



FINDLAY'S TALL TIMBERS
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“The aim of an argument, or of a discussion, should not be victory, but progress.”

Joseph Joubert



Penn Centre Logistics Announces NEW CUSTOMER

Penn Centre is pleased to announce a new client that is a water bottler in Central Pennsylvania . Our customer operates a 100% recyclable manufacturing operation as well as employs a 10-step Advanced Multiple Purification™ process . The result is an environmentally friendly product that delivers great, consistent taste in every bottle, every time. Penn Centre received 59 loads during their first week of activity. PCL has added two new associates and a third shift to help with the new business. PCL has received 2,050 pallets in their first 2 weeks of activity. Valley Trucking and Jack Armstrong Trucking are working together with Ohio Logistics Transportation to handle the shuttle duties.

OHIO CHAMPIONSHIPS IN JUNE

The Ohio Truck Driving Championships is scheduled for June 17 and 18 of 2011 and will return to the Ohio State University parking area at the corner of Ackerman Rd. and St. Rt. 315. Headquarters hotel is again the University Plaza Hotel, 3110 Olentangy River Rd. The event is run by the Ohio Professional Roadeo Association, and all registration information must go through them. Log on to www.ohiotdc.com for registration forms, rules, and other information about how to participate.



Maintenance working on phase two of our 2011 floor replacement project in building #2 in Findlay



Liability: Not what it used to be by Bud Cohan, Logistics Consultant (Mr Cohan is reached at lcohan@csc.edu.)

On March 21 a new rule from the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMSCA) eliminates the requirement that carriers maintain cargo insurance in prescribed minimum amounts. This change creates a new burden of risk for most shippers. What can you do about it? You can ask your carriers to provide proof of insurance, or you can cover the risk with your own insurance. Or you can avoid using common carriers and switch to exclusive use of contract carriage. If you create a contract that covers the insurance issue, this could control the risk. Finally you could do nothing, and hope the uncollectable claims do not become a problem.

OHIO LOGISTICS TRANSPORTATION carries 5 million dollars in cargo insurance.

Husband of Our Teresa Forsythe (STL) involved in a Heroic Team Rescue of an 11 month old boy Bath, N.Y. — (Article courtesy of the Corning Leader Newspaper)

Local police officers and a volunteer fire chief are being hailed as heroes after rescuing an 11-month-old boy Monday night from a second-story apartment fire on Geneva Street.

Following a 911 report of a fire with a trapped child, Bath Police Officer J.D. Hawley, Sgt. David Forsythe, and Assistant Fire Chief Joe Washburn rushed to the scene and combined efforts to pull Caidyn A. Fisher to safety, according to emergency officials.

The three men found the unlocked front entrance filled with smoke and flames shooting up the stairwell, officials said. Forsythe began to knock down the 8-foot high flames with a fire extinguisher and Hawley scaled a porch post, with Washburn pushing him up to reach the roof. Hawley broke an upstairs window, located the little boy, then exited back out the window, using a neighbor's ladder to reach the ground.

"I'm telling you, you pull any one of those three guys from the scene and it could have been a disaster," Police Chief David Rouse said Tuesday. "Just a few seconds made a big difference. A big difference."

The three were able to rescue the boy and put out the entry-way flames before the fire department arrived, just minutes after the call. The department quickly brought the fire under control, Bath Fire Chief Ron Delio said.

Our Company Honor Roll of Those Who Have Served or Are Currently Serving Their Country

Dan Perkins—served '73—'77 Navy and in the Army in the 1980's Columbus C2

Harold Harrison — Army-1969-1971 as a Sargent, tours in Vietnam & Germany — Columbus C2

Ed Parker Served in — Navy— B-3

Dennis Mompher — Navy Purple Heart– Transportation

JoAnn Lawless — Marine—Transportation

Walt Schneider— Marine — Transportation

Gary Miller — Navy—Transportation

Dan Blanchard — Navy — Transportation

Ron Lawrence — Army — Transportation

Dave Nuveman — Navy— Transportation

Tod Macareno—Wisc National Guard - served 1982-1996 Wisconsin Logistics (Tod's nephew is serving a term in Army)

Don Thompson — Air Force —8 1/3 years– Alaska-Turkey-Texas– Instructor in a Tech school — DSC

Steven Zehender — Army— Third tour enlisted & in the middle east now—Son of Dan & Kathy Zehender B-2

Daniel Sly — National Guard — Twinsburg, Ohio — Currently serving — John & Kathy Armstrong's son — STL

Jeffrey Armstrong — Army—8/4/09– presently in Iraq Theater of ops should conclude summer of 2011 John & Kathy Armstrong's son — STL

Terry Kerstetter — Army E4—Vietnam for 19 months — Dispatcher, mortar company, motor pool –PCL

Gerald Lee Mann— Marine WW2—(fabricated his age to join early to serve)- Mike Mann's father — PCL

Shawn Heidlebaugh — Air Force/Air National Guard—1987-1998— Building #3/Corporate

One Enlisted Man's Path in the Service
Ft. Benning GA. — Basic training –8/4/09 Duty assignment 11/09—3rd infantry FT Stewart GA — deployed next to Anbar Province Iraq in July of 2010->Assigned to a PSD (Personal Security Detachment)- escorting valued individuals->To Camp Ramadi into a QRF (Quick reacting force)-> Camp Ramaji then moved to Camp Taji in AAM (Air assault missions) in Baghdad. Enlisted man: Jeffrey Armstrong (all this responsibility & training before age 20)

This Memorial Day, as we attend the many barbeques and get-togethers, the parades we see, the programs on PBS we watch, let us pause to remember the HEROES who walk among us who have served their country well as well as their families and those that paid the ultimate price that we may live free. Let us also remember our service men & women currently serving around the world to insure our safety now & tomorrow.



WW2 MONUMENT



“And I'm proud to be an American,
where at least I know I'm free.
And I won't forget the men who died,
who gave that right to me.” ~Lee Greenwood



The Sailor pictured here on the left is Navy Petty Officer, PO2 (Petty Officer Second Class) EOD2 (Explosive Ordnance Disposal, Second Class)

“ Mike Monsoor”

April 5th, 1981 – September 29th, 2009

Mike Monsoor, was awarded “ The Congressional Medal of Honor” last month, for giving his life in Iraq, as he jumped on, and covered with his body, a live hand grenade, saving the lives of a large Group Of Navy Seals that was passing buy! During Mike Monsoor’s Funeral, At Ft. RoseCrans National Cemetery, in San Diego, California, the six pallbearers removed the rosewood casket from the hearse, and lined up on each side of Mike Monsoor’s casket, were his family members, friends, fellow sailors, and well wishers. The column of people continued from the hearse, all the way to the grave site. What the group did not know was, every Naval Seal (45 to be exact) that Mike had saved that day was scattered throughout the column. As the pall bearers carried the rosewood casket down the column of people to the grave side, the column would collapse, which formed a group of people that followed behind. Every time the rosewood casket passed a Navy Seal, he would remove his Gold Trident Pin from his uniform, and slap it down hard, causing the Gold Trident Pin to embed itself into the top of the wooden casket. The Navy Seal would then step back from the column and salute. For those who don’t know what a Trident Pin is, here is the definition: After one completes the Basic Navy Seals Program which lasts for three weeks, it is then followed by Seal Qualification Training, which is then 15 more weeks of training that is necessary to continue improving basic skills and learn new tactics and techniques which is required for an assignment to a Navy Seal Platoon. After successful completion, Trainees are given their Naval Enlisted Code and are then awarded The Navy Seal Trident Pin. They are now officially Navy Seals. It is said that you could hear each of the 45 Navy Seal Slaps from across the cemetery. By the time the rosewood cas-

ket reached the gravesite, it looked as though it had a gold inlay from the 45 Trident Pins that lined the top.



“ Idealism increases in direct proportion to one’s distance from the problem.”

~ John Galsworthy



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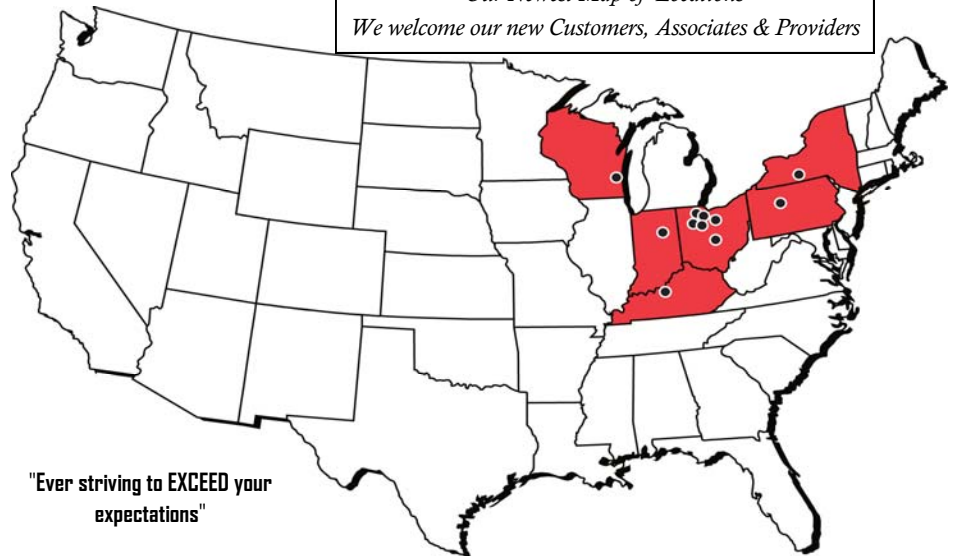
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Memorial Day Origin:

What we know as Memorial Day today originated in Waterloo New York On May 30, 1868 by Henry Welles. In those days it was known as Decoration Day because on that date all of our fallen soldiers graves were decorated with patriotic colors . It was not until 1971, when Congress passed the "National Holiday Act" that made all National Holidays be observed in a 3 day weekend that Decoration Day became known as Memorial Day.

" It doesn't take a hero to order men into battle. It takes a hero to be one of those men who goes into battle."

~ Norman Schwarzkopf

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!

Building 3
Stephanie McGuire 5/06

DSC
Don Thompson 5/07 STL
Aaron Mawhir 5/31
Mark Meinen 5/30
OLG
Dan Blanchard 5/24 Jan Neil 5/27
Dean Crookshanks 5/21 Sean Landon 5/24
Gary Miller 5/22 Stewart Jimmerson 5/29
Gary Hankinson 5/05

Milwaukee
Curtis Dalton 5/13
Michael Gauvion 5/31



Associate of the Quarter

Building 1—Group Recognition
Building 2—Group Recognition
Building 3—Group Recognition
Building 4—Group Recognition
DSC—Mike Hoopman
OLG—Zach Bingham
Fostoria— Charles Jordan
Ottawa—Group Recognition
Columbus C1—Leticia Sanchez
Columbus C2—Group Recognition
I69 — Shaun Linn
Louisville—Group Recognition
Milwaukee –Roberto Hernandez
Penn Centre— Jerry Hanley
Southern Tier—Dan Bailey



**WAY
TO GO**

Service Anniversaries

<u>Building 2</u>		<u>STL</u>	
Tom Orwick	5/12/06	Dennis Negri	5/17/10
Wynn Kelley	5/29/07	Christina Roton	5/24/10
		Teresa -Thompson-Forsythe	5/22/06
<u>OLG</u>		<u>Wisconsin</u>	
Aaron Collins	5/7/10	Michael Gouvion	5/17/10
Ron Coppage	5/7/10		
Robert Johnson	5/26/09	<u>NKL</u>	
David Tong	5/15/07	Sean Riley	5/10/10
Dan Wikel	5/12/06		

Thanks to our staff for dedicating their service to our company.

THANK YOU

