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energy drinks (me especially, but veteran Minions already know this) to help keep up with the constant demand. Fortunately, your Cap'n still hasn't had to pass a kidney stone with "M&M" on it as predicted from last year, "Motrin" and "Monster" respectively. That being said, I believe a few purchasers may have developed the initial symptoms of carpal tunnel syndrome from writing so many purchase orders this year to keep up with the high demand. If you trip across them in your travels, don't shake their hand too hard, you might break it.

With all that we've been bombarded with, and most of us being all beat to Hell, we somehow managed to acquire MANY new employees in all departments.



Minions, most contractors cringe at the idea that they're getting "the new person". I would guess that you had a new/new-ish salesperson help you at some point and didn't even realize it. Our new acquisitions and internal "up and comers" have been sensational, and a blessing! It's safe to say that they've been so good that I don't think a veteran salesperson that you've known forever here at CPC will wind up losing his marbles, climb up to the top of the building on the main yard buck naked slapping his bald

head while yodeling the jingle from those Ricola cough drop commercials or that rock climber game on the Price is Right.

That could've been a scary visual...I don't look good nak... Oh yeah... PG... So expect to see more of them in 2016, and don't be afraid of the "new guys". They are FANTASTIC, they have experience, they have knowledge, and most importantly, be sure to keep the consequences in mind! ...RIIIICOLAAAAA!!!!

There is also an addition worth noting that we started this year. It's the introduction of... insert drum roll here... THE NAUGHTY FILE! It's probably not what you think it is... or is it? With the wonders of all the new technology that surrounds us nowadays, most everyone here has a smart phone with a high definition camera built into it.

Cap'n! What does this mean??

It's been used primarily to take photos of questionable loads with material standing up, laying sideways, a tree strapped to the top of a suburban (true story, Minions), trees wedged into the back of smart cars (not a true story, but a good example), and/or ESPECIALLY large loads of material leaving the nursery without a tarp on it, whether it's only one tree that's sticking out 15' behind the truck or a load full of arborvitae standing straight up.

There was a vehicle that left here with six japanese maples standing straight up in a pickup about a month ago, I had to go continued...



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