THE JOURNEYMAN ROOFER & WATERPROOFER COMMUNITY OUTREACH STORIES AND EVENTS FROM ROOFING LOCALS THROUGHOUT THE NATION

Wright Roofing roofed the cottage at Browns Point Lighthouse, which has been restored to its original 1903 style but with modern amenities.

Tacoma Volunteers Roof 100-Year-Old Office Building

By today's standards, the "office building" renovated by volunteers Brian Carpenter and Misael Robles would be considered something closer to a children's playhouse. The tiny structure, which sits on seven-acre Browns Point Lighthouse Park on Puget Sound, looks like it could barely contain an old oak desk.

The volunteers, who are members of Local 153 in Tacoma, WA, performed the work as part of a large-scale renovation done by Wright Roofing in the park area surrounding the historic lighthouse. Also included in the renovation was the Lighthouse Cottage, which has a view of Puget Sound and is available as a vacation rental to the public. Brother Carpenter and Brother Robles were responsible for replacing the roof on what was originally a real estate office built over 100 years ago. Wright Roofing provided the materials, which included wood shingles, to help restore the building to its original design. The building is listed on the National Registry of Historic Places.

Thank you to Brother Carpenter and Brother Robles for doing their part in giving back to the community—and for reviving a small piece of our past that can now be shared by families and history buffs everywhere.



Local 153 members Brian Carpenter and Misael Robles work atop the tiny historic office building at Browns Point Lighthouse.



Wright Roofing provided materials while Local 153 roofers provided labor to restore the structure.

Local 210 Apprentices Assist Benedictine Sisters

Apprentices of Local 210, Erie, PA, joined forces to replace roofs on two buildings for the Benedictine Sisters of Erie as a charity project. Thanks to McCreary Roofing, who donated the truck and equipment, and B & L Wholesale & Supply for helping out on the material. Instructors Scott

Johnson and Steve Argeny, along with the entire crew of apprentices, should also be commended for a job done well and for the greater good.



Roofers Local 210, Erie, PA, apprentices line up in front of the roof they replaced for the Benedictine Sisters of Erie.

Cleveland Rehab Center Receives Makeover

fficers, trainers and apprentices from Roofers Local 44, Cleveland, OH, recently wrapped up a charity project in the suburb of Brook Park, OH. Volunteers turned out to replace the roof at Jean Marie House, a women's rehab center.



From left, standing: International Vice President Mike Vasey, 3rd year apprentice Richard Gibbs, E-Board member Jose Rodriguez, Business Representative Chuck Lavelle and 3rd year apprentice Tim Watkins. Kneeling from left: Foreman and Local 44 Vice President Chris Milliron and 3rd year apprentice Dario Henriquez. Photo by project supervisor Dan Craig.

One Day to Feed the World

Sixty employees of Local 162, Las Vegas, NV, contractor Commercial Roofers, Inc., recently donated a day of their wages and gifted more than \$14,000 to Convoy of Hope to help feed the impoverished around the world.

When company President Scott Howard proposed the Convoy of Hope's "One Day to Feed the World" campaign to his employees, he had no idea how they would respond. "In my wildest dreams I never expected that 60 of our employees would participate in the campaign," he said.

The "One Day to Feed the World" campaign helps Convoy of Hope feed tens of thousands of children, respond to disasters, reach into communities with help and hope, and resource like-minded organizations. "Many people are surprised when they find out just how much one day of their wages can make a difference in someone else's life," says Hal Donaldson, president of Convoy of Hope. "When people give like this it really fuels our passion to help those most in need around the world."



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