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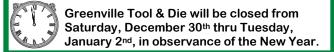
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### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**



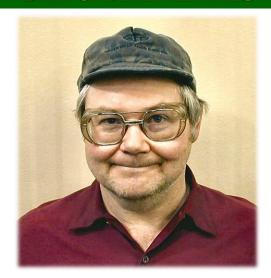


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## **DAN UPDIKE RETIRES**



Dan Updike retired from Greenville Tool & Die on December 15, 2017, after 44 years of service. Dan spent a number of years building dies and special machines. He ran our CNC machines, repaired cutting tools, repaired hand grinders, and has been our heat treat specialist preparing steels before shipping out for heat treat. It's no secret, he can fabricate anything! Dan and his wife Cathy have 3 children and 3 grandchildren. Outside of his responsibilities here at GTD, Dan makes aluminum castings, typically peddle tractors and parts. In his retirement, Dan plans to pour more castings with the help of his son, Brian, and spend time with his family.

Dan said when he started his career at GTD he remembers duplicating models were built with wood and the metal thickness with wax. In his first 2 years he used a slide rule in place of a calculator. Technology has come a long way over the years. Dan also recalls when the old lathes and shapers just outside the offices would make a loud noise, the engineering department would come running to see what had happened. Some things never change. On behalf of all of us here at GTD, it has been a pleasure to work with you Dan. We thank you for spending over 4 decades with us, and wish you and Cathy many years of good health and prosperity in your retirement.

#### **BLOOD DRIVE**



Our next Red Cross Blood Drive will be held on Tuesday, January 9<sup>th</sup> from 12:30pm - 5:45pm.

#### **SAFETY & SUGGESTION**

Safety & Suggestion Meeting Wednesday, January 10, 2018 - 3:30pm

January committee members are: Tim Adkinson Paul Arlt Ben Crawford Mark Winters



# **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**

We would like to take the opportunity to wish the following GTD employees a Happy Birthday on:

#### JANUARY

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4	John Senn
8	Ken Bradley
15	Brad Throop
16	Mark Winters
20	Kenny Haines
26	Conner Arnold
28	Marty Bush



## **SERVICE AWARDS**



The following employees are recognized for their hard work and dedication on:

#### **JANUARY**

10Jon Gigowski	29 years
23Matt Brewster	
23Kris VanOcker	6 years
23Ryan Daley	5 years

Thank you all for your commitment, and the accomplishments you have brought to Greenville Tool & Die.