The Rose Review



A Message from Paul Rose President

As I review our very healthy backlog, I am reminded that most of that work backlog is because of the wonderful job that each of you do in the everyday performance of your job. Being safety conscious; "making safe happen"; treating our customers, clients, and fellow employees with respect and executing your task with pride all play a significant part in the success of our company. For all that I am truly thankful.

I am also thankful to have lived in Tipton County all my life. I appreciate the four distinct seasons we experience throughout each year. Spring is just around the corner. It is one of my favorite seasons. As we drive along our highways and roads, we will begin to see the "new life" that the Spring season brings; budding trees, blooming flowers, grass greening up and of course the splatter of bugs on your vehicle's windshield and grill.

Spring also reminds me of the new life that each of us can have through Jesus Christ, God's Son. Good Friday and Easter Sunday are on your calendar every spring. Good Friday is recognized by Christians around the world as the day when Jesus Christ, the perfect sinless Son of God willingly allowed sinful man to nail him to a cross. He ultimately died and was placed in a borrowed tomb. However, that is not the end of the story. Three days later, Easter morning, Jesus Christ conquered death forever and rose victorious from the grave to live forever. Because He lives, we can experience new life, eternal life now and forever.

One of the most well-known and memorized verses of scripture is John 3:16. "For God so loved the world that He gave his one and only son, that whoever would believe in Him, would not perish but have eternal life. Eternal life, new life; now and forever. My prayer for each of you this Spring season is that you will each come to know Jesus Christ as your savior and enjoy the "new, eternal life" that He desires to give you.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

DONNIE S. - MARCH 9TH

FIDEL D.- MARCH 23RD

DAVID C. - MARCH 29TH

RAYMOND H. - MARCH 29TH

CARMEN J. - MARCH 31ST

SERGIO E.- APRIL 15TH

LES A. - APRIL 22ND

JOHN PAUL R. - APRIL 24TH

IMPORTANT DATES

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS - MARCH 12TH
ST. PATRICK'S DAY - MARCH 17TH
FIRST DAY OF SPRING - MARCH 20TH
GOOD FRIDAY - APRIL 7TH
EASTER - APRIL 9TH



OUR MISSION



Pictured: Lou Sobh Honda Southaven, MS



Landers CDJR Renovations - Southaven, MS Sutherland City Shops - Munford, TN Lanxess OXONE PH2 Concrete - Memphis, TN Total Fitness - Covington, TN

Island 34 Hunting Lodge Renovation - Lauderdale County, TN
ICON Collision Repair Shop - Memphis, TN

Crafted Coffee - Covington, TN

Tyson Truck Turnaround & Access Road - Newbern, TN



PICTURED LEFT: UNCLE NEAREST DISTILLERY SHELBYVILLE, TN

PICTURED RIGHT: LAUDERDALE COMMUNITY HOSPITAL SITE WORK RIPLEY, TN





PICTURED LEFT: COLEMAN TRACTOR JOELTON, TN

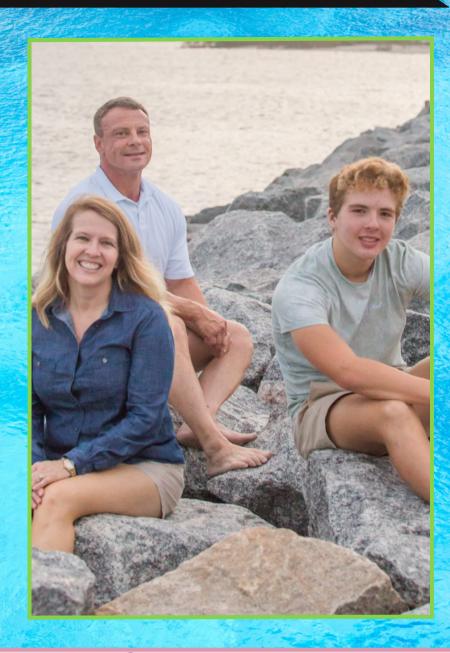
TwelveStone Health Partners Infusion Centers Lithonia, GA Duluth, GA Cumming, GA Conagra - Jackson, TN
Boys and Girls Club - Covington, TN
Bongards - Humbolt, TN
ERMCO - Dyersburg, TN

EMPLOYEE SPOTLIGHT - KEITH C.

Keith C. was born on July 7th in Ooltewah,
Tennessee. He has been married to his wife, Shannon,
for 22 years. Together they have a 17-year-old son,
Kaleb, a goldendoodle, Sadie, and a boxer, Tug. Keith's
hobbies include: weightlifting, physique competing,
scuba diving, target shooting, and napping.

Interesting facts about Keith are he's addicted to peanut butter, he has a private pilot license, and he met his wife at a Jimmy Buffett concert a few days after his 21st birthday. His favorite foods are banana pudding and peanut butter lasagna. Keith likes to travel to tropical spots and St. John USVI. When he is not working, he watches movies and the UT Vols play.

Keith has been working with Rose Construction for a little over a year. He enjoys working with a good company that has strong Christian values & takes great care of their employees. I enjoy working with a team to develop a budget, schedule, overseeing construction, customer relations, and witnessing the project coming to fruition. Customer satisfaction is always the focus & exceeding their expectations. Hearing good reports from the client is a very high compliment. We thank Keith for all his help making our company successful.



It's a baby girl!

On Friday, February 17th, 2023, Clara Marguerite was born to Tyler and Taylor N. She was 8lbs 2oz and 20.5in long. Mom and baby are doing wonderful. Pictured on the right are proud grandparents, Marlene and Steve N., with Penny (5), Dolly (2), and Clara. We congratulate them all on their new bundle of joy.









Middle TN Christmas Dinner On January 26th, the Middle Tennessee office enjoyed their rescheduled annual Christmas Dinner at Stones River Country Club in Murfreesboro, TN. Steve N., Cindy D., and David C. all spoke about 2022 being a successful year and the importance of safety. Donnie B. was the recipient of the Grand Safety Award this year.





SAFETY TRAINING



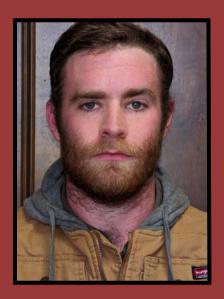
Kenny taught courses required for ISN/Conagra. Courses included:
Bloodborne Pathogens, Fall Protection, First Aid, Lockout Tagout,
PPE, and Hearing Conservation. Attendees: R.J. M., Willie W., Lynn C.,
Travis H., Raymond H., Cleavette B., John C., Lonnie B., Jeff B., Les A.,
James W., Daniel G., Joshua A., and
David W.



WORLD OF CONCRETE CONVENTION

Barry K. and Fidel D. attended the World of Concrete Convention in Las Vegas, Nevada in January.

Congratulations on OSHA 10!



John C. and Joshua A. successfully completed OSHA 10 Hour Construction Outreach training. Completion card indicating the completion of the course will be delivered for distribution to the attendee upon receipt from the OSHA institute.

The following topics, along with others, were covered during this training:

Focus Four Hazards, Fall Protection, P.P.E., Electrical Safety, Ladder Safety, Excavation Safety, Scaffold Safety, Silica Awareness, and Material Handling.





Congratulations!

Congratulations to the following recipient of our Coy & Jeanette Rose Scholarship for the spring semester at Byersburg State Community College. Ashton. granddaughter of Tim B. who is employed with Rose Construction. Inc. Ashton is majoring in General Studies. We wish Ashton the very best in her continued education and future career!

Supervisory Safety Training

Supervisor Safety Training for Project Managers and Superintendents was conducted at our Shop Training Facility on Thursday, February 16th. Sixteen employees were in attendance as Instructor Kenny Burdette, Fortier Loss Control Consultants, Inc., lead our discussion on the following topics:

- Learning from Injuries and Non-Injury Incidents in 2022
 - Safety Priorities and Expectations for 2023
- Newly updated Field Safety Manual for Rose Construction
 - Tennessee Drug Free Supervisory Training

Our goal for Safety is "Zero Incidents" and "Think It, Plan It, Do it!"
We appreciate the attitude, awareness, focus, and contributions of all
employees to make Safety our Top Priority!





Testimonials from Employees

"Why do you like working at Rose Construction?"

Carson M.,
assistant accounts payable, stated,
"Working at Rose Construction allows
me the opportunity to grow personally
and professionally while being
surrounded by great coworkers that
support me."



Joshua H.,
a member of our Flex Crew, stated,
"Working at Rose Construction allows
me the opportunity to learn a variety of
skills, perform work that I enjoy, and the
flexibility to work at multiple client
locations with great team members."



Lenora M.,
an accounting and finance
administrator/project administrator,
stated, "Working at Rose Construction is
like working with family. I enjoy getting
to know all of my coworkers and
forming a personal connection with
them all."



* 2023 YEAR KICK-OFF MEETING *

Our annual Employee Kickoff meetings were held at our Shop Training Facility and Covington Office on January 30th and in our Murfreesboro Office on February 10th.

At our Shop meeting, Steve N. reminded employees about our Vision & Mission statement and presented our focus scripture for 2023: "May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in Him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit." Steve also discussed our business performance for 2022 and our positive project load as we begin the new year. Next, Erik K. talked about our healthy backlog of work, forecast going forward, and the excitement around all the positive synergy between our company and clients. Then John Paul R. re-emphasized the importance of working safely and the progress we have made since our safety refocus meeting last September. Chris Buckner reminded everyone about our revised Dig Safely Policy and Best Practices Checklist. At our Office meeting Cindy D. discussed our Safety Experience Modification Rate (EMR) and other related statistics and the importance of having Zero Incidents for the safety of our employees and capability to work for our Industrial clients. Lastly, David Channell presented a summary of our Rose Family of Benefits, Health & Wellness Incentive Program for 2023, and enhancements to our Vacation & Personal Time policies. Paul R. concluded our meeting with words of appreciation, encouragement, and the importance of Health & Wellness!

Steve N., David C., and David C. covered the topics with our team in Murfreesboro at the Middle TN office on the February 10th meeting.



OUR ROSE FAMILY OF BENEFITS

Personal Benefits

Newly Enhanced Vacation & Personal Leave Time

Paid Holidays – 7 a year

New Year's Day, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Eve, Christmas Day

> Remote work (considered on an individual basis)

401K Plan offered and matched by Rose (see other side for details)

Transportation to jobsites in Company trucks

Health Benefits

Newly created Health & Wellness Incentive Program

Includes 10 categories to encourage employees in their personal health & wellness with a financial incentive

Employee Assistance

Program (EAP) through CONCERN at no cost for employee and family counseling needs

Medical, Prescription

Drug and Dental Insurance options offered for employee and family

(see other side for details)

Basic Life, AD&D, and Long Term Disability Insurance fully paid by Rose (see other side for details)

Section-125 Flex Medical Reimbursement Program offered and matched by Rose (see other side for details) Family Focus At Work & Home

A "family" working environment

"continue the tradition of our company history and family values which encourages each on our team to become all that they can socially, economically, and spiritually."

Acknowledgement of the importance and support of employee's lives outside of work, and their families

Cookouts, lunches, and biscuit breakfasts held on a regular basis and at special meeting events

"The Rose Review" newsletter – published bi-monthly and focused toward key construction projects, events, and spotlighting employees

> Annual Christmas Dinner Event for all employees and spouses/guests

Bonus Perks

Bonus Program – employees are eligible annually at the discretion of management

Employee Referral Benefit for hiring new employees

Paid time off for approved volunteer time in the community

Service Award Program in increments of 5 years of service; recognized at our Christmas Dinner Event

Safety Incentives and annual grand safety awards presented at our Christmas Dinner Event Training & Personal Development

Coy & Jeanette Rose Scholarship program offered for employees and family members Affiliated with Dyersburg State Community College

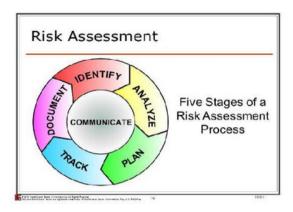
Variety of Training & Development opportunities paid by Rose

Opportunities and encouragement to learn new skills "on the job" through a flexible workforce and cross training

Opportunities to attend and participate in business networking events and social events

Ongoing Safety Training including OSHA-10 & 30-Hour, CPR, and extensive construction safety topics

Job Safety Analysis (JSA) Hazard Identification and Assessment



What is a JSA?

A JSA is an analysis of a specific task that an individual or a group is about to begin. It gives you the opportunity to think about each step involved in completing a task **before** work begins, identifying the potential hazards and the actions or procedures required to eliminate or reduce those hazards.

JSA's are like PPE, they only help you if you understand them and use them.

A JSA involves making a detailed examination of the project or task at hand, getting others (safety experts, experienced personnel, etc.) involved, if necessary, to make sure all potential hazards are identified. Analyzing each step of the task and putting control measures into place to reduce the risks to you, your co-workers, equipment, and property. Its purpose is to promote safety and eliminate the hazards of the job.

JSA's should be documented and tracked throughout each stage of the project or task, modified as needed, and communicated to all personnel involved.

Hazards must be classified and ranked based on severity. They are classified, prioritized and addressed based on the risks associated with the task - risks to people, property, environment, reputation.

Rose Construction's #1 concern is the safety and wellbeing of all its employees. However, when accidents or incidents occur, they not only affect our employees, but they can also affect the property of our clients, our reputation and, as a consequence, our ability to provide work for our employees. It becomes a vicious circle!

Our goal is and always will be ZERO incidents!

Planning safety into each project from the start can save lives, time and money. A little time spent anticipating potential dangers at each level – project, day, and task – can prevent most injuries and accidents.

CONCERN

EMPLOYEE ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

CONCERN is an employee assistance program provided to you as a benefit by Rose Construction at no cost to you. This benefit belongs to you and may also be used by anyone who lives in your home at no additional charge. CONCERN helps individuals deal with life situations that become stressful through the help of licensed clinical social workers or counselors. To make an appointment with CONCERN or for more information please call 901-458-4000, 1-800-445-5011, or visit www.concernonline.org

EMPLOYEE REFERRAL



The purpose of our Applicant Referral Program is to attract and hire highly qualified candidates for employment by encouraging employees to refer qualified friends and acquaintances to apply. The referral bonus is \$200 per the guidelines of the policy.

Open Positions:

Millwright/Industrial Mechanical
Civil Laborer & Operator
Concrete Finisher
Craftsman - Special Projects
Project Superintendent - Middle TN

If you believe in yourself and have dedication and pride - and never quit, you'll be a winner. The price of victory is high but so are the rewards.

Bear Bryant