



BENCARDINO'S LATEST DIRT

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EMPLOYEE PROFILE: Chris Cannon

In each issue of our newsletter, Bencardino Excavating highlights one outstanding employee who has been with the company for five or more years.

hris Cannon is a site foreman for Bencardino Excavating. As a site foreman, Chris makes sure that jobs run smoothly and that the guys on the job stay safe since employee safety is a priority at Bencardino Excavating.

Chris has been with the company for seven years. He first learned of an opening with Bencardino Excavating from one of Lou Bencardino's nephews. Though applying for the position was a gamble at the time, Chris says leaving his former job to join Bencardino Excavating has really paid off.

His favorite aspect of his job is that each day brings a new experience. Chris enjoys learning new things every day and loves that unlike many people in the workforce, he isn't staring at his watch all day waiting for 5 o'clock to roll around.

Since working at Bencardino Excavating, Chris has learned many skills, but he feels that grading has been one skill that has been instrumental. On a daily basis Chris handles anything from putting in sidewalks to paving roads and excavating foundations of buildings which all require knowledge about different grades – and he really views this as one of the most important parts of his job.

Outside of work, Chris is an avid baseball and football fan. One fact fellow Bencardino Excavating employees may not know about Chris is that he was awarded

a scholarship to play baseball for Florida State University. His favorite team is the Philadelphia Phillies and his favorite player of all time is Mike Schmidt. His current favorite player is Chase Utley. In baseball and life, Chris subscribes to the belief that things happen for a reason, so he thinks that Roy Halladay is going to be a major asset to the Phillies this season and that the team will make it to the playoffs again this year. And we all hope he's right!



HOME DIRT

Safety Committee

Bencardino Excavating recently launched an employee safety committee as a means to promote safety and health in the workplace. The purpose of the committee is to bring workers and management together in a cooperative effort to continually review and enhance our daily safety procedures. Within the last six months, the committee has helped the company put several new employee safety procedures into place.

Safety representatives were chosen based on their knowledge, dedication to safety and ability to interact with others to achieve effective results. The group is comprised of the following Bencardino Excavating employees: Mark McKinley (chairman), Andrea Palma (recording secretary), Louis Biskup, Ronald Krajewski, Sr., and Charles Woelk along with outside member Denise Fields, an insurance advisor with Rue Insurance.

<u>birthdays</u>

Happy Birthday to these employees!

Dolores Slabicki	January 8
Linda Frye	January 15
Steve Borusiewicz	February 4
Greg Fluck	February 5
Raymond McGrath, Jr.	February 15
Christian Harris	February 28
John Jennings	March 2
Marc McKinley	March 3
Richard Miehle	April 18
Joseph Hathaway	April 20
Michael Staffieri	April 22
Chris Cannon	May 8
William Ilg	May 14
Vincent Stout	May 17

THESE JUST IN...

We have many project underway.

Here are a few recent ones...

Montgomery County Community College Renovation Project, Blue Bell, PA

Client: Montgomery County Community College Project manager name: IMC Construction, Inc.

Foreman: Chris Cannon

Project: IMC Construction, Inc., selected Bencardino Excavating to handle demolition, site utility relocation, all site utilities and earth cuts and fills for the college hall improvements.

Philadelphia Airport Project, Philadelphia

Client: H.B. Frazer Company

Project manager name: Lou Bencardino

Foreman: George Hislop

Project: Bencardino Excavating started excavation work at the Philadelphia International Airport per the Federal Aviation Administration's request for the airport to update its power and communication systems. H.B. Frazer Company awarded Bencardino Excavating with the job to manage excavating at the airport which includes concrete encasement of duct banks, backfill and restoration of road and runway crossings.

Sugarhouse Casino Project, Philadelphia

Client: A.T. Chadwick Company, Inc. / Gordon

Group Electric

Project manager name: Lou Bencardino

Foreman: Chuck Woelk, Jr. and Greg Davis

Project: Bencardino Excavating was hired by A.T. Chadwick Company, Inc., and Gordon Group

Electric to handle electrical and mechanical

plumbing excavation and sanitary and storm water

drainage installation.

A NOTE FROM LOU BENCARDINO

I have always believed that the quality of the work a company delivers and the amount of success it enjoys lie squarely on the shoulders of the people it employs. At Bencardino Excavating, we are lucky to have a team comprised of exceptional and talented individuals who are loyal to the job they do and to our company.

That is why we thought it was fitting that in this first *Bencardino's Latest Dirt* newsletter of 2010, we recognize those extraordinary employees who have been with us for more than 15 years. We are grateful for the work they do and the example they set for the rest of the Bencardino crew. A special thanks to David McIlwain, Raymond McGrath, Jr., and Michael Staffieri for more than 15 years with Bencardino Excavating. We know we can count on your continued great work with the company and look forward to seeing what the next 15 years bring together.

With Many Thanks,
Lou Bencardino
Owner, Bencardino Excavating





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congrats & thanks!

A special thanks to our employees who have been with us for 15+ years.

David McIlwain 17 years Raymond McGrath, Jr. 16 years Michael Staffieri 16 years







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overheard

what our clients are saying about us.

"The excavation contractors of Bencardino Excavating always do an efficient snow removal job for us. They are always on time and I can count on them to take direction well. Bencardino Excavating always get the job done and they do it well!"

- Matt White, Project Coordinator of Packer Avenue Marine Terminal in Philadelphia

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