

A Family Fun Day to Remember

Celebrating our people—and a special GM Supplier of the Year recognition



General Motors representatives joined the GTP team to present the 2025 GM Supplier of the Year award.

Family Fun Day brought our team, families and valued customers together for an afternoon of connection, celebration and GTP pride. This year's event was especially meaningful as representatives from General Motors joined us to formally present Grand Traverse Plastics with the 2025 GM Supplier of the Year award—a recognition earned through the skill, dedication and teamwork of our employees.

A proud moment for the entire GTP team

Jason Miller and Tim Eves joined Bill Knable, CEO, Joe Robinson, Director of Sales/Program Management, and Sam Tomlinson, Director of Engineering, to accept the award on behalf of Grand Traverse Plastics. Receiving this recognition during a company celebration made the moment especially powerful: the employees whose craftsmanship, problem-solving and commitment made the achievement possible were able to share it with their families, teammates and visiting customers.

The GM Supplier of the Year honor reflects the consistency our employees bring to quality, service, launch support and partnership every day. We are sincerely grateful to General Motors' Purchasing Leaders Leandro Ferrante and Aaron Miller for taking time out of their weekend to join us in person and help us celebrate this milestone where it belongs—with the people behind the work.

"This award belongs to our employees. Their dedication, pride and attention to detail are what make Grand Traverse Plastics a trusted partner. We are also incredibly thankful to our customers for taking time out of their weekend to celebrate with us—your partnership means a great deal to our entire team."

— Bill Knable, CEO, Grand Traverse Plastics

Fun, prizes and plenty of memories



James Dellies and his children met mascot Monty, though young Bailey needed a little more convincing.



GTP's Andy Caperton, Joe Robinson and Bill Knable caught up with GM's Leandro Ferrante and Aaron Miller following the awards presentation.

The day offered something for everyone, from time at the ballpark and visits with Monty to games, food, photos and prize drawings. We were excited to welcome a fantastic turnout and appreciate everyone who spent part of their weekend celebrating with us. Congratulations to our prize winners: Devin Michels, Michela Martinson, Rachelle Bailey, Colin O'Brien, Darryl Ingram and Devenna Nidowitz.

Thank you. To the Traverse City Pit Spitters team for a fun night of baseball and to the staff at Turtle Creek Stadium for taking such great care of us. Thank you to all the employees who make GTP strong, the families who support them, the customers who joined us, the team members who coordinated the event, and Katelyn Holmes for capturing the day in photos—thank you for making Family Fun Day such a memorable success. Most of all, congratulations to the entire GTP team on this outstanding recognition.



Zach Juett and Julie Schlecker got a hand from some special helpers while randomly selecting prize winners.



These lucky winners were all smiles after the prize selections. Congratulations to each of them!

Local craftsmanship does have a global impact.