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WELCOME BACK

Welcome to our Seventh Edition of "On the Mark" Newsletter. We're half way through the year now with lots happening in our Statewide family. As always we will endeavor to report to our valued clients, projects that we are currently involved with, as well as provide relevant information pertaining to our employees, Statewide Survey Sponsorships, Statewide Survey contact details and SSG website. So find yourself a comfy chair, grab a cuppa and catch up with all the exciting happenings. You could also win a \$100 BWS Voucher, how to enter and competition details are listed further in this edition.

SSG DIRECTOR'S REPORT

The time has come again for me to put pen to paper and offer my words of wisdom. Our last newsletter was shortly after the summer of natural disasters which was everyone's focus at the time as was mine. This time around do I write about how quiet many of our clients are and general feeling that this seems to be the worst many have seen in our industry? Do I mention how out of touch our governments seem to be? We all know that there has to be something done about pollution but do they have to kick us while were down? Surely we could have waited a year or two for people to get back on their feet.

No this time around my mind is drawn to something much more serious - life itself. Around 3 months ago Statewide's longest serving and most respected surveyor, Perry Warrell, was feeling a bit ordinary. Perry developed pins and needles in his toes which slowly headed north up his legs. Within a day or two Perry's condition worsened and he was admitted to hospital with little or no feeling from the waist down. Fortunately (if that is the word) he was diagnosed quickly with a condition known as Guillain-Barre- Syndrome. Ever since Perry has been on a physical and emotional roller coaster lying on a bed in hospital unable to move. During this time I doubt whether he would be worrying about carbon taxes and work being slow. Times like this he is concentrating on survival and family. It seems as though Perry has seen the worst and is now slowly recovering to the point that he has been moved to a rehab unit though he is still flat out holding a glass of water.

During a recent visit it became apparent that Perry hasn't lost his sense of humor even when strapped to a swinging board so he could have 5 minutes in a vertical position (he liked to be called Hannibal Lecter). The other positive according to Perry is that the situation has brought his family closer together and proved that his three teenage boys can step up to the mark and make him proud.

We have all missed Perry at Statewide and look forward to his return hopefully later this year. As the saying goes no matter how bad things get there is someone else out there worse off. Enjoy your health and family now because it's only temporary.

On a lighter note I would like to personally congratulate Lindsay Bennett on completing his chosen course and taking another step up the ladder known as his career. Belinda and I are proud of Lindsay as the first of our students to fully complete his course while at Statewide. Lindsay is now looking at registering with the Surveyors Board of Queensland as an Associate Surveyor and continuing his learning, knowledge and skills. Looks like we have a couple of more students not to far off completing as well. It is great to see our young guys progressing. Finally as part of continuing to provide our clients superior service we have some exciting things happening around Statewide over the next few months so stay tuned for more info as it occurs. Until next time

Walter Nannes—Director

W. Nannes



Just for a Laugh!



Q: What did the therapist
say to the
surveyor?
A: You need to
set some
boundaries.

Got any good Surveying jokes, we'd love to hear them send them into admin@statewidesurvey.com.au and receive a FREE Statewide Survey pen



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STATEWIDE SURVEY GROUP : SOME CURRENT PROJECTS

Bartley Burns Planners

- 59 Barron Rd, Birkdale - Subdivision

Cornerstone Building Development

- Riverside Church, Northlakes - Building Setout
- 59 Seaville Ave, Scarborough - Subdivision

C.W.Civil Pty Ltd & Hutchinson Builders

- 5 Bruce St, Red Bank Plains - Ident, Servicing & Units Setout
- 57 Seacam St, Mansfield - Civil setout

Department of Education & Training

- Wavell Heights State School - Contour/Detail Survey

Devonbourne Homes

- 13 Bream Rd, Redland Bay - Subdivision

Fardoulys Construction

- 47 Tryon St, Mt Gravatt - Building Setout/Level Data

GD Building Solutions

- 106-110 Beatty Rd, Archerfield - Building Setout

Heisig Constructions

- 32 Fabian Rd, Cornubia - Contour/Detail Survey

Hutchinson Builders

- Sunnymeade Nursing Home - Easements & Setout
- 24 Sixth Ave, Coorparoo - Setout & Datum
- 127 Charlotte St, Brisbane - Monitor/Highrise Survey
- Rocklea Hotel, Rocklea - Height Datum & Grids
- 168 Riding Rd, Balmoral - Ident Survey/Units Setout
- 358 Kingston Rd, Slacks Creek - Setout & Height Datum
- Mater Child Care, South Brisbane - Ident Survey/Setout
- North Park Residential Development, Stafford - Setout
- 21 Lambert High Rise, Kangaroo Point - High Rise Construct Survey
- Mater Child Care, South Brisbane - Ident Survey/Setout
- 37 Gowrie St, Annerley - Ident Survey/Setout
- Capalaba Units- 54-59 Mt Cotton Rd - Setout/Site Datum

Redline Contracting

- Bribie Island - Pipeline Setout

Ryans Development Pty Ltd

- 28 Lutana St, Safford - Building Format Plan—Units

Steel Structures Aust

- 21 Lambert St, Kangaroo Point (Point Hotel) - Steel Location

The Interfit Group

- 39 Esplanade, Yeronga - Ident Survey/Setout of house



North Park Residential Development
Aerial photo of Stage 1 complete



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Mr Andrew Hayes
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Dear Mr Hayes

Thank you for your email to the former Lord Mayor Campbell Newman of 28 February 2011 providing comparative data to assist Council with future planning after the recent flood disaster.

Council will review its response to the flood event to learn what we did well and what could have been done better. The Flood Response Review Board has been established and is led by former Queensland Governor Major General (ret'd) Peter Arison AC CVO. I have been told the Review Board will consider the information and data collection that you have provided.

I also look forward to hearing the outcome of the Queensland Government's Floods Commission of Inquiry into the flood event. Both the Commission of Inquiry and Council's Flood Response Review Board have the full support of my administration.

Thank you again for taking the time to write to me with this information.

Yours sincerely

Graham Quirk
ACTING LORD MAYOR
Ref: LM07683-2011

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2011 Wilson Moreton Bay and Offshore Family Fishing Competition

This years Wilson Moreton Bay & Offshore Family Fishing Challenge held during the Queens Birthday Long Weekend saw over \$100,000-00 worth of Cash and Prizes won! There was various Fish category prizes and Lucky Draws during the weekend for all competitors including separate prizes for Ladies and Juniors. A tagged Fish prize of \$50,000-00 also was available to any competitor who catches the elusive tagged fish.

If you wish to become involved in this big event by way of fishing entries or maybe your company has a band of fishermen and want to enter a corporate team or help from the sidelines with sponsorship for the 2012 Challenge please call as we would be more than happy to hear from you. It is a family fun weekend loaded with entertainment, rides, prizes and most of all happy faces.

For more enquiries and information contact
Wal 0408 756 717.

Spot the 5 differences and Win a \$100 gift voucher



Email your answer to
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Entries close: August 30th 2011

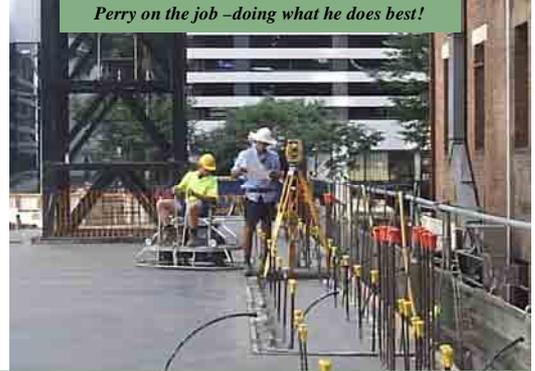
Voucher is given to the first lucky person randomly drawn with the correct answer.

Perry celebrated 10 years with Statewide Survey Group last year!



Perry with partner Max at SSG Race Day Social - Oct 2010

Perry on the job -doing what he does best!



Some of you may know that our wonderful Perry Warrell has been in hospital for over 3 months. On many occasions Perry was to suffer from complications from this syndrome and it's been a long trip so far. Perry as always is an absolute champion, with all the problems that come with this debilitating syndrome he has kept his sense of humour and a strong and determined attitude. We are all aware that Perry has along way to go but he can & will do it! I'm sure of it! Anyone that has ever had any dealing with Perry will know what a wonderful man, friend and father he is. If you have only a moment a phone call, a card or even a visit would be a wonderful gift to our Perry. To Maxine, Aaron, Brandon and Cameron, you are a tribute to Perry you have all been wonderful through this trying time. Keep positive and keep well. Please call the office for updated information of how to contact Perry.

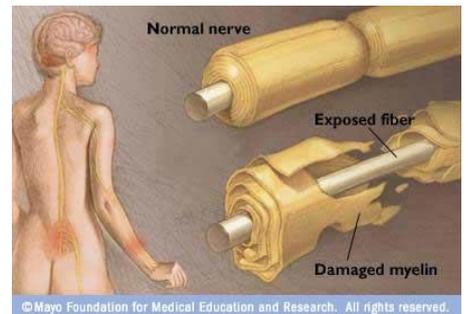
GULLAIN-BARRE SYNDROME

DEFINITION

Guillain-Barre syndrome is a serious disorder that occurs when the body's defence (immune) system mistakenly attacks part of the nervous system. This leads to nerve inflammation that causes muscle weakness.

SYMPTOMS

Symptoms of Guillain-Barre can get worse very quickly. It may take only a few hours to reach the most severe symptoms, but weakness that increases over several days is also common. Muscle weakness or the loss of muscle function (paralysis) affects both sides of the body. In most cases, the muscle weakness starts in the legs and then spreads to the arms. This is called ascending paralysis. Patients may notice tingling, foot or hand pain, and clumsiness. If the inflammation affects the nerves to the diaphragm and chest and there is weakness in those muscles, the person may need breathing assistance.



TREATMENT

There is no cure for Guillain-Barre syndrome. However, many treatments are available to help reduce symptoms, treat complications, and speed up recovery. When symptoms are severe, the patient will need to go to the hospital for treatment, which may include artificial breathing support.

In the early stages of the illness, treatments that remove or block the proteins that attack the nerve cells, called antibodies, may reduce the severity and duration of Guillain-Barre symptoms.

EXPECTATIONS (PROGNOSIS)

Recovery can take weeks, months, or years. Most people survive and recover completely. According to the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke, about 30% of patients still have some weakness after 3 years. Mild weakness may persist for some people.

Support Groups

Guillain-Barre Syndrome Foundation International - www.gbs-cidp.org

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