

FACILITATOR

March 2019—June 2019



Hi Todd,

I hope this day finds you doing well. I just wanted to take a moment to tell you how impressed I am with Lee Cremer. He has assisted me with a number of questions in the past and has always been prompt in getting back to me, providing me with the answers or problem solving I needed. Recently, I wanted to add signage to Gentry Hall to bring us into the modern world. He wasted no time in jumping on my thoughts about the signage for Gentry Hall and had me up and running in no time. I was surprised at how fast it all happened! Working with the signage is new to me and Lee understood exactly what the need was. The simpler the better!! On top of being a fine young man who has awesome work ethic, Lee is truly an asset to Clemson University FMO and our IT Department!!

Thank you for all you do!!

With gratitude and as always...Go tigers!

SHARON L. HALL | CLEMSON UNIVERSITY
Administrative Support
Capital Projects

Hello Todd –

I wanted to take a moment to let you know what a great job your team did in the Brooks Center Courtyard area last week. With the trimming and mulching they completed, it looks fantastic.

Please say thank you to them from all of us at the Brooks Center!

Lee

Lee Maiden
Administrative Assistant
CLEMSON UNIVERSITY BANDS
College of Performing Arts



Hi Michael,

I am writing to thank you and your staff for all of their hard work during these last few weeks regarding our restroom issues. They have been quick to respond and worked diligently to get our problem resolved. We appreciate the updates and information throughout this process. As you may know, we are a busy building and to be quite honest, operations were never fully interrupted despite all of the women's restrooms being down.

We want to commend Herb Parham, Josh Ashley, Butch Fortner, Jay Kaufman, Ryan Foster, and Adam Justice for their work.

It's very encouraging to see facilities staff take pride in their job and work hard to keep the buildings at Clemson University fully functional for our students, faculty, and staff.

Again, a BIG THANK YOU for everything! J

TABITHA HARVEY CLEMSON UNIVERSITY
Office Manager
Academic Success Center

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Wednesday, June 19th
Anthony Wagner, Executive VP for Finance and Operations,
congratulated employees who earned a
Safe Driver Award

Award winners (pictured below) - Andy Dickson, Brett Wells, Charles Poole, Coty Marcengill, Daniel Springs, Dennis Holt, Dustin Thomson, Jeff Baker, Joe Hightower, John Charles, Jonathan Fink, Joshua Brown, Keegan Bodiford, Lane Mauldin, Larry Kastner, Larry Wilbanks, Lisa McElveen, Mac Beville, Mark Albertson, Mark Hudson, Marlin Norris, Melanie Brooks, Obryan Machado, Reid Thomas, Robert Dover, Rodney McMahan, Ron Hall, Ross Phillips, Stan Osowicki, Tim Dantz, Tim Nix, Wesley Smith and Brian Patterson.



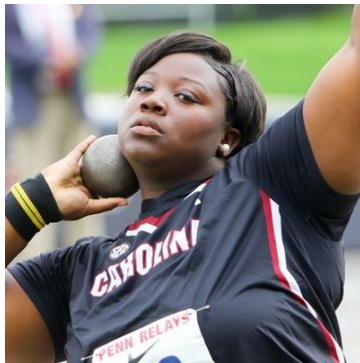
Congratulations to award winners not pictured - Charles Brown, Ricky Cox, Mark Lyles, Chris Addis, Byron Balch, Donald Bennett, Jared Bonnema, Ken Boyter, William Durham, Terry Green, Brad Justice, Don Keasler, Larry Miller, Andy Riggs, Kyle Schultz, Dwight Watson, Stephen Anderson, John Davis, and Pawel Zdeb.

If you have information, an article, upcoming event or compliment you would like included in future Facilitator issues, please send the information to:

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Congratulations to Carisma Holland Daughter of Howard Holland (Campus Utilities)

One week after joining Carolina's top-10 list in the women's shot put, Holland raised the stakes again to win the Penn Relays college flight. The redshirt freshman's third attempt measured 16.33m (53-6 ¾), the fourth-best attempt in Gamecock history and the 26th-best throw in the NCAA this season.



Information and Photo's courtesy of gamecocksonline.com



2019 Historic Preservation Award The Barnes Center



Congratulations Kevin McDonough for your work on this project and helping Clemson University earn this esteemed award



Mr. Smith,

I hope this email finds you well!

I just want to take a minute of your time to express to you our appreciation for all the great work that Brad (Justice) and Henry (Wardlaw) did with the repainting of our offices. Their professionalism is beyond compare. They had to touch up more areas than what we originally requested due to the poor quality done by the contractors that remodeled the suite. They both did an excellent job. It's not often you find those that care about doing things right, but these two really do take pride in their work. We are very appreciative of a job well done.

Best regards,
Robin

ROBIN P. WILLIAMS CLEMSON UNIVERSITY
Federal Projects Coordinator
Clemson University Experiment Station
College of Agriculture, Forestry and Life Sciences

Hello Charles,

Just wanted to thank you and your crew, especially Roshell (Hicks) for doing such a good job in preparing my lab floors and the hallways for the DOE Team Visit. DOE has just informed us that we will be receiving the proposed \$1.8 million grant from them.

Thanks so much,
Mark Thies

Mark C. Thies, Ph.D., P.E., F. AIChE Dow Chemical Professor
Department of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering



Dear Clemson Administrators:

I just wanted to thank our Landscapes Services team for creating an environment that reduces stress and encourages emotional and physical health and well-being. The new applications of mulch are artfully placed (the bed shapes flow smoothly) and properly applied (tree trunks are clean and clear). The leaf removal, the clean sidewalks, and the replanted spaces all contribute to outdoor health. The team's efficient and effective schedule (they use equipment at times that cause the least interference; they pause the blowers and apply courtesy to any nearby walkers); have all contributed to creating harmony which may offset many people's stresses as the semester escalates into finals. Walking outdoors is an instant gift due to the high quality landscape professionals we fortunately have and support. Jeff Baker's crew (Central campus) also supports my students in the Sustainable Demonstration Garden by supplying mulch and tools for us to use; and picking up plant debris to compost. And they do it with promptness, courtesy, and cheerfulness. Not many places have this valuable resource.

Kind regards,
Ellen

Ellen Vincent, Ph.D.
Lecturer, Faculty of Horticulture
Department of Plant and Environmental Sciences



Birthdays



June

6/20 Mac Bevill
6/20 Denise Lee
6/20 Clint Conner
6/22 Teresa Hicks
6/22 David Haines
6/23 Lee Cremer
6/25 Patrick Fant
6/27 Seth Kiser
6/27 Daniel Rogers
6/29 Pedro Martinez
6/30 Stephen Westbury
6/30 Emily Preston

July

7/1 Greg Weitz
7/1 Dennis Roach
7/3 David Garrett
7/4 Scot Gibson
7/4 Tony Putnam
7/8 Brian Patterson
7/10 Rusty McDonald
7/11 Todd Barnette
7/11 Steven Dubose
7/13 Martha Nail
7/16 Jay Kaufman
7/19 Celeste Jones
7/21 David Vandeventer
7/21 Tammi Burdette
7/21 Matthew Garrison
7/22 Mike Parker
7/23 Tom Jones
7/23 Matthew Holbrooks
7/25 Kevin Pruitt
7/25 Summer Black
7/26 Thomas Suttles
7/27 Sandra McCurry
7/27 Obryan Machado
7/28 Jay Whitmire
7/29 Robert Dover
7/27 Katherine Daily

August

8/1 Gary Hooper
8/6 Courtney Kirby
8/8 Robert McCrary
8/8 Zackary Roach
8/11 Dennis Driscoll
8/11 Rod Holcombe

August (Continued)

8/12 Randy Medlin
8/13 Derrick Wardlaw
8/14 Bill Hurst
8/15 Marie Thomas
8/16 Susan Bedell
8/19 Larry Miller
8/22 Kevin McDonough
8/22 Howard Holland
8/24 Teresa Cordell
8/25 Arturo Sanchez
8/26 Mark Hudson
8/27 John McEntire
8/27 Brett Wells
8/29 Brad Goff
8/29 Stanley Crowe
8/31 Keith Mize
8/31 Tommi Jones

September

9/2 Donald Bennett
9/5 Tony Westbrooks
9/6 Scott Feagan
9/7 Daniel Springs
9/7 Keith Gates
9/7 Mark Smith
9/10 Butch Fortner
9/10 John Charles
9/11 Pawel Zdeb
9/11 Dan Byers
9/13 Shanna Dickson
9/14 Mack Whitmire
9/14 Dustin Thomson
9/15 Craig Williamson
9/16 Lonnie Swafford
9/19 Jerrad Ward
9/20 Glenda Cotton
9/22 Michael Todd
9/22 Chris Kohler
9/22 Mahmoodreza Arefi
9/23 Kim Francis
9/23 Scott Richey
9/26 Kyle Schultz
9/26 Roger Wiggins
9/26 Don Keasler
9/27 Oscar Salazar
9/29 John Gambrell
9/30 Charles Brown



New Hires

Timothy Hendrix	Maintenance Services
Derrick Wardlaw	Campus Utilities
Sharrie Alger	Custodial/Recycling
Sandra Twilley	Maintenance Services
Christopher Hodges	Landscape Services
Shanna Dickson	Maintenance Services
Daniel Rodgers	Landscape Services
David Gibbons	Custodial/Recycling

Congratulations Retirees:

Sydney Blackwell
and
Bill Hurst



From Todd:

A Day in the Life of University Facilities (<https://youtu.be/vxMCfenoOls>)

If you haven't had a chance to see the video found in the link above, please take a look. This video was presented to the Board of Trustees at their last quarterly meeting to give a brief overview of all that University Facilities does to impact the campus each day. It was very well received.

What I like best about the video is that it focuses on our people to tell the story of the work we do. Our accomplishments are great, our processes and procedures are important, and the funds we spend are critical to supporting the campus. But it is the talented men and women of our staff that make the difference between "getting the job done" and "doing a great job." In this month's Kudo section, I notice our landscaping staff being thanked for taking the time to "apply courtesy" in the course of their daily work. Another mentions a project done by the maintenance staff where "operations were never fully interrupted." This demonstrates our commitment to not only the safety and well-being of our faculty, staff and students, but to their comfort and convenience as well.

Another example of our efforts to go the extra mile has been in our increased communication on summer roadway disruption. This summer's disruptions are necessary to improve utility services, make roads safer and enhance the campus experience. While they have caused short term inconveniences, Facilities' staff, and our partners, have worked together to provide the most up to date information on our website and other social media outlets. Again, it's the extra effort that makes a good job, great.

I hope you share the pride I feel at being a member of such an outstanding team. I know we aren't always perfect, and sometimes we even disagree with each other, as all close families do. But the video reminds me how lucky I am to be a part of a great department, at a great University, at a truly great time.

Thank for your efforts "24 hours a day, 7 days a week."

Todd

Introducing Macey and Casey

Vicki Durham's newly rescued fur babies

They were found on the side of a road



Please remember to spay or neuter your pets!
Most strays are not lucky enough to find loving homes.

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Photos:



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