

# U.S. Department of Labor

## Mine Safety and Health Administration



MSHA's Small Mine Office—Serving the small mines in America

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# Week 43

Location: \_\_\_\_\_ Supervisor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Duration: \_\_\_\_\_

### 1) Hand Safety

- Stay alert to where you place your hands.
- Most pinch points can destroy your hands
- Use work gloves. Select the proper safety glove for the job. Your spouse will appreciate it.
- Keep welding gloves dry and free from grease and oil
- Using improper hand tools or the proper hand tool the wrong way can result in hand injuries

### 2) Safety Lines

- People have died from injuries sustained from “short” falls (i.e. falling from mobile equipment)
- When entering a confined space you must always have another person attending your line
- Can you fly? If not, wear a safety line when working from unguarded platforms, decks, scaffolds, etc.

### 3) Mobile Equipment

- Each operator is responsible for the safe operation of his/her vehicle
- Never park a vehicle in a high traffic or congested work area
- Check your backup alarm throughout the shift
- Always perform pre-operational checks
- Report all problems to the mechanic or supervisor
- DO NOT OPERATE UNSAFE EQUIPMENT**

Attendees:

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Employees Comments: