



MAY 2008 WEBSITE REPORT

WINDSOR ALUMINUM

On the Ford side, the North Line 3.0 L is running 3 full shift 6 Days a week for the last 2 weeks. On June 3/08 I was informed by the company that the numbers they need for the 3.0 litre block went up to 6500 a week from 4000 which is a big increase. The North Line can only produce about 4000 blocks on a 5 Day week because of some robot and machine issues. On June 3/08 they shut union awareness training down and started up the south line to produce more 3.0 litre blocks with these people.

The company informed me that the south line would run until shutdown and at that point they would re-evaluate after shut down and union awareness would start up again after shutdown. We informed the company at that time there would be no overtime for cleaning machines on the off shift, they would need to bring more people back to work and also the need for more Spa/Vac people in Cores and T.S.R. On June 5/08 we had a meeting with the company and they informed us that they would bring in 10 more people for the increase in running the south line 4 in core Dept. 4 in Finish. They will be running 2 full shifts instead of 1 1/2 shifts and 2 Spa/Vac to T.S.R. Dept

GM 3.6 Litre

The GM Expansion is still working 5 Days 3 shifts and maintenance on the week ends. We have 2 workers that choose to leave W.A.P and go to work in Oakville. The in plant committee would like to wish them and there family good luck in their new endeavours you will be missed.

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