

POWERLine

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Customer safety is everyone's responsibility

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People working in our manufacturing facilities should be familiar with the Employee Safety Concern Process that empowers them to resolve workplace safety concerns locally.



Everyone should also become familiar with Speak Up For Safety (SUFS), a different but equally critical process to identify product safety issues.

Since the ignition switch crisis in 2014, we have promoted SUFS to report and address issues that could lead to a safety problem for people using our vehicles. SUFS is available when we need to go beyond our regular processes in the plants to address product safety concerns.

We consider product safety to be so important that we are highlighting product safety along with our workplace safety efforts during Global Safety Week from Aug. 28 through Sept. 1. We'll even have a global interactive town hall on Aug. 30 where you will get to ask questions and learn about our vehicle and workplace safety initiatives.

Our efforts won't stop there. In the weeks and months to come, we will share personal stories and information on how SUFS works and our responsibilities in ensuring we assemble and deliver vehicles that keep our customers safe.

It's then our responsibility to identify and report issues that could affect the safety of the people using our vehicles. That is what putting the customers at the center of everything we do means. Thank you for all that you do.

SUFS hotline

Speak Up for Safety is a program that makes it easier for salaried and hourly employees, as well as contract workers, to report potential vehicle or workplace safety issues, or suggest safety-related improvements. The program is designed to increase idea-sharing, but not intended to replace established processes for addressing workplace safety issues in our factories, offices and other facilities.

How to report an issue

- Hotline: 877-866-7776.
- Fax: 888-597-6152
- Email: gmspeakupforsafety@usa.g4s.com
- Web: <https://socrates.gm.com/socratebsites/usa/en/gm/home/company/safety/speak-up-for-safety.html>



UAW-GM LifeSteps Health Screening

Last Chance Screening!

Take care of yourself. Let us help.

This Health Screening includes:

- ✓ Blood Pressure
- ✓ Total Cholesterol
- ✓ HDL Cholesterol
- ✓ LDL Cholesterol
- ✓ Triglycerides
- ✓ Glucose
- ✓ Results Review



11/28-29/2017

Day shift only! Afternoon and Mideights by appointment. Please see your Team Leader or Group Leader to schedule an appointment.



Vehicles equipped with OnStar are in a better position to alert authorities of a crash.

As part of a subscription service, OnStar can provide automatic crash response, unlock the doors, activate flashers and stop fuel flow.

(Not all vehicles may transmit all crash data.)

Did You Know:
Safety features
after a crash



OnStar
Technology
automatic response

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NOW

...until supplies run out

during these times

1st shift: 10 am - 7pm

2nd shift: 3 pm - 6 pm

3rd shift: 6 am - 7 am

SOUP and CHILI COOK OFF



The Soup and Chili is GOOD!

Do you have a favorite; did your mom make the best?

Join us for the 1st Soup and Chili Cook-off

Friday December 1, 2017

1st Shift 9 AM – 1 PM

2nd Shift 6 PM – 9:30 PM

Cost to Taste \$6

Proceeds to Benefit

Men's Health Movember and American Diabetes Association

Four categories to enter

1. The Chili masters
2. The best Broth Based Soup
3. Creamy is Dreamy Soup
4. Best Soup ever, but not a Chili, Broth Based or Cream

Sign up sheets to COOK will be in ALL TEAM CENTERS

Or contact :

Peggy McKnight

Yvette Wesolowski

Lindsey Taylor

Camille Davis

Jodi Lindow

Mary Olivier-Mitchell

Tonia Kirkland

Sponsored by:



Christmas Angel Tree 2017 to benefit Bethany House & Creative Kids Learning & Activity center

Trees are located in the Front Lobby and
the RWD East Entrance

Return wrapped gift, with gift bag & tag
by Dec. 8th to Plant Mgr.'s Office



Questions? Contact:
Camille Davis 567-225-6275
Yvette Wesolowski 586-205-1067
Jodi Lindow 419-467-3260

Suggest to win!
*Has your name been included
on a 2017 suggestion?*

*First Week's Winners (2) will be announced
Monday, Nov. 6th.
Second Week - Monday, Nov. 13th
Final Week - Monday, Nov. 20th
6 Winners Total*



Suggestion Program Winners

First Week's Drawing Results

Name	Dept.
Jeffrey Thomas	8331
Robert Klima	6223

Second Week's Drawing Results

Name	Dept.
Michael Beach	6122
Shalonda Brantley	F432

Third and Final Week's Drawing Results

Name	Dept.
Marvin Walentowski	6060
Tim Ryan	F032

**POPCORNTIME
IS BACK!**



Help Support Breast Cancer Awareness

Cashew Caramel Corn	\$8.00
Peanut Caramel Corn	\$7.00
Tri-Color Corn	\$6.00
Caramel & Cheese Mix	\$5.00 (Sold Out)
Cheese	\$4.00 (Sold Out)
Small Caramel	\$3.00

Locations:

- Administration Building (Shaana Gordon)
- GF6 Assembly & Mezzanine (Camille Davis)
- RWD Quality Offices (Maggi Mitchell)
- Gears Team Centers (Jodi Lindow & Lindsey Taylor)

How to contact us...

Communications Coordinator - UAW: Daniel Macut
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Phone: 419-450-0947

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Deadline for POWERLine is 3:00 p.m. Tuesday.

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