

# SPEEDWAY CHAIRMAN'S REPORT #293

DATE: 6/23/04

## SUGGESTION PLAN

Our Quality Network Suggestion Plan Administration are seeking *your* input in an effort to expedite processing of FULLY IMPLEMENTED suggestions to an awarded status. Undoubtedly, many of your submitted ideas are fully implemented and have been benefiting the Company in some form or fashion. As a result, you the *suggestor*, are deserving of an implementation award in accordance with the rules of the Suggestion Plan. However, the Plan Administrators need to be informed of your implemented suggestions so they can **help you** receive an award. Who better to know the status of a suggestion than the *suggestor*?

If your submitted idea(s) has been fully implemented yet you have NOT received an implementation award, please contact our UAW Suggestion Plan Administrators, Bill Richardson (x-2207) or Teresa Taylor (x-7844) and allow them to assist you and your supervisor. The company has benefited...so should you!!!!

## CARDINAL FITNESS (Reminder)

Last week, an announcement was made that Allison Transmission and UAW Local 933 entered into an agreement that provides an excellent opportunity to improve your health. Allison employees, retirees, and their spouses may now join **Cardinal** fitness and begin using any of their 5 (plus 2 new locations coming soon) **quality fitness center facilities**. The up-front fee to join is \$50.00 per year with the balance to be paid by the company. You may sign up at any time throughout the year. Simply enroll at the 7425 W. 10<sup>th</sup> Street (Chapel Hill Shopping Center) facility, sign a liability waiver, provide proof of Allison employment, retirement, or spousal relationship...and start down the road to improved health.

For those who signed up with **Cardinal** prior to June 2004, the up front fee for the first year will be waived. If you paid membership fees (for the entire year) to OUR former Plant 2 Fitness Center after June 2003, contact Tony Harbin (Labor Relations Supervisor) at Ext. 2699 before July 31, 2004. Tony can reconcile your payment and apply any refund towards your first year membership at **Cardinal**.

## CONGRATULATIONS

Region 3, UAW recently announced change of responsibilities for two (2) of their current staff members, both of which are from Local 933. **Mo Davison** (past President of Local 933) is now the UAW Region 3 Assistant Director. **Keith Nearingdner** (past Bargaining Committee Chairman of Local 933) has been appointed International Representative, Region 3 UAW, over several G.M. facilities including Allison/Local 933. On behalf of the entire Membership, I would like to congratulate Brothers' Davison and Nearingdner on their new assignments, and wish them well as they assume these challenging positions within the UAW.

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