



2014 CATERPILLAR HOLIDAY SHOW

The Caterpillar Holiday Show's 76th anniversary was celebrated on Sunday, December 7, at the Peoria Civic Center. For over seven decades, the tradition of bringing Caterpillar families together to celebrate the holiday season has continued. The theatre stage was transformed into a miniature ice skating rink which captivated audience members as they watched a snowglobe come to life.

Daniel Fang, Fuel Systems Remanufacture, commented "Our family had a wonderful time watching the awesome Holiday Ice Spectacular show. Our 3- and 5-year-old were amazed by the figure skating (especially the lovely Teddy bear) and enjoyed singing along to many of the Christmas tunes. Our 8-month-old, too, had a good time with Santa. Thank you for putting on another great family event."

At the end of each show, Santa's elves (Caterpillar employee volunteers) handed a Caterpillar piggy bank stuffed with chocolate coins to little ones as they exited the theater and headed to Santa's room where Santa visited with the children. Holiday music and decorations made for a festive afternoon that carried on a rich Caterpillar tradition.

As with all of the Social Activities events, an extra special thanks goes out to the Caterpillar employee and retiree volunteers that helped ensure the event was a success.



7th Annual Chicago Overnight Bus Trip

Warm coats, gloves, and walking shoes were needed for the 7th Annual Weekend in Chicago Bus

Trip sponsored by Social Activities. Over 150 employees, retirees and their guests enjoyed the overnight trip to Chicago with free time to shop, visit museums, take in a play, or enjoy the sights of the city. Many attendees participated in the Holiday Lights Trolley Tour which took them around the city to view the festive lights and various holiday displays. Three charter buses left Peoria early Saturday, December 13, and returned on Sunday with overnight lodging at the Palmer House Hilton on Monroe Street.

Caterpillar Retirees Club

The Caterpillar Retirees Club ended 2014 with the annual Christmas luncheon on December 3 at Embassy Suites in East Peoria. Henry Vicary, Caterpillar Community Relations Manager, welcomed the Club officers, directors, and past presidents and spoke to them about the various endeavors that Caterpillar is becoming more involved with in the community. Amy Manwaring, Social Activities Representative, thanked them for their efforts in community work and Club organization.



Left to Right: Pat Plumer, Financial Secretary; Dean Costello, President; Mary Remmers, Treasurer; Not pictured - Marlene Corray, Recording Secretary

The installation of new Officers and Directors took place on December 5. Karen Scheffler, Social Activities Team Lead, conducted the ceremony and swore Dean Costello in as president of the Club and presented the traditional gavel to Pat Plumer as outgoing president during the ceremony.

Membership in the Caterpillar Retirees Club is open to all Caterpillar retirees. The Club offers members a wide range of activities including opportunities to volunteer in the community and a few Caterpillar events, hospital visits to fellow members, bus trips, and weekly gatherings at the Club headquarters in the Fondulac Administration Building in East Peoria.

For more information on how to become involved with the Caterpillar Retirees Club, please contact the Club at 699-5412.

Shrek Highlighted the Talents of Many

The Caterpillar Employees Mixed Chorus' fall production of *Shrek the Musical* offered a stage for many newcomers as well as longtime chorus members. The cast and crew numbered over 60 with an age range from 10 to 80...and had just as much fun performing the show as the audience members had viewing it!

The Mixed Chorus hopes to see you in this year's show! Individuals are needed to help with the technical aspects of the show, as well as to act on stage.



THE SHOW MUST GO ON!

The Caterpillar Employees Mixed Chorus will once again take its show on the road, presenting a program of popular musical numbers at local retirement homes. The theme for this year's show is "Hopes and Dreams".

Performances will be at 10-12 local retirement homes starting in March, with rehearsals on Tuesdays and Thursdays starting in February. Specific locations have not yet been determined, so keep your eyes open for flyers, updates on the connections site, and the monthly newsletter...or contact one of the board members! Come and join the fun!

Check out the CEMC Facebook page to keep up on all upcoming activities.
<https://www.facebook.com/CatChorus>

CEMC 2015 Officers

On November 13, the Chorus elected a new board at the general membership meeting. For more information on how to get involved with CEMC, please contact one of the board members. The Chorus is always looking for new participants!

2015 CEMC Board Members

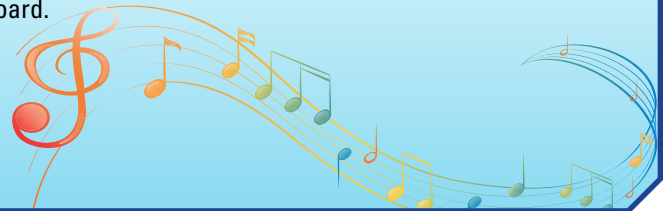
President	Jason Werner	(494.4508)
Vice President	Leyla Abukar	(675.6457)
Secretary	Tawni Ciko	(675.7127)
Treasurer	Julie Schmidt	(578.4314)
Librarian	Teresa Neptun	(266.3021)
Publicity	Jeffrey Allen	(578.6177)

2014 Awards Banquet

After the curtain dropped on the Chorus' production of *Shrek the Musical* last fall, the group gathered on October 25, to recognize two outstanding members at the annual Awards Banquet.

Chip Johnson presented the Roscoe, the Chorus' version of an Oscar, to Dave Wargo. Since joining the Chorus in 2003, Dave has participated both on and off the stage with a willingness to pitch in and help wherever needed. Joe Suau presented a second Roscoe to Adiel Dumitru. Since his first CEMC show in 2009, Adiel has

taken his character above and beyond the script, earning multiple nominations for being the biggest "ham" on stage each year. He truly made each part his own. Adiel has also served 3 years on the CEMC Board.



Save
the
Date!

**CAT FAMILY
FISHING DERBY**
Saturday
June 6

Grown-Up GALA

Friday, April 24

SAVE THE DATE!

CATERPILLAR EMPLOYEES BOWLING TOURNAMENT

9 Pin No Tap Tournament

Saturday, February 7, 2015
Landmark Lanes – Peoria 8:30 a.m.

Tournament Brackets
7 Brackets

Prizes

1st, 2nd, & 3rd place in each bracket

GENERAL INFORMATION:

- **To Register:** 1) Online at <https://socialactivities.cat.com> or 2) Use this form and mail
- **\$15 per bowler** ... includes shoe rental, 4 games, entry fee, shirt and chance at door prizes. **No refunds.**
- Each bowler bowls 4 games with the lowest score thrown out. (Must complete all 4 games to be eligible to win.)
- Winners determined based on scores bowled in this tournament. (League averages will not be used.)
- After all bowlers are finished, brackets will be determined. 1st, 2nd, 3rd place in each bracket will receive non-cash prizes.
- Employees and retirees are eligible. **Due to limited space**, a spouse of an employee or retiree is eligible to participate **only if** the employee or retiree participates...the spouse must bowl with the employee or retiree.
- No other dependents or persons are eligible. No substitutes or changes in registered names.
- Registration: Shirts and lane assignments will be handed out during check-in on event day between 7:45 and 8:30 a.m. In order for the tournament to run smoothly, all bowlers **must check-in by 8:30 a.m.**
- **If you arrive after registration closes (8:30 a.m.), you will not be permitted to bowl.**
- **If mailing entry:** Include a self-addressed, **stamped envelope (REQUIRED)** for confirmation to be sent to your home. No email or phone confirmations will be provided.
- Make check payable to Caterpillar Inc. \$15 per bowler. No cash accepted. One check for multiple bowlers is fine.
- To bowl with friends—maximum of 5: **Each bowler MUST complete a separate entry form**...mail all entry forms & checks together...and note that you want to bowl together. Requests will be accommodated as possible.
- Make sure form is complete (**PeopleSoft #**, signature, **self-addressed stamped envelope**, etc.). Incomplete forms will be returned and will delay processing.
- **All entries must be received by January 23**...no entries accepted after that date. **Space is limited.** • **Badge** is required at Registration (driver's license for retirees and spouses).

Please Complete Form in its Entirety – One Form per Bowler

Bowler Information: (each bowler must complete a separate entry form)

Bowler Name _____		Email (if not at Cat): _____	
Status:	<input type="checkbox"/> Employee <input type="checkbox"/> Retiree <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse	Employee/Retiree PeopleSoft# (required): _____ (Call 800/447-6434 to get your PeopleSoft #)	
If a spouse, list Employee/Retiree Name*: _____		Shirt Size (Check One):	
*In order for a spouse to participate, the employee/retiree must be participating and both must bowl together. Please attach both entry forms together.		Small _____	
		Medium _____	
		Large _____	
		X-Large _____ *2X-Large (+\$2) _____ *3X-Large (+\$3) _____	
		*For 2X and 3X sizes, add additional amount in check.	

In consideration for allowing me to enter this event, which I agree is at my own risk and entirely of my own free will, I hereby for myself and behalf of my heirs, executors, administrators, assigns, waive, release and discharge Caterpillar Inc., their subsidiaries and their employees, promoters, sponsors, managers and operators of the above named event and the providers of facilities used for the event from any responsibility of liability whatsoever for any loss, injury or other damage sustained in any activities during or surrounding the said event, whether or not due to arising from or contributed to by any physical impairment or defect I may have, whether latent or patent, and agree that they are under no obligation to provide a physical examination or other evidence of fitness to participate in such event, which is my sole responsibility.

I also give my permission to use my name and picture in any published report or coverage of the event.

By signing this form, I confirm that I am an employee or retiree of Caterpillar...or a spouse of a Caterpillar employee or retiree that is also participating.

Signature _____ Date: _____

Return form & check by January 23 to: Caterpillar Inc., Bowling, 100 NE Adams St., Peoria, IL 61629-0350 QR 08/0350/CSAS/ Bowling

CATERPILLAR RETIREES



Ronald L. Gruber
CSS
36 years
February 2015



Mike McLees
Global Mining
36 years
February 2015



James Streicher
GSND
36 years
February 2015

SOFTBALL LEAGUE REGISTRATION MEETING

FRIDAY, MARCH 20 4:30 PM

**ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
SL-D CONFERENCE ROOM**

Carmike Cinemas Discount Tickets

Discount tickets are available for movies at any Carmike Cinemas. Tickets are \$7.50 each and can be used either day or evening. No restrictions. No expiration date.



Employee/Retiree Name: _____

Daytime phone#: _____ Peoplesoft #: _____

Check one: ☐ Employee ☐ Retiree

(Check CLUES or call 800/447-6434 to get your #)

Send me _____ tickets @ **\$7.50** each for a total of \$ _____

- Include a self-addressed, stamped envelope – tickets will not be mailed without the stamped envelope
- Checks (*no cash*) payable to Caterpillar Inc.
- Send to: 08/AB0350/Carmike or Caterpillar Inc., Carmike, 100 N. E. Adams, Peoria, IL 61629-0350

Valid for full admission to any standard 2D feature presentation at any Carmike Cinemas theater. No distributor restrictions. No expiration date. (Tickets will show expiration date; however the tickets will NOT expire in Illinois and Iowa.) Tickets may be used towards admission to 3D, IMAX, IMAX 3D and D-Box features (premium charges will apply). Cannot be used for or towards the purchase of special events presentations such as concert movies, live-feed sporting events, opera, etc. Check with box office for specific details.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

January		Basketball league begins	July		Volleyball league registration meeting
February	7	Bowling Tournament	August		Softball league ends
February	20	Bus Trip – Chicago Blackhawks (Chicago)	August	21-22	Around the Green Golf Scramble
March	20	Softball league registration meeting	September		Volleyball league begins
April		Basketball league ends	September	26	Autumn Adventure
April	11	Bus Trip – Chicago Bulls (Chicago)	October		Mixed Chorus fall production
April	24	Grown Up Gala	October		Basketball league registration meeting
May		Softball league begins	October	3	Power Race
May	21	Cat Crew – Chase Corporate Challenge (Chicago)	December		Volleyball league ends
June	6	Family Fishing Derby	December	6	Holiday Show
June	11-20	Alaskan Cruise	December	12-13	Bus Trip – Weekend in Chicago
June	(TBA)	Cat Day/Night with the Peoria Chiefs			
events	FUN	Online Registration			



Check out the Social Activities online registration site to register for upcoming events. Visit the Social Activities website (socialactivities.cat.com), click on the event of interest, and then click on [Online Registration](#) to register.

