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## And they're off...

One of the greatest advantages of living in L.A. (Louisville area) is enjoying all the excitement during this time of year. Here is wishing everyone a great Derby time whether you make a trip to the track, enjoy a backyard barbeque or spend time working in your yard!! Continue to stay focused while at work, I'm so very proud of your safety performance year-to-date. I'd like to think being proactive and aware and taking care of ourselves has a lot to do with our safety record. Keep up the good work and have a great Derby!

-Debbie Conway



### Healthcare Reform

The passing of the latest healthcare reform will bring many future changes for everyone. We at Ops Plus are currently working with our benefits managers in understanding how these changes will impact everyone. We will keep you updated as we learn of these changes.

### Special Discount

Great Wolf Lodge is offering 20% off their best available rates and 10% off spa services for the Month of May. Just enter OP-SP402A as the corporate code on their website for pricing. [www.greatwolf.com](http://www.greatwolf.com)



## Derby Events...

- April 15-26: \$1 Million Hole in 1 contest
- April 22-30: Chow Wagon, Waterfront Park
- April 24th: Marathon & Mini-Marathon
- April 26th: The Great Bed Races
- April 27th: Parade Preview Party
- April 27th: Run for the Rose'
- April 27th: Ramble for the Roses
- April 28th: Great Steamboat Race
- April 29th: Pegasus Parade
- May 1st: The Kentucky Oaks
- May 2nd: The Kentucky Derby

### 'Party for the Planet'



E.ON contractors, you are invited to "Party for the Planet" at the Louisville Zoo anytime between April 12 to May 12. As part of E.ON's sponsorship, all contractors and up to 3 guests receive free admission to the zoo. Simply show your valid ID card at the admission gate. You may visit as many times as you like during April 12-May 12.

Also, don't forget...all employees can get discounted tickets for the Louisville Zoo at any time by accessing our perks page on the employee website.

### Ops Plus, Inc. Vision Statement

To become the regional leader in utility design, high voltage diagnostics & support services.

444 Incident Free Days





# Health & Safety

## TORNADO/WINDSTORM SAFETY

When you're in a tornado's path, you don't have much time to find shelter. When prepared ahead of time, you can increase your chances of protecting yourself and property.

Follow these precautions when you're facing tornado season:

### Disaster Kit

Pack a first aid kit, a battery-powered radio, flashlight, extra batteries, canned and other non-perishable food, hand-operated can opener, bottles water, sturdy shoes and work gloves, extra car keys and written instructions on how to turn off your home's utilities.

### Get out of a car or mobile home immediately

Do not try to outrun a tornado in your car – leave it immediately. Hurry to the basement of a nearby sturdy building, or lie flat in a ditch or low-lying area.

### Watch out for fallen power lines after the storm

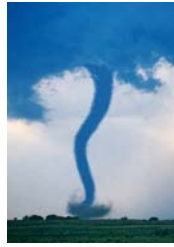
Do not, under any circumstance, drive over a downed electrical line.

### Leave your car behind, if necessary

Heavy rains often come after tornadoes. Do not travel down a road submerged in water, underlying currents could carry your car away. Another problem could be a collapsed roadway. If your vehicle stalls in water, immediately abandon it, floodwaters can rise several feet in a matter of minutes.



Submitted by: Theresa Miller



## Stress Resiliency Tips

# LAUGH!!!



Knock Knock  
Who's there !  
Figs !  
Figs who ?  
Figs the doorbell,  
it's broken !



What do you call a fish with no eyes? Answer: A fsh



# May is Healthy Vision Month



## Safety Contest Winner

The Safety Contest Winner for March is **Wayne**



**Cambron.** Wayne observed a dangerous condition in the field and took immediate action to get the condition corrected. He found the front panel of a multi-service center missing exposing energized conductors.

Way to go Wayne!

## Welcome Back

Ops Plus would like to welcome

**Andrea Nix** back to our family. Andrea was a Design Technician for Ops Plus previously and she has returned to that position on a part-time basis. Andrea will be working at the East Service Center. We are happy to have her back with us.



## May Birthdays

- Jack Kastensmidt .....May 6
- Tim Vanderhoof .....May 7
- Paul Lee.....May 9
- Mary Anne Givens .....May 11
- Mark Estes.....May 18
- Mike Ammon .....May 28
- Allen Fulford .....May 29

# HAPPY



# BIRTHDAY