

## 2023 High Five Program Winners Announced

At the end of 2023, we awarded 5 more raffle winners in the pilot year for the High Five Program here at Quonset Point. The second half winners are Michael Massey (D962), Austin Harley (D904), Jerome McCauley (D912), Richard Clifford (D914), and Dan Vivieros (D962). All of these employees were initially recognized for their exceptional work and continued support in their respective areas- whether it was improving processes to make their line of work more efficient, dedicating extra time to achieve important deadlines, or going above and beyond to help their fellow shipbuilders.



Michael Massey, Austin Harley



Jerome McCauley

The High Five program, which is exclusive to Quonset Point, was developed as a way to recognize the great work that our shipbuilders do on a daily basis and continue to go above and beyond to support Electric Boat's mission of

delivering the most complex machines in the world to our Navy. In 2023, over 500 coins were issued to employees.

This year, we will continue recognizing these employees with High Five Challenge Coins (pictured below) and continue to enter recipients into a raffle for a chance to win a \$2,500 award which will again be split into the first and second halves of the year. Those entered in the first half will stay in the raffle for the second half of the year if their name wasn't drawn.



The 2024 coins will be arriving soon and we encourage all members of management to continue recognizing your employees' hard work throughout the year by submitting the employees name and reason for their nomination to your departments Employee Relations Representative to be entered in to the award database. As a reminder, ALL QP employees are eligible for this program.

We look forward to recognizing more of Electric Boats outstanding employees this year, and for many more to come.

Thank you for all that you do!

Brian Howard

Director of Human Resources - Quonset Point

The QP WIB is produced by EB Communications.

To submit ideas, contact [rmarques@gdeb.com](mailto:rmarques@gdeb.com)

## **2024 EECI Logo Contest Announcement**

Thank you to all the contestants in the 2024 Employee Engagement Continuous Improvement Logo contest. Twenty-seven employees submitted a total of fifty-five designs, and members of Management voted on the entries. The voting is complete and here are the results of the 2024 EECI Logo Design Contest:

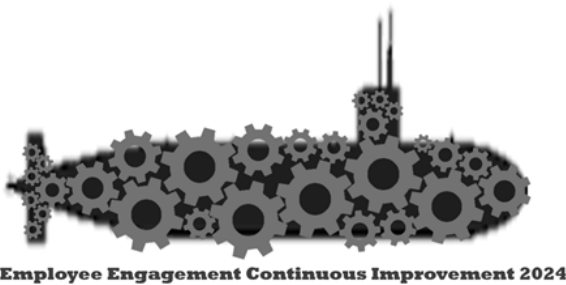
### **First Place**



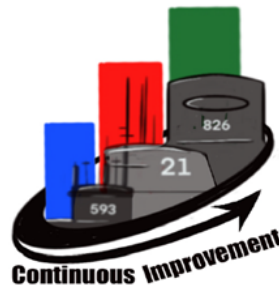
**Carl Johnson D355**

The First Place logo will be featured on 2024 Tee Shirts for Continuous Improvement Presenters and both Logos will be featured on Hard Hat Stickers and in communiques. There was a three way tie for Second Place:

### **Tied for Second Place**



**Christina Pavlick D341**



**Donovan Simms D921**



**Joshua Taul D936**

To our participants, Congratulations on a job well done! We appreciate your efforts and look forward to your continued ideas / suggestions in 2024!

Sincerely,

The EECI Team

Kim Deschamps

Heather Richter

Shannon Sauls

Chris George

John Hasouris

Liam Lynch

Katie Sherman-Forrester

Robert Shaw

Stephen Lamb

Craig Haverly

Bob Barlow

Brenden Cossin

Robert Akeman

# NEW DARTS OVERVIEW PAGE ADDED TO BUILD AUTHORITY AND DECKPLATE RESOURCE SITE



## DARTS MISSION

The Groton and Quonset Point Deckplate Assistance and Real Time Support (DARTS) representatives are a dedicated team deployed to the Groton and Quonset Point Shipyards with the purpose of providing assistance to deckplate employees in your adoption of digital tools.



Our goal is to offer you support with rapid resolution of issues related to shipyard digital tool use, identify problems and solutions to common issues encountered when using digital tools, and facilitate engagement between Deckplate Engineering, Construction Readiness, Planning, and EBIT.

## VISIT OUR NEW DARTS OVERVIEW PAGE

### FEATURING:

- DARTS Team Introductions, including a rotating Team Member Spotlight section
- Answers to Frequently Asked Questions to better understand our role in supporting you
- Link to our DARTS Support Request Form

**We are here to assist!** Call, email, or submit a DSR to connect with us!

Phone: Groton (860) 405-9883 | Quonset Point (401) 268-1386 | Email: [ebdarts@gdeb.com](mailto:ebdarts@gdeb.com)

For non-urgent matters, submit a [DARTS Support Request](#) to request assistance

----- Digital Enterprise COMMUNICATIONS -----



**Aspen**  
Acute Myeloid Leukemia  
Blood & Bone Marrow  
Recipient



**Jude & Janelle**  
Siblings  
Sickle Cell Anemia  
Blood Recipient



**Rowan**  
Neuroblastoma  
Blood & Platelet  
Recipient



**Aria**  
Jaundice at birth  
Blood Recipient -  
Red Cell



**Matthew**  
Sickle Cell Anemia  
Blood Recipient -  
Red Cell

thank you for saving lives like theirs!

## EB Winter 2024 Drive

Your blood drive had **over 400** presenting donors,

Resulting in **436** donations,

**43** of which were 'double red'

and **82** 1<sup>st</sup>- time donors,

Helping to save **over 1,300 lives!**

Next drive: May 14-16, 2024.

## Welding Job Posting

### Robotic Welding Technician

Robotic Welders are skilled welders that will operate a Robotic System to weld and insert missile tubes into the Columbia Class Submarine.

Our new modular construction technique outfits four missile tubes. Once the four-tube section is assembled, this quad pack is completed with a hull section, joined with additional quad packs, and then outfitted as a complete missile compartment with decks, systems and other equipment.

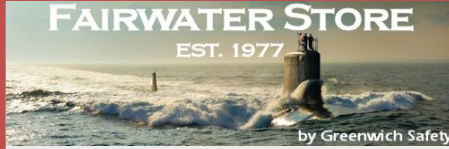
Duties may include Basic Robot Operation to include welding, grinding, scanning & cutting, structural work along with hand and mechanized welding for RT quality.

To learn more about this position please apply thru the internal job posting page or contact Lauren Palana in Staffing at [lpalana2@gdeb.com](mailto:lpalana2@gdeb.com) /401-208-8413.



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- **USS New Jersey Hoodies & Long Sleeve T-Shirts!! Just Arrived!!**
  - **A Great Extra Layer, Carhartt's Duck Vest Insulated For Warmth!! Sold Here!**
  - **Great Gift Idea! EB Sub Line-Up Mug ONLY \$18.00!!**
  - **Shop Our Latest Selection Of Safety Toe Boots For Both Men & Women!!!**
- Hours of Operation**  
7:30 am to 4:00 pm



**QP Weekly Safety Briefing**  
01/28/2024 – 02/03/2024

**200%**  
ACCOUNTABILITY

**CAUTION**

**When hanging a Safety sign or tag be sure that it is appropriate for the hazard**

**GENERAL DYNAMICS**  
Electric Boat

**EBP-02852:** EB has established health and safety as the company's number one priority.

**Week 5**

**CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF THE WORLD'S BEST SHIPBUILDERS**



**ELECTRIC BOAT QUONSET POINT EST. NOVEMBER 23, 1973**

Electric Boat Quonset Point is currently celebrating its 50th year of operations after coming into existence on November 23, 1973 after the Quonset Naval Air Station closed its doors. To recognize this milestone during our facility's golden anniversary, we are planning on different ways to commemorate and highlight 50 years, so be on the lookout for historical facts, photos, and other announcements on EBTVs across the facility, EB Landing, and of course, here in the WIB.

Here's to celebrating 50 years of the world's greatest shipbuilders that continue to deliver the advantage that protects our sailors, our families, and our freedom!

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