kyle Martinez, Antonio Gonzalez Cardiel
 Steven Johnson

Four Years

Francisco Tafoya

Five Years

Alejandro Avitia, Jose Rodriguez, Gary Herr,
 Ramiro Cuevas Flores, Gerardo Guardian,
 Hector Rodriguez Perez, Cruz Cervantes Vera
 David Donlucas, Lorenzo Torres,
 Adrian Gutierrez Esquivel, Juan Herrera

Six Years

Johnny Porter, Rosendo Hernandez
 Juan Rodriguez

Eight Years

Isidro Guerrero Navarro, Gerardo Rivera
 Juarez, Rolando Velazquez

Ten Years

Jeronimo Juarez Rivera, Michael Jaques

Twelve Years

Dan Harrison, Manuel Jaquez
 Jose Abigael Meraz, Seth Cole, Jason Ingles

Thirteen Years

Julio Puebla, Jaime Luna
 Amado Lovato Jr

Fourteen Years

Marcette Gordon, JC Slocum

Eighteen Years

Francisco Javier Saenz

Nineteen Years

Fernando Antillon Jr

Twenty Years

Juan Becerra

Twenty-Four Years

Jose Angel Chairaz

Thirty-Six Years

Andrew Romero

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Lead our industry by creating value for our customers, employees, and communities through safe, quality construction of the highest professional standard.

Technology Updates by Jeff Sample

It has been an exciting first half of the year for technology at The Gallegos Corporation. Thanks to a significant commitment in technology by Senior Leadership we are currently implementing multiple solutions and upgrades to current systems. These investments are meant to better serve our customers and our employees. We are currently ¾ of the way through our ADP Workforce Now upgrade which most of you have seen with the change in your pay stubs. There is a large team that has been working diligently to get this massive conversion completed and we all eagerly await the fruits of their labor with things like Employee Self Service, Paperless paystub option, and a streamlined benefits process.

Another exciting development is the implementation of a Point of Sale (POS) system at the Stone Yard. The team has implemented the new Credit Card processing, but that is just the tip of the iceberg. Soon real time transactions will be processing our sales at the Yard feeding into our new and improved inventory management.

There are a few other things under way, so here are a few teasers. We are close to a selection and purchase of a brand new estimating and bidding software package. There are also rumors of newly created automated forms that will be replacing paper forms through iAuditor. Thank you to all the people that have invested their time and efforts into creating a new technology ecosystem at The Gallegos Corporation.

DUS Block A



Denver Union Station (DUS) Block A has been keeping a large Division 60 crew busy this summer. They started the brick on May 9 and the limestone on July 11 and the job is scheduled to go through November of this year. DUS is a 12 story brick hotel and 5 story limestone office building with underground parking located at 16th Street and Wewatta. Hydro scaffold was used on both the hotel and office buildings and is pictured at left at it's highest point. Tom Derry, Mike Elder and the crew have been doing an amazing job in helping drive this project in a diligent and safe manner. At completion there will be dramatic Brick and Limestone structures standing that you first see when pulling up to Union Station.

This project was brought to Gallegos due to a history of consistent quality. The crew's performance at DUS reinforced our reputation which created additional invitations to bid with the developer and general contractor.

G³ Winner for June



Congratulations to Jose "Pepe" Chairez Moreno the G3 winner for the month of June. Juan Becerra nominated him saying "Pepe is always available with the best attitude." Andy Romero added "Pepe is an asset in all aspects on a job. He can do anything, including being a laborer with some masonry experience, run a forklift and mixer, help with a job layout, and assisted in marble shop fabrication." Over the 11 years he has been at Gallegos, Pepe has always been a very hard worker and has always been willing to learn new skills. Pepe still demonstrates initiative on a daily basis and recently joined the Safety Committee. Thank you, Pepe and Congratulations!

G³ Winners for July



Congratulations to Scotty Reardon of Division 21 for being one of the G3 winners of July. Scotty was nominated for this award by Jim Bingaman. Jim said "All the criteria for the G3 award apply to Scotty, but what impresses me the most is his positive attitude, strong teamwork, hard work, effort and most of all his willingness to take on a challenge. His enthusiasm and passion are contagious." Scotty is usually one of the first to the office and one of the last to leave. Scotty has been an integral part of our concrete trade since 2009. Congratulations Scotty on this well deserved award.

Congratulations to Bernabe Colin (60) for also winning the G3 Award for July. Max Sedbrook, JC Slocum, Kevin Hughey and Scott Christensen all nominated Bernabe this month. Max said "Bernabe has consistently shown strong leadership, foresight and quality execution on his project. Recently Bernabe was the Superintendent on the Walnut project in Boulder, a 4 story condo complex. This was a remediation project, with many hurdles to overcome. Bernabe and his team members met all challenges, and have completed the project with the approval of the GC and homeowners association. Great work Bernabe!



Apprentice Program Update

We would like to congratulate the five apprentices, Andres Arguelles Jr., John Trujillo III, Fabian Venzor, Boone Bainbridge, Jose Puebla, that are moving on from the CORE Curriculum into their skilled craft this fall. All of the students put in extra hours to participate in evening classes to complete the semester with high scores! These Vail apprentices will be moving into Concrete Level 1 and Masonry Level 1 starting in September 2016 where they will learn the foundations of the trade they are in.

As we wrap up the current semester of the Apprenticeship Program we are excited to announce the beginning of the new Fall 2016 semester. This fall we will be taking the program down the road to the Basalt area where we will launch the CORE Curriculum in English for the first time! With the DOL and NCCER certified program we are providing opportunity for individuals in the Basalt area to obtain in-the-classroom training while still working as a Gallegos employee. If you are interested in obtaining a nationally-recognized and portable credential, please consider participating in the apprenticeship program. Gallegos is actively seeking individuals who wish to enroll. The classes will start on Sept. 6th. We encourage you to talk to your foreman/supervisor or to the Human Resources Department to get more information about enrolling in the program.

4th of July

The Gallegos Corporation honored America's birthday this year with a float in the Carbondale and Vail Parades. They also took part in the Vail America Days celebration with two tents in town. The float in the Vail parade was a true team effort. This year's float was a combination of Max Sedbrook's and Rocio Martinez's designs for the theme "Thanks to our veterans, we are free to build America." The Gallegos Corporation partnered with the Vail Veterans Foundation to bring awareness of their organization to the 40,000 parade attendees. Thanks to everyone's hard work, the Gallegos float won "Best in Show".

Gary Woodworth, Casey Kraft, Nikola Nemcanin, Mike Haller, Gerardo Rivera, Marcette Gordon, Rocio Martinez, Kris Keys, and their families gave out bottles of water, koozies, and balloons to one of largest crowds that Vail has hosted. They also raised money for the Vail Valley Veterans Foundation, which TGC generously matched. Gallegos provided the trophies for the parade winners. Jeff Sample, Kerrie Hull, JC Slocum, Seth Cole, Courtney Armitage and their families were on the float, and Bill McKeon drove the truck. This year it was truly a team effort!

In Carbondale, Jim Bingaman, Tim Fenton, Taylor Serson, and Scotty Reardon represented Gallegos on the float showing our support of the Roaring Fork Community.

