

Sabin Nugget

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On June 3, 2013 at 9:15 pm a Rochester & Southern train carrying 69 salt cars derailed next to our warehouse. 20 of the cars filled with salt from American Rock Salt Mine in Groveland, NY left the rails causing the rails and Wheatland Center Road to be closed for clean up. Each car holds 80-100 tons of salt. Only 5 cars spilled about 5-10 tons of salt which DEC felt was not an environmental concern. The damaged rail cars were dragged from the track onto Sabin Metal property to be properly disposed of while repairs were made to the rails and bed. The accident is still under investigation, although human error has been ruled out. As of this article the rail is back in service and Wheatland Center Road is open to normal traffic.





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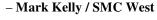
Our own Worship **Dan Cleroux** (GM), has been granted this honor for his dedicated service to his community & the Nation of Canada by Queen Elizabeth II. Along with that he was awarded the Diamond Jubilee Medal to mark the 60^{TH} anniversary of Her Majesty's accession to the throne. Congratulations Dan. When you see Dan, don't forget to bow.



JUNE 2013



Nuggets from the High Plains June 2013







FAREWELL

Don Zepp (Security) has retired. **Dan Thorpe** (Security Manager) presented him with his pocket watch from "his friends at Sabin Metal West". Congratulations Don, and enjoy the next chapter!





Williston EAF II Project

Voila! Sabin Metal West has 2 functional electric arc furnaces! Although not simultaneously...yet.

Enjoy your summer, everyone!

Employees News

On March 1, 2013 **Aaron Gibson** (below left) was promoted to **HGPS Foreman,** and **Jeff Harrington** (below right) was promoted to **PRD Foreman**.





On April 26, 2013 **Doug Hesse** (below left) & **Mike McCloud** (below right) were both promoted to **Furnace Group Leaders**





Congratulations gentlemen!

Sorry but we missed this in the last Nugget. Laura Collibee was hired as an Environmental Tech on December 3, 2012. Laura is a graduate of RIT and will be assisting Mike Hubbard (Environmental Engineer). Welcome aboard Laura best of luck.



Catherine Bundschuh (Executive Assistant) has enrolled for Fall Semester, 2013 at RIT. Cathy is in the Management – BS program in RIT's Saunders College of Business. She has earned an associate degree in Business Administration from GCC. Congratulations Cathy and good luck.



Joanne & Scott Yarnes (Operations) welcomed their first Grandson Blake Mesen White into this world January 19^{t,h}, 2013. He weighed 8 lbs 13 oz. (128.5 Troy oz.) and was 20.47". His parents are Rich and Liz White, located in Mt. Morris, NY. Some of us may remember Rich because he worked at Sabin Metal for a summer. Welcome to our world Blake. In the words of his PapaMay he make a better place for us all!



Also proud new grandparents are Carmen & **Mara Gallo** (Accounts Payable). Emma Mae Gallo was born January 31, 2013 to Mara & Carmen's son Matthew & wife Tricia Gallo. Emma was 19.5 inches long, 6lbs. 14 oz. (100.2 Troy oz.)



Thomas O'Hara (Security-Retired) (below left) passed away on December 31, 2012 at the age of 80. Tom retired from Sabin on 10/17/03, he will always be remembered for his quiet demeanor and bright smile.



Harold Alexander (Security-Retired) (above right) passed away on March 20, 2013 at the age of 90. Harold retired from Sabin in 1988, but was still very active in the community & church. Harold was the first face I saw 35 years ago when I first came here. He always had a story of the Navy or when he was Boxing Golden Gloves as a younger man. He was constantly smiling & talking and had that memorable giggle.



Ron Bleggi (Senior Vice President of Finance) passed away on June 2, 2013 at the age of 66. Our condolences go out to Ron's family and to the Sabin Family for your loss. We will have more information in the next edition.

Thank You

Again, I would like to thank everyone who helped with this edition of the Nugget. If anyone would like to share Sabin related news, from any of our locations, please contact me, Marty Spoor at the Scottsville Plant {585} 538-2194 ext.267 or martys@sabinmetal.com.

Submit news for any section of the Nugget to Marty Spoor in the Furnace Area (ext. 267) Submissions for the December issue are due by Friday, December 20, 2013