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Department of Facilities Management, MUN

Fall/Winter Issue

Christmas Social Events

NAPE 7801 Dinner & Dance will be held on Saturday, December 4 at 7:00 pm at the CEI Club on Hamilton Ave. Music by Perry Sound. Come out and have a great time!

NAPE 7801 Children's Party will be held on Sunday, December 12 from 2-4 pm at Plaza Bowl. Come one, come all...big kids and small.

FM Social Events Committee Staff Lunch will be held on Monday, December 20 at 1:00 pm at The Hub on Merrymeeting Road. Hope to see all FM staff there. Tickets are \$5 and are available from Committee members.



Retirement – Joan McCormack

Congratulations go out to Joan McCormack of Custodial Services who retired in August with 22 years of service at Memorial. A retirement social was held for Joan at Squires House where she worked for the past number of years. Joan and her husband are residing in Nova Scotia.



Janeway Telethon

FM employees once again took part in raising money for the Janeway Telethon this past June. Staff organized a silent auction, a book and bake sale, and penny jar collection. A total of \$1,100 was raised. As well, several of the ladies from Administrative Services gave their time by volunteering to answer the phones at the event. Congratulations to FM staff for this joint effort and worthwhile fundraising event. (Above, Sharon Vere-Holloway presents a cheque to Krissy Holmes at the Telethon on behalf of FM.)

Campus Food Bank

Facilities Management took part in the Twelve Days of Giving Food Drive in June in support of the Campus Food Bank. Containers were placed around the department, and staff were encouraged to donate food items to this worthy cause. FM collected and donated a total of 318 food items. Thanks to all who contributed to the Campus Food Bank.



Letters

To Bob Walsh, Manager of Bldg Srvs & Grounds, from Student Affairs

Thank you for your support during Orientation 2010. We appreciate the help you have given us in making this event a huge success and in welcoming new students to Memorial. We look forward to working with you in the future.



To Darrell Miles, Director of FM, from Anne Richardson, The Works

Thank you for your support with the repairs to the pool in the Physical Education Building. I understand that the repairs were costly and consumed a great deal of your employees' time. Tom Mallard communicated with us on a regular and timely basis, and both he and his team worked hard to fix the problem as quickly as possible. Congratulations on a job well done!

To Toby Rowe, Sustainability Coordinator, from Gordon Genge, Registrar's Office

Thank you for taking action to address the issue and improve the situation of the water quality in our buildings. I hope that the installation of the filtered and chilled water fountains will carry on as well as continued effort to reduce bottled water across campus. Your efforts are making a difference to the staff in this area and I'm sure across campus. Keep up the good work.

Recognition Event

Employees who achieved fifteen years of service were recognized recently at a social in the FM Seminar Room. They were Jim Dooley, Mary Kennedy, and Leo Whelan, Custodial Services; and Pam Murphy, formerly of Administrative Services. Darrell Miles thanked the employees for their service and presented them with their fifteen-year certificate.

Recognition was also given at this time to the employees who, up to March 31, 2010, had no sick leave for at least three years. They were: Tim Connors, Brenda Constantine, Don Williams, and Rick Lawes, Custodial Services; Maria e Silva, Engineering & Development; Bob Kavanagh, Grounds (retired); Shane Lewis, Electrical Shop; Fred Rideout, CEP; and Keith Small, Central Utilities.

Darrell Miles congratulated the employees on their attendance record.



Toys for Kids

Since 2002, Campus Enforcement and Patrol has been collecting new, unwrapped toys during the Christmas season from the University community and beyond. As part of Operation Toys for Kids, these are donated to the Salvation Army who distributes them to families in need across the province. Last year over \$11,000 worth of toys and over \$1,700 in cash was collected.

This year Operation Toys for Kids will run from November 17 to December 10, but we will collect toys up to December 17. Drop boxes have been placed at the CEP office in the Facilities Management building and at the HSC. There will also be a drop box at the main entrance to the Arts & Administration Building. As well, you can arrange to have your donation picked up by calling 864-8561 or 777-7280.

Help us bring a smile to a child this Christmas!

(Above, from left to right are Officers Ray Costello, Wendy Murphy, Lynette Wells, Chris Letemplier, and Adam Brookings, as well as a K-Rock representative.)

Employee Service Awards

The 23rd Annual Employee Service Awards Ceremony was held on May 20 in the Main Dining Hall. Congratulations to the following FM employees who received awards:

35 Years: John Dunne, Keith Small, and Ed Soper

30 Years: Graham Evely, Paul Jackson, Tony Mercer, Gary Penney, Phil Smith, Ray St. Croix, and Rick Walsh

25 Years: Joan Martin and Sharon Vere-Holloway

20 Years: Shawn Auchinleck, Barbara Dooley, Bernie Doyle, Jeff Fifield, Ian Greeley, Howard Ivany, and Rodger Ludlow

The ceremony was followed by a reception.



Let's Talk Shop

Facilities Management welcomes the following employees:

Capital Projects: Keith Garrett

Central Utilities: Trevor Wiseman, Rodney Legge, Kevin Bennett, Ted Smith, Kevin Barnable, Travis Rideout, Patrick Strapp

CEP: Raymond Mercer, Todd Sturge, Ryan Simmons, Keith King, Ashley Kelley, Colin Lane, Adam Butt

Controls Shop: Graham Bradbury

Custodial Services: Mark Coughlin, Dean Chafe, Gary Connors, Derrick Parsons, Chris Coffin, Katie Hanlon, Emre Yeniceri

Engineering & Development: Shane Russell

Mechanical Shop: Adam Carter, Robert Baker, Jim Hopkins

Sustainability: Nancy Burt

Work Control: Karen Hunt

FM is happy to announce that the following employees accepted permanent positions in this department:

Administrative Services: Elizabeth Murphy

Locksmith Shop: Darryl Williams, Ian Story

CEP: Chris Letemplier, Ray Costello, Susan Lane

Custodial Services: Jason Parsons, Shawn Everson, Herbert Evans, Kelly Newell

Electrical Shop: Bruce Moores,

Engineering & Development: Mike Foley, Jason Adams, Michael Smitherman

Stores: Barbara Hoben, Rod Shea, Adrian Lacour,

Pam Murphy started a new position with the Faculty of Arts on October 25. FM wishes Pam every success in this new endeavour.

Jonathan Sharron (Electrical) and George Smith

(Plumbing) both completed their Apprenticeships and have been hired contractually with FM as Journeymen. Congratulations Jonathan and George.

Electrical Apprentices Kevin Healey and Dan Rogers are completing their final block of the apprenticeship program at CONA and will graduate in December. Good luck Kevin and Dan.

Crystal Butler (Electrical Shop) and Doug Burke are the proud parents of a baby girl, Kristi Joan Burke, who was born on October 6, 2010 at 6 lbs, 11 oz. Congratulations Crystal and Doug!

Darryl Williams (Locksmith Shop) and wife Charlene welcomed their second child, a baby boy, named Carter Joseph, on December 5, 2009. Congratulations Darryl and Charlene!

Craig Stacey (Engineering & Development) and Stephanie Gaslard are delighted to announce the arrival of their son, Logan Thomas Stacey, on June 16, 2010 at 7 lbs, 10 oz. Congratulations Craig and Stephanie!

Congratulations to Dan Rogers (Electrical Shop) and Jennifer Bragg who were married on July 17, 2010; Kevin Healey (Electrical Shop) and Nina Chandler who were married on May 1, 2010; Krista LeDrew (Administrative Services) and Robert Hayes (CEP) who were married on April 8, 2010; and to Shane Russell (Engineering & Development) and Alicia Rumboldt who were married on August 14, 2010. Best wishes to all four couples from your co-workers at FM.

Heather Carroll is the winner of the FM Scholarship for the year 2010-11. Heather is the daughter of Eric Carroll of CEP and wife Michelle. Congratulations Heather!

