USU Facilities is pleased to announce Matthew R. Wallin as the employee of the month for April 2018. Before coming to the Facilities HVAC shop, Matt worked for USU Recycling. Vincent Neumiller and Kory Johnson, nominators and co-workers, have said, “Matthew is a great person to work with and someone who is always willing to help get the job done. Matt is an employee who loves to learn and work with his hands. He is always smiling and expressing how much he loves his job.”

Jeff Craw, HVAC Foreman, has said, “For four years, Matt was an hourly employee with USU Recycling and has been with the HVAC Shop for about three years. Matt is the first one to volunteer to help... every time. Matt is in his third year of our Apprenticeship program and will graduate at the end of the year. His quality of work is getting better every day and his skills have quadrupled since he started with us. Matt’s communication skills are great and he keeps up with all the work that is on his plate. Matt is easy to get along with and his attitude is always good. He usually has a smile on his face and a joke to go along with it!”

Matt was born in Logan, UT. He and his family moved to Boise, ID and lived there for several years before returning to Logan, just before he started middle school. Matt graduated from Logan High School. He then attended USU and Bridgerland Applied Technology College (BATC), where he received welding training. Matt has two brothers and one sister, all of whom live in Logan. His parents also live in Logan and his mom also works on campus. Matt and his wife, Rebecca, have been married for seven years and have two beautiful daughters; Izabelle (6) and Lennyn (2). Matt loves all kinds of sports and especially enjoys being outdoors; hiking, camping, fishing... you name it, he loves it! He wishes he could travel more and doesn’t care to what destination, just as long as it’s warm!

Congratulations to Matt on this well-deserved recognition. It’s great having him as part of the Facilities Organization.
TEAMWORK AWARD

Troy Johnson and Ken Weeks make a great team, serving the USTAR 650 Building facility. For the past two months these men have been instrumental in the remodeling of the Animal Research Lab. Troy and Ken have gone above and beyond their normal duties at that building, all in the interest of the client and this recent project.

Congratulations to Troy and Ken for all they do for Facilities and the USU Campus at large!

New Full-Time Facilities Employees

Michael Rudie – Finishes
Shaun Hart – Carpenters

RETIREES

Claine Baird — FM
Sheryl Barfus — FM

Step Up Award: A big thanks goes out to Luke Bair and Josh Taylor of the Heavy Equipment Shop. Juke and Josh were a huge help in moving bleachers from the USU Softball Field to the Central Energy Plant, for repairs. These two employees were a huge help in getting the job done in a timely fashion. Their willingness to help on such a tight schedule was greatly appreciated. Thanks to Luke and Josh for doing so much to keep the USU campus safe for all of us!

Dear Facilities,

I just wanted to let you know that Christian Mansfield was really helpful when you recently sent him to scope the small project. I have also had a really good experience with everyone on your team and I really appreciate the work you provide.

Leo Alfonseca Perez
USU College of Engineering

Sunday, April 1, 2018

Garrett Thurston of the Warehouse, hard at work!
CORNER

USU Facilities has worked 129 days without lost-time as of March 26, 2018. The previous record was 414 days.

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Hard Hat Usage

OSHA requires a hard hat if the following hazards are present:

- Objects might fall from above and strike employees on the head
- There is potential for employees to bump their heads against fixed objects, such as exposed pipes or beams
- There is a possibility of accidental head contact with electrical hazards

**Hard hats don’t last forever.** The manufacture recommends:

- Replace the suspension after 12 months of use
- Replace the shell after no more than five years of use
- Replace the shell after an impact or penetration

Contact Safety Manager with questions: james.day@usu.edu

Congratulations to Kyler (Plumbers) and Kailey Mitton on the arrival of their little boy “Kace”

NATIONAL ARBOR DAY
MARCH 27, 2018

Congrats to Germain Costa for receiving his Citizenship for the United States of America!

Tax Day
APR 17 TUES
Tax Office

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

- Campbell, Lorrin 01
- Mortensen, Lorin R. 01
- Worsham, Emma 01
- Mackay, Jordan 02
- Saavedra, Claire 05
- Shkurpela, Oleksandr 06
- Thomson, Amanda 06
- Leishman, Scott F. 07
- Toledo, Skyler D. 07
- Steed, Hannah 09
- Barfuss, Daniel 10
- Garbett, Aaron B. 10
- Gyllenskog, Dane G. 10
- Simmons, Tanner 11
- Nelson, Patricia 12
- Bowles, Lyndsee 14
- Nyman, JD 15
- Lynch, Ryan 16
- Lloyd, Nathanael 16
- Richins, Dan S. 16
- Call, Aubrey 16
- Johnson, Kory 16
- Funk, Carrie 18
- Rhines, Aubrie 20
- Snow, Jeffrey 20
- Campbell, Ty 21
- Fitzgerald, Braxton 22
- George, Brandon 22
- Vanzanten, Shreve 22
- Hebdon, Roy E. 23
- Ferney, Thadeus 23
- Chase, John A. 23
- Day, James R. 23
- Friedli, Jedd R. 24
- Johnson, Ezra 24
- Saunders, Annika 24
- Soorma, Savanna 24
- Montgomery, Chelsea 25
- Laurence, Iain 25
- Williams, Austin 26
- Stauffer, Ryan 27
- Mitchell, Derek 29
- Donaldson, Michael 30
- Weeks, Kenneth G. 30

Thank you for your years of service!

Petersen, David W. 36 Years
Leishman, Curtis M. 33 Years
George, Michael A. 23 Years
Wilson, George J. 20 Years
Maughan, Daniel 17 Years
Elwood, Kelly J. 13 Years
Leckie, Bret 10 Years
Bingham, Tina 6 Years
Danielson, David B. 6 Years
Domenici, Chris 6 Years
Riggs, Joshua T. 6 Years
Davis, Gregory L. 5 Years
Christoffersen, Kelly 3 Years
Richards, Shane 2 Years
Austin, Blaine D. 1 Year
Blad, Denny 1 Year
Tree, Jeron 1 Year

April 10

National Siblings Day

April 29

International Dance Day

7th April

World Health Day