

resulting in reduced part movement during CNC machining.

C110 copper Ready-to-Ship blanks are available in common thickness from 0.25" to 1.00" and are guaranteed flat +/- .002". Precision saw or waterjet cut dimensional sizes are available up to 24" x 24", +.125"-0" of specified length and width. Each blank is deburred, cleaned, and individually packaged to avoid damage during shipping.

"We are seeing a growing number of customers looking for pre-machined materials. At OnlineMetals.com, we specialize in cut-to-size, small-to-medium-quantity orders shipped directly to any location. Pre-machined C110 copper blanks provide that extra processing value that lets customers order materials that arrive ready to go directly from receiving to machining. Customers can use the time they previously spent in setup and prep for more productive use of CNC machining centers," said Matt Holzhauser, Marketplace Manager at OnlineMetals.com

Founded in 1956, TCI Precision Metals is a family-owned manufacturer producing precision Machine-Ready Blanks from aluminum, stainless steel, and other alloys. The company also provides Sawing, Grinding, Milling, and Finishing operations on customer-supplied materials.

OnlineMetals.com is the world's leading eCommerce metal and plastics supplier, specializing in cut-to-size, small to medium quantity orders shipped directly to any location. Online Metals was a garage start-up founded in Seattle in 1998. The company has grown over the years and expanded to six facilities across the U.S., offering over 55,000 products.

## 3D Plastics – Employee of the Year

By Stephen Hannemann



L to R 3DVP Elliott Dundas, Makayla Gould, 3D President Kelly Dundas

Selection of an outstanding and inspirational employee is a long-standing tradition at 3D Plastics in Newberg, Oregon. 3D's annual "Most Inspirational Employee of The Year" award is by no means a popularity contest. It is a thoughtful consideration of their coworkers' on the job performance, versatility, and positive interaction with peers. The nominees are selected and voted for by their peers only. Once again, the balloting was extremely close. This speaks volumes about the 3D culture and the character of their employees.

3D Plastics was proud to introduce Makayla Gould as their Most Inspirational Employee of the Year for 2023 at their annual Christmas party last December. In talking with her supervisors and coworkers, the honor is well deserved!

President Kelly Dundas observed about Makayla, "She has been here for eight years, and she does it all. Makayla has been an operator, training to be a setup tech, filled in as a shift lead, performed maintenance when needed, staging, materials handling, and I know there's more. She is always eager to jump in and help out whenever an opportunity arises. She is well liked, and we feel lucky to have her."Wow! Lucky indeed.

Speaking with Makayla, she is unassuming, and always enjoys helping whenever and wherever she can. "I like that 3D lets me try new things and supports me in the positions that I have held and now hold. I like the people I work with." Makayla is a true student of the injection molding industry. She enjoys the company and going to work every day and there is much potential for Makayla at 3D. Congratulations, Makayla, for your well-deserved honor!

3D Plastics is a custom injection molder in Newberg, Oregon. Not only are they committed to their employees, but also to the success of their customers. 3D offers personalized customer service, superior quality, and complete project management. 3D manufactures parts and assemblies for dental, medical, electrical, and consumer goods. **Be sure to check out our ad on page 16**

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## T. J. Snow Announces 2024 Resistance Welding Training Dates

CHATTANOOGA, TN. ---- T. J. Snow is pleased to announce the return of their popular regional Resistance Welding Seminars in 2024. T.J. Snow's regional seminars have been hosted throughout the United States for over twenty years and are always received with praise from attendees. These interactive and informative seminars are taught by T. J. Snow's own AWS Certified Resistance Welding Technicians (CRWT) who all possess years of experience as professional resistance welding technicians and seminar instructors.

Seminar attendees will become familiar with the various types of resistance welding, pneumatic systems, weld control operation, basic welder set up, electrode selection, maintenance, operator safety and more. Our instructors will engage attendees in discussions and Q&A's during the eight-hour training.

2024 Resistance Welding Seminar Dates:

- April 24 – Lansing, MI
- June 5-6 – Bowling Green, KY
- August 14 – Cedar Rapids, IA

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