



Sudbury Mine, Mill & Smelter Worker's Union, Local 598/Unifor



Dear Sisters and Brothers of Lafarge,

I would like to take this opportunity to let everyone know what has been happening at our site and around the Local this year.

It was a pretty decent Production season this year compared to other years with our Production up around the 3 million tonne mark and when shipping season comes to an end which should be somewhere around the 3rd week of December, we should be over the 3 million which is a good year for sales compared to the past.

Our Maintenance departments are already on their 4 day winter works rotation and once shipping is done, the other employee's working the winter will follow suit.

As of right now, the Company has said that they are only keeping on about 20 union employees for the winter and this includes the stripping employee's.

The Bargaining team will be putting together your contract proposal the first week of January and once everything is done, I will be calling a membership meeting for members to vote on it. As of right now, it looks like we'll be sitting down with the company sometime in February 2017.

I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of myself and my family to wish everyone at Lafarge Holcim and all my Brothers and Sisters of Local 598/Unifor a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In Solidarity,

Kevin Bailey

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Unit Chair

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Christmas

