

372 Newsletter

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Schedule Update

Next week's schedule for the 3.3-3.8 motor line will see no change from their current production schedule.

The 4.0L motor line will also see no change in daily production next week.

Please see your supervisor or steward for any potential overtime work available in your departments.

Attention: All Motorcyclists-Prepare to Ride

All members are invited to join in the 10th Annual-Andy Ross Charity Motorcycle Ride. This event is sponsored by the Trenton Fire & Trenton Police Departments.

This event will be held on June 19, 2010 and will include a police escort ride from Elizabeth Park with a halfway stop at Milan Dragway for refreshments, then back to Elizabeth Park for dinner and live entertainment. The ride is approximately 90 minutes. There will be an outdoor after-party with entertainment, raffles & giveaways at Buster's Place, located at Vreeland & W. Jefferson.

You can pick up your registration form at the Trenton Fire Department. Also, for more information and a printable registration form you can visit the www.andyrossrun.org website.

TEP's Caravan Knight Workers Eligible for TAA

We have received official notice from the U.S. Department of Labor, which determined CK workers were sufficiently under the control of Chrysler as leased workers at the time of our application request for TAA.

Therefore, some current and former TEP-CK workers will now be eligible for TAA. Please contact Curt Cherry @ 313-956-9245 for more information.

Property Relief Program for UAW Members

Representatives from Comprehensive Mortgage will be at Trenton Engine and Trenton South next week.

Comprehensive Mortgage is a proud member of UAW Local 889. They have held numerous classes at Region 1A for members that are facing tough decisions regarding their mortgage.

They help provide options on the following issues some of our members have had to deal with, due to the erratic Real Estate market:

- How to reduce your current mortgage to the current market value of your home.
- How to sell your home for current market value, or less, regardless of how much you owe.
- How to purchase a new home for 0 to 3.5% down.
- How to do these transactions without it affecting your credit.

In addition, Comprehensive Mortgage has a working partnership with Grosse Pointe Realty, to provide services and solutions for your professional realtor needs.

Please review the schedule below if you are interested in speaking with the representatives from Comprehensive Mortgage:

TEP

Main Cafeteria-10:30am-12:00pm-Thursday & Friday

Main Cafeteria-7:00pm-9:00pm-Thursday

TSEP

Cafeteria-10:30am-12:00pm-Thursday

SIDEBAR ARTICLES

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BORDERS

You can use page borders and text box borders to change the appearance of your newsletter. Borders on text boxes help keep different articles separate, and can set off sidebar articles from the rest of the page. To change a text box border, select it, double click its edge and choose the Colors and Lines tab in the Format Auto Shape dialog box.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q: I would like to change some of the text box shading to improve the print quality. Can that be done?

A: Yes. To change the shading or color of a text box, select it and double click its borders to open the Format Text Box dialog box. Click the colors and lines tab and then choose the new color from the Color drop-down list in the Fill section.

Q: What's the best way to print this newsletter?

A: Print page 2 on the back of page 1. Fold in half and mail with or without an envelope. For best results, use a medium to heavyweight paper. If you're mailing without an envelope, seal with a label.

Q: I would like to use my own clip art. How do I change the art without changing the design?

A: To change a picture, click on the picture, then point to Picture on the Insert menu and click From File. Choose a new picture, and click Insert.

Inserting and Editing Pictures

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You can replace the pictures in this template with your company's art. Select the picture you want to replace, point to Picture in the Insert menu, and click From File. Choose a new picture and then click Insert. Select the Link to File box if you don't want to embed the art in the newsletter. This is a good idea if you need to minimize your file size; embedding a picture adds significantly to the size of the file.

To edit a picture, click on it to activate the Picture toolbar. You can use this toolbar to adjust brightness and contrast,

Choose a new picture, and click the Link to file box if you don't want to save the art with the newsletter.

change line properties and crop the image. For more detailed editing, double-click on the graphic to activate the drawing layer. ■

Q: How do I change the text and borders that appear at the bottom of every page?

A: Click Headers and Footers on the View menu. Use the Header and Footer toolbar to navigate among headers and footers, insert date or time, or format the page numbers. To change the text in the footer, select it and type your new text. To change the border, click Borders and Shading on the Format menu.

Q: Can I save a customized newsletter as a template for future editions?

A: Yes. First make any changes you want to this newsletter, then click Save As on the File menu. Choose Document Template from the Save as type drop down list (the extension should change from .doc to .dot). Save the file under a new name. Next time you want to create a newsletter, choose New from the File menu, then choose your template.

