

Birthdays, Anniversaries, Company Updates

Birthdays February

- 2-1 Mimi Trombatore (21)
- 2-2 Gary Woodworth (10)
- 2-5 Floyd Young (60)
- 2-6 Fernando Villalobos (20)
- Juan Astorga (60)
- 2-12 Sylvia M Connely (60)
- 2-13 Harold Straus (60)
- 2-14 Jack Webster (60)
- 2-15 Dani Ettles (10)
- 2-17 Sergio Arreguin Vallejo (60)
- 2-18 Mario Becerra (20)
- Jesus Beltran (20)
- Daniel Maxson (60)
- 2-19 Felipe Godinez (60)
- 2-24 Kenneth Fairchild (20)
- 2-28 Oscar Garcia (40)

March

- 3-1 Rosendo Hernandez (60)
- 3-2 Darccamus Piazza (60)
- Sergio Villasenor (60)
- 3-4 Beau Horton (60)
- 3-5 Miguel Jimenez (60)
- Christopher Ricks (60)
- 3-6 Jose Guzman (60)
- Jason Ingles (60)
- Elisse Kelley (10)
- Angela Suntken (10)
- 3-8 Jose Pinela (60)
- Juan Rodriguez (60)
- 3-9 Jose Chairez (40)
- 3-10 Andrew Burton (60)
- 3-13 Jack Batinich Jr (60)
- 3-16 Jose De Loera (20)
- 3-17 Marcette Gordon (90)
- 3-21 Roberto Andrade (60)
- Ramiro Florres (60)
- Roberto Hernandez (20)
- Oscar Ramirez-Almaraz (20)
- 3-22 Zeth Ramsay (10)
- 3-23 Gabriel Pereira (20)
- Leonardo Perez (60)
- 3-24 Mario Delara (20)
- Gary Herr (94)
- 3-26 Jon Lest (60)
- 3-28 Mauricio Macias (60)
- Victor Vega (60)
- 3-29 Noe Avitia (20)
- 3-30 Luis Estrada (20)
- Michael Hill (20)

Congratulations!



Congratulations to Michael Jaques and his wife Grace on the birth of their son Evan. Evan was born January 5 and weighed 7 lbs and 2 oz.

Once again the Accounting Department spent a day at the Stoneyard for Inventory. It is great when different departments have an opportunity to work together, especially on a beautiful day!



Upcoming PM and Foremen Forum

February 13
Eagle Vail Pavilion

We are looking forward to bringing all Project Managers and Foremen together for an all division forum. This is an opportunity for open dialogue, communication and training.

Anniversaries

One Year

Floyd Young (60), Jerry Friesen (10)
Juan Vazquez (60)

Three Years

Raul Barragan (60)

Four Years

Teressa Danzoll (10),
Courtney Armitage (10)

Five Years

Pablo Najera (20), Juan Bautista (20)

Seven Years

Max Sedbrook (60),
Sheryl Gallegos (10)

Eight Years

Jeremiah Paris (20)

Ten Years

Jose Chairez Moreno (20),
Travis Carpenter (21), Jon Lest (60),
Daniel Maxson (60)

Eleven Years

Dennis Hawley (40),
Joaquin Martinez (21)

Twelve Years

Erasmio Morales (21)

Thirteen Years

Hector Herrera (60), Mario Becerra
(20), Phillip Bux (60)

Fourteen Years

Rosie Landeros (10)

Eighteen Years

Ignacio Gallegos (20)

Nineteen Years

James Heinritz (60)

Twenty Years

Jose Angel Garcia (90)

Twenty-Two Years

Michael Morrissey (60)

Twenty-Eight Years

Ruth White (10)

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2015 is Promising

As we begin the New Year, Gallegos is excited to announce that 2015 is scheduled to be a busy and successful year. All divisions have started preparing for their upcoming work, though the 3 markets are presenting different opportunities and challenges. The Denver Division has many large scale commercial projects upcoming including two college football stadium renovations – Kansas State University and the University of Colorado. Vail has a mix of residential and commercial projects in all trades. The bulk of upcoming work in Aspen is residential, but there are also commercial projects on the schedule.

Gallegos will be working on two college stadiums this year. Gallegos crews will be returning to Manhattan, Kansas this month to begin work on the next phase of the Bill Snyder Family Stadium renovation with the same contractor as Phase 1. In this phase, We will be working on the Vanier Football Complex or North End Zone building that will house the locker room, meeting rooms, weight room and coaches offices. A crew size between 30 and 35 tradesmen will be needed to complete the work.

The Denver division has also recently been awarded a contract for the stone work on the University of Colorado North Athletic Center, the north east end zone. The addition will consolidate the football operations center to the stadium by providing a weight training area, locker rooms, meeting rooms, coaches offices and a recruitment center. There have been meetings with the general contractor, Mortenson, and the exterior trade contractors to provide information on sequencing and durations. Gallegos project managers and site superintendents will manage our crew of 30 men and coordinate the work between Mortenson and Gallegos. Both of these projects will run concurrently, February through June, so it sets the stage for a great start to 2015.

The Vail division is scheduled to have commercial and residential projects to keep all of the trades busy in 2015. The largest commercial project on the schedule for Division 20 crews is Strata Vail, which will stretch over more than a town block and covers 1.5 acres in Lionshead, and will include condos and commercial space. Crews will be finishing up concrete and masonry at Betty Ford Alpine Gardens. The residential projects on the schedule include Zekleman, Mill Creek and Waterhouse.

In Aspen, the residential market is continuing the upswing and Gallegos will be working on multiple projects. Aspen Park, Souki, and Mustang Holdings will be keeping division 21 crews busy in the beginning of 2015. Commercial crews will begin scaffold and masonry on The Chart House in early 2015.



The Gallegos Corporation remains a leader in the industry due to our ability to successfully complete all types of projects in all areas. The diversity of the projects scheduled for 2015 shows Gallegos' strength, and it should be a busy year for all crews. Please contact Human Resources if you are interested or if you know anyone interested in working on these projects. Gallegos pays employees if their referrals are hired.

Rendering of Strata Vail at left

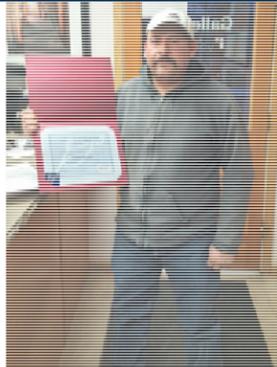
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Building Solutions
for Distinctive Projects

The Gallegos Corporation's Mission

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

G³ Winner for November



Irineo Serafin is the recipient of the G3 Award for November. In his nomination of Irineo, Dan Harrison said "Irineo is enrolled in our apprentice program which demonstrates his effort for continual improvement and his work ethic. He has a willing attitude, keeps an open mind and always is looking for new ways to tackle difficult projects." For the past five years he has been employed at Gallegos, Irineo has consistently been a dedicated and loyal employee. He can always be relied to complete his projects on time and at a high level of craftsmanship. Thank you Irineo for your hard work, and congratulations on your award!

G³ Winner for November

Congratulations to Fernando Velasco for winning a G3 Award for November. Mike Morrissey stated "Fernando has been with Denver Division since its inception. He came down from the Vail Division as an experienced scaffold erector/stone mason and has become a valuable foreman. His extensive experience with all types of stone veneers and paving applications as well as intricate scaffold sets allows his to run all types of custom residential projects." In addition to running the Smith Residence, Fernando is also invaluable as our Amigo liaison. He is a trusted member of our team by all employees. Thank you!



G³ Winner for November

Our final G3 winner for November is Jose Chairez from the Marble and Granite Shop. Jose was nominated by Fidel Macias. Fidel said "Jose is always ready to work; regular hours, weekends or the night shift he is willing to do anything possible to complete a job." Mike Hawley added "I have worked with Jose for over 20 years and I am lucky to have him in the shop. Everything I ask to do, he does it without complaint or hesitation. There is not another employee that is more committed to the shop. He truly deserves this award." Congratulations Jose!

Safety Committee Update

The Safety Committee is pleased to report that over the past 11 months, Gallegos safety rating has improved as a direct result of our field employees' awareness of safety practices and vigilance in following safety guidelines. Thank you to everyone on our jobsites! Lowering our EMR from 1.0 to .89 helps the bottom line of all our projects as well as demonstrates to our clients another way we are leaders in our industry. The Safety Committee members will continue to complete safety audits of jobsites to ensure the safety of our employees. If you have any questions on Gallegos' safety policy or safety on a job site please contact Mike Haller.

G³ Winner for December

Chris Bystrom, Chief Estimator, is the G3 winner for December. Dave Little nominated Chris based on his productivity, dedication to Gallegos, and strong teamwork. Dave said "Chris consistently puts out quality pricing providing the field an excellent beginning to a successful job." As Process Champion for the Post-Job Review part of Productivity Builder, Chris is increasing the estimating department's efficiency and their ability to be more in tune with actual performance in the field. Chris takes great pride in his and his team's work. We are very lucky to have Chris as an employee. Congratulations Chris on your well deserved award.



G³ Winner for January



Manuel Ortiz, D20, is the G3 winner for January. Manuel consistently takes on challenging commercial work and does whatever it takes to get the job done right. He embraced Productivity Builder from the start and always looks for ways to help his crews get the job done in the most efficient and easy way possible. His dedication to the apprentice program as both a student and a teacher has helped both the program and Manuel grow. Manuel's attitude of always looking to improve is one that speaks volumes to his character and dedication. Thank you Manuel for your consistent hard work and dedicated performance.

Holiday Parties and Charitable Giving

The Gallegos Corporation celebrated the holiday season by hosting holiday parties for all employees and their families in all locations. It was a great to see everyone outside of work and having fun. The Denver and Aspen parties were held at the same location as previous years, and continued the tradition of giving away amazing prizes. The Vail office changed their venue to a fun bowling party.

The holiday season is also about giving to others; and The Gallegos Corporation honored their commitment to community service by making donations to Lift – Up in Aspen, The Salvation Army in Vail, and Food Bank of the Rockies in Denver. All three food banks were also recipients of very generous donations from our employees through the canned food drives. Thank you to all that contributed this season. Gallegos participated in Colorado Gives Day on December 9, which raised a total of \$26.2 million for 1,677 non-profits throughout Colorado.



This year Gallegos was also able to make an extra donation to the Salvation Army of 125 pounds of meat. As the grand prize winner of the Eagle Valley Baseball team's raffle, Gallegos won the meat from an entire pig and in turn donated to the Salvation Army. It was a wonderful way to help multiple organizations at once.

