Cutter Lighting - Innovation



Joplin, MO

Old Cutter Roof



Issues

- Creates a Dark Environment
 - Bumps, Scrapes, Cuts Potential
 - 35 Near Misses Reported
- Panels are Heavy Strains/Sprains
 - Overall When employees are performing tasks with heavy objects and inside dark equipment – SAFETY becomes compromised.

Employee Engaged Team:





Curt Avicola – Team Leader

Members – John Lunceford, Kevin Gilmore, TJ Turner, Daniel Carlin, Brandon Stidham

DEC (Daily Equipment Care) Team Project Goal

- Reduce RISK Factor by 50%
- Replace Top Covers with Lighter Material
- Purchase Better Lights Inside Machine
- Benefits:
 - Less weight than OEM covers
 - More visibility inside machines
 - Allows Operators to see better
 - Reduces Risk No Injuries!

Hazard Recognition Analysis:

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		Facility / Plant : Joplin Fold	ing				Team	Members:			Date:	
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1	Pulling Parts off Machine	Strain/Sprain	2	2	5	20		3Improve Lighting	1	2	2	
2	Lifting Guards	Strain/Sprain/Cuts	3	2	5	30		2Use Fiberglass Roof Decking	1	2	1	
3	Using Hand Tools	Striking Against	2	5	5	50		1Add Lexan to roof	1	2	1	
4	Using Power Tools	Striking Against	2	5	5	50		1Add Lexan to roof	1	2	1	
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					Highest	50						
					Reduced to	4						
					Risk Reduction %	92%						

Stripper Section - Before

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Turning Wrenches

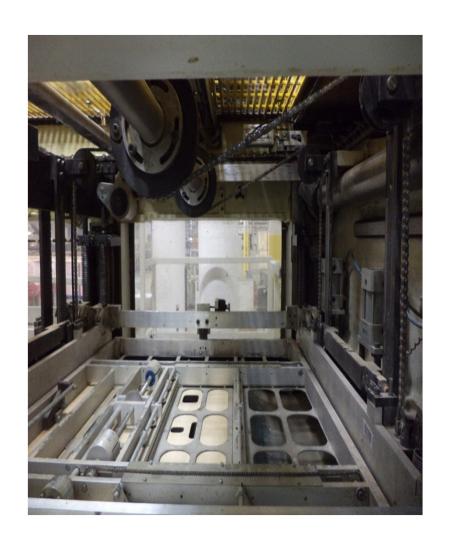
ALL IN THE DARK!!



Stripper Section - After

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Work in General

"WOW, I CAN SEE!!



Blanker Section - Before

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Work in General

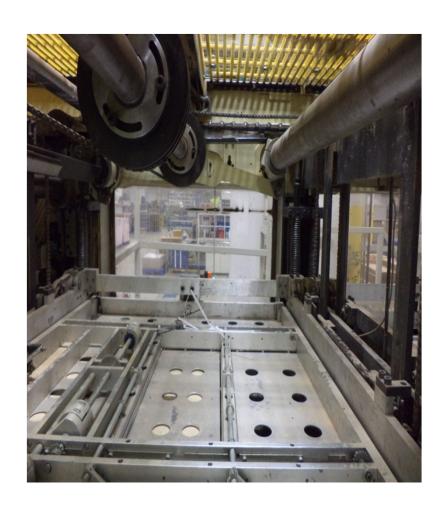
Darkness is Evil!



Blanker Section - After

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Work in General

Light is Good!



Scrap Delivery Section - Before

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Work in General

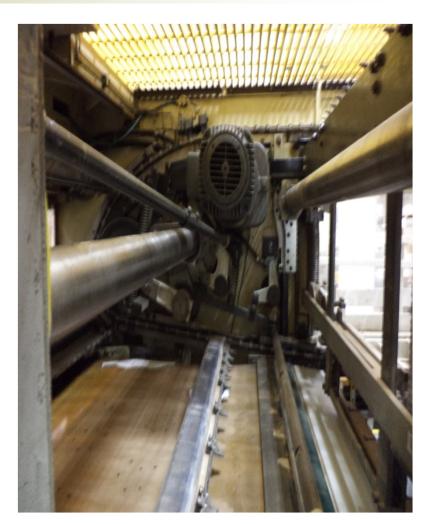
This area wasn't as bad, but still dark.



Scrap Delivery Section - After

- Reaching
- Pulling
- Pinching/Gripping
- Work in General

SO MUCH BETTER...and SAFER!!



Innovative & Creative:





Material Used

- 4 sheets of 300 lb./sq.ft. Fiberglass
 Grating 3'x6'x1" Model # 6228T42
 cost \$50.60 per ft. McMaster Carr
- 3 sheets Lexan 4'x8'x/1/8" \$ 90.00 per sheet
- Existing Plant Lights over Cutters –
 No lights purchased inside machine!

HRA Summary:

Safety Hazard Reduction Analysis Project

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OPPORTUNITY (RISK):

35 Near Misses reported between January 1, 2014 and January 30, 2015. Employees can't see very good inside the Bobst Cutters due to LOTO also shutting down lighting inside the machine. Too many close calls with scrapes, bruises, etc.

RISK REDUCTION RESULT:								
Risk Before Project	50							
Risk After Project	4							

PATH FORWARD / CONTROLS

1 Complete 1238 Cutter, then leverage to 1236 and 1237 within 2 weeks.

2 Check new roofing material during weekly PM's.

3 Leverage to all other facilities and machines with similar roofing.

Risk Reduction: 92%

Innovation Results:

Near Misses = 35

Initial Risk Score = 50

After Risk Score = 4

RISK REDUCTION OF 92%

AVERAGE COST OF MATERIAL = \$1,210

AVERAGE COST OF STITCHES = \$500

35 NM/Close Calls x \$500 = \$17,500

OVERALL COST TO BUILD = \$3,630

COST AVOIDANCE = \$13,870

Innovation Summary:





Achieved by: **ENGAGED EMPLOYEES!!**