



## 2nd Quarter Birthdays

April		May		June	
Willie Haynes	04/08	Bobby Baipho	05/02	Zebedee Johnson	06/01
Mack McCutcheon	04/18	Hugh Baker	05/03	John Frank	06/11
Linda Rouse	04/20	Ashley Graham	05/05	Doyn Hartman	06/18
Eugene Smith	04/20	Bradley Poulas	05/18	Cameron Price	06/22
Henry Williams	04/24	Kathy Marsh	05/28	Jeff Tindall	06/22
Bill Wright	04/27	Charlie White	05/30	Dale Strickland	06/30
Ken Gunter	04/27				

Happy Birthday to You!



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# The Firm Foundation

FBI Construction, Inc.

Inside the Ranks  
April 2009

## Tomlinson's Wholesale

North Myrtle Beach, SC

Project Manager: Bill Bollinger  
Superintendent: Tony Wiley  
Architect: Dennis Ward - FW Architects  
Project Start Date: June 2008



The Tomlinsons Wholesale building was a 27,950 sq. ft. project. We started off fighting the weather, including a small hurricane, but things finally dried out, and we were able to finish on time! The representatives that the superintendent, Tony Wiley, worked with the most were the store manager, Tony Hallmon, and the president of Tomlinson Stores, Gene Barber. Tony stated that "these men were great to work with."

As with any job you have some minor scheduling conflicts, but with the help of some great subcontractors everything came together. The subcontractor's that really excelled were: Buddy Rabon Plumbing, Crawford Fire Protection, TriCity Insulation, and TriCounty Mechanical. With everyone's help and outstanding teamwork the Tomlinson Wholesale Building was a major success!



July 15, 2008



October 4, 2008

## Current Projects

J. Reuben Long Detention Center  
Conway, SC



Lee County Middle School  
Bishopville, SC

North Strand Recreation Center  
Little River, SC



## Current Projects

**City of Conway Public Works Complex**  
Conway, SC

**Claire Chapin Epps YMCA**  
Myrtle Beach, SC

**Dilmar Oil**  
Columbia, SC

**Georgetown YMCA**  
Georgetown, SC

**HopeHealth**  
Florence, SC

**Irix Pharmaceutical Addition**  
Florence, SC

**Irix Pharmaceutical Warehouse**  
Florence, SC

**J. Rueben Long Detention Center**  
Conway, SC

**Johnsonville Library**  
Johnsonville, SC

**Johnsonville Streetscape**  
Johnsonville, SC

**Lee County Middle School**  
Bishopville, SC

**New Zion AME Church**  
Bishopville, SC

**North Strand Recreation Center**  
Little River, SC

**Olanta Library**  
Olanta, SC

**South Florence Baptist Church**  
Florence, SC

**Timmonsville Library**  
Timmonsville, SC

**Wal-Mart Renovations**  
Pageland, SC



## FBI 2nd Quarter Employee Spotlight

*Lead Man*

*Bill Bruielly*

Bill Bruielly has been with FBI Construction for going on four years. He and his three-year-old son, Zane, live in Myrtle Beach. Away from work, he enjoys spending time with his son fishing and racing remote control trucks!

Bill spent five years in the Army before entering into the construction field full-time. He has training in the masonry trade, and he uses these skills very often on FBI's projects, particularly in correcting cosmetic blemishes in block walls. He is quite proficient in layout, and he understands the flow of a project very well. Project manager, Ashton Estridge, calls Bill "a self starter with much attention to detail."

Bill has worked on Ocean Bays Elementary School, Grand Strand Water and Sewer Office Building, Green

Sea Floyd's High School, Waccamaw Intermediate School, and is currently working on the Claire Chapin Epps Family YMCA project located in Myrtle Beach.

Bill does an outstanding job pulling double-duty with two full-time jobs. He is a full-time single parent and is always sharing stories of the many things that he and his son get into together. He is also a full-time lead man who arrives at work early each day and is willing to do what it takes to get the job finished the right way.

FBI Construction would like to thank Bill Bruielly for his outstanding work ethic and dedication to our company.

## Inside the Ranks

by Kent Gunter



**LEED AP** The Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) green building rating system was established in 1998 by the U.S. Green Building Council to provide various standards towards environmental sustainable construction. The USGBC is the nation's leading nonprofit working to transform the building industry to sustainable practices. This system was designed to measure how well a building performs across the most important metrics which include: sustainable site development, energy efficiency, water conservation, materials and resources, innovation, and indoor environmental quality.

LEED is a voluntary certification program and can be applied to any building type and any building lifecycle phase. Focusing on sustainable sites, water efficiency, energy and atmosphere, materials and resources, innovation and design, indoor environmental quality, and awareness and education help promote a whole-building approach. Each of these areas are rated and are classified by levels. LEED has four levels of certification: Certified, Silver, Gold, and Platinum. Within each of these categories, prerequisites are given and must be achieved to ensure that every project contains the essential elements of a green building. Additional credits towards certification can also be accumulated by employing specific green strategies and achieving certain levels of building performances. Certification is based on a 100 point scale, and points are weighted by their potential to mitigate the negative and promote positive environmental impacts of a building.

Companies are also given the opportunity to become more advanced in the knowledge of the LEED's system. LEED Accredited Professionals are those who are building industry professionals who have demonstrated a thorough understanding of green building and "LEED Green Building Rating System". The LEED AP credential indicates that the professional has the knowledge and skills to facilitate the LEED certification process. This accreditation is a voluntary designation achieved by individuals who have passed the LEED Professional Accreditation exam. The Green Building Certification Institute recommends that LEED AP candidates have building industry knowledge, as well as experience working with green building professionals from multiple disciplines.

Having a LEED Accredited Professional allows companies to strengthen their green building qualifications, market green building knowledge to potential employers and clients, help LEED registered projects gain one point toward certification, and to earn recognition with the nations predominate green building professional credential. Together, the LEED Accredited Professional and clients can work together to increase their LEED level of certification.

At this time Kent Gunter is FBI Construction's in-house LEED AP. Fellow FBI employees, Ashton Estridge and Kyle Gunter, are both currently pursuing the LEED AP designation.



### In your prayers

Please continue to remember Mr. LaRue Floyd and his family in your prayers. LaRue's son recently passed away.

### New Baby Arrivals



Tony Wiley is the proud grandfather of Zachary Thomas Gray! Zachary was born on February 14, 2009 and weighed 8lbs 4oz.



### Praise Reports

Michael Doyle would like everyone to know that he has been saved and baptized! He is now a member of Mt. Trolley Free Will Baptist Church. God is good ALL the time, and ALL the time God is good!

### Motivation Corner

**"Individual commitment to a group effort that is what makes a team work, a company work, a society work, a civilization work."**

- Vince Lombardi

**"Our talents are the gift that God gives to us... What we make of our talents is our gift back to God."**

- Leo Buscaglia

**"Use what talents you possess; The woods would be very silent if no birds sang there except those that sang best."**

- Henry Van Dyke