

POWER*NEWS*

Team Defiance, here is your new Mission Statement...
"One Team - Innovating the Future"

August 17, 2023

On this day in history (August 17)...

1788 Losantville, Ohio (now Cincinnati) founded 1835 Solymon Merrick of Springfield, Massachusetts patents the first wrench

1846 Commodore Robert F Stockton, US Navy, annexes California

1858 1st bank in Hawaii opens

1859 1st air mail (in a balloon) took off from Lafayette, Indiana

1870 1st ascent of Mt Rainier, Washington (14,411'), by Hazard Stevens and P. B. Van Trump

1877 American astronomer Asaph Hall discovers Mars' moon Phobos

1891 1st public bathhouse with showers opens in NYC (People's Bath)

1891 Electric self-starter for automobile patented 1897 W B Purvis patents electric railway switch (aka points)

1903 Joe Pulitzer donates \$1 million to Columbia University & begins the Pulitzer Prizes in America

1908 Bank of Italy (now Bank of America) opens new HQ, the Bank of Italy building at Clay & Montgomery, San Francisco

1920 New York Yankees cancel game with Cleveland Indians in memory of Ray Chapman who dies after being hit by a pitch the previous day

1936 An unemployed worker, Neils B. Ruud, in Madison, Wisconsin, receives the first unemployment benefit check paid under a State law, for \$15

1939 Musical film "The Wizard of Oz", starring Judy Garland, Ray Bolger, Bert Lahr, Jack Haley, and Margaret Hamilton opens at Loews Capitol Theatre, NYC

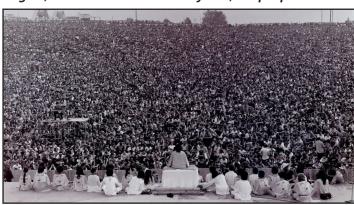
1945 Korea is divided into North and South Korea along the 38th parallel

1953 Addiction: First meeting of Narcotics Anonymous in Southern California.

1957 Baseball player Richie Ashburn fouls and hits fan Alice Roth twice in the same game at bat playing for the Philadelphia Phillies, 1st hit breaks her nose, 2nd one hits her while she is on the stretcher 1959 7.1 quake strikes Yellowstone National Park

1969 Woodstock Festival closes with Jimi Hendrix / Band of Gypsys as final act (taking the stage at 9AM on the 18th); other performers included Joe Cocker, Country Joe MacDonald & The Fish, The Band, CSN&Y, and Sha Na Na

The Woodstock Music and Art Fair ran from the 15-18th August, 1969 and was attended by 400,000 people.



1978 1st successful crossing of the Atlantic by balloon (3 Americans)

1988 NYC 1st case of Rocky Mountain Spotted Fever (9 year old Bronx boy)

1990 "Exorcist 3" film written and directed by William Peter Blatty, premieres By Ou This Day in History

The Red Cross will be on-site on Wednesday, August 30 for a blood

drive. There is an urgent need so please consider donating!



To sign up to donate blood, you can scan this QR code with your phone's camera an a link will appear. Touch the link and your phone's web browser will open up the Red Cross' website show-

⊕ blood

ing the donation dates and times for GM Defiance.



Defiance Casting Plant Additive Manufacturing Team



L to R: Dave Scheppler, Phil Schroeder, Eric Bennett, Brad Daman, Tim Miles, Al Hilvers



Introducing Defiance Casting Plant's Latest Resource

Defiance Casting Plant recently installed an industrial 3D Printer—the Stratasys F900 located next to Plt2 Lab

Submit a request form if you need a 3D Printed Part. The form is located on the Defiance Casting Plant SharePoint Homepage in the Additive Manufacturing Link.

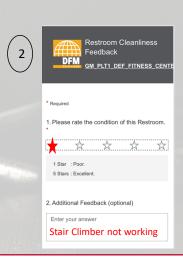
Once the form is submitted, someone from the Defiance Casting Plant Additive Manufacturing Team will start working on your request and reach out to you with any questions.



FITNESS CENTER REPAIR!

See a machine in need of repair? Please scan the QR code outside of the "IN" door -> Rate it a 1 with a description of what needs repaired!











GENERAL MOTORS 75TH ANNIVERSARY 2023

You can now purchase your items online in 3 easy steps:

- 1. Scan the QR code or go online to https://gm75thanniversary2023.itemorder.com/
- Choose your items and add them to your cart
 Securely checkout with your credit card

Online Store Deadline: Sunday August 20th, 2023 (11:59pm EDT)

APPAREL



Bayside USA Made 100% Cotton Short Sleeve Tee

\$12.00



Questions? Rob Welch (419) 238-3620 nwohiobb@hotmail.com



AUGUST MEETING

Rescue Training

When:

August 24th 2023

Where:

Training Center Room 135

Time:

3rd Shift 0230 - 0630

1st Shift 0630 - 1030

2nd Shift 1430 – 1830





On August 22nd, National Be an Angel Day encourages good deeds and kindness to others. By supporting those in need and inspiring others to kindness, we display an act of an angel here on earth.

#BeAnAngelDay

The day also recognizes those who've been angels to us. Sometimes we have a terrible day. Whether its bad news or poor planning, we all have them. A kind word, a hug, or even a pleasant atmosphere makes a difference.

Other times, days, even weeks, can be devastating. A loss, illness, or overwhelming news takes the wind from our sails. Those angels provide comfort at a time when we need it most.

The same happens to the people around us. We don't always know what others may be enduring. We can be an angel in big and small ways. Whether we know a person's concerns or not, merely offering to join them for a meal may relieve their stress. Having someone to listen to often is something we need most.

Noticing someone's efforts is another way we can be an angel. Letting them know you're impressed with their stamina, talent, progress – fill in the blanks. These positive comments provide morale-boosting energy.

Any time we see someone in need, the opportunity arises to offer help. Assist an elderly neighbor with lawn care. Don't overlook the single parents when setting up play dates. Their children – and the parents – need social interaction, too.

Also, when you value someone's time, effort, and presence, don't hesitate to tell them. We may be individual people, but we don't thrive alone. Look out for each other.

HOW TO OBSERVE NATIONAL BE AN ANGEL DAY Be someone's angel. Offer an ear to listen, a hand to lift them up, or a shoulder to hold them up until they can stand again. Give patience when you least feel like giving it. Hear the pain below the complaint or the exhaustion under the frustration. Notice the worry, not the anger. Look with eyes that see the whole person, not just the fraction of a moment. Hold a hand when there's nothing else that can be done. Dry a tear. Thank an angel. Use #BeAnAngelDay to share on social media.

NATIONAL BE AN ANGEL DAY HISTORY In 1993, Jayne Howard Feldman created National Be an Angel Day to encourage acts of kindness.

By National Day Calendar



TONYA HUSS UAW COMMUNICATION COORDINATOR

tonya.huss@gm.com



