

A Monthly Newsletter For Friends and Clients of Quinton Insurance

## MEET YOUR TEAM



**Jeanne Palmer**

Personal Lines Account Manager

**Favorite food:** Seafood Alfredo

**Favorite movies:** Dances with Wolves & You've Got Mail

**Dream vacation:** 6 month stay in Aruba with my husband Albert

**Favorite pastime:** Watching movies with my daughter Amanda and playing with my grandbabies Addison, Rian & Dylan

**How I got into insurance:**

I got into insurance back in 2002 after I left a long career at the Batavia YMCA as an office manager. Looking for a change in careers I thought this would be a great way to try something a little different. I'm going on my 19th year, and I've met some wonderful people that I've kept as friends for a very long time and I've never looked back.

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# 2020 DOG DAYS OF SUMMER...



**COOPER** - Gordon



**CHARLIE** - Nate



**ZEUS & REX** - Meagan



**LUNA** - Angela C.



**CASH** - AIMEE



**EARL** - Taylor



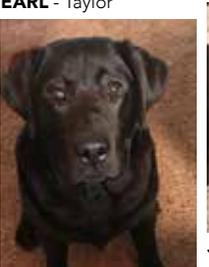
**SALLY** - Jeanne



**TEDDY BEAR & SHERMAN** - Michele



**REGGIE** - Lynn



**SCOUT** - Sandy



**JAX** - Melissa



**HANK** - Matt



**COOPER** - Chris



**COCO** - Gene



**MILO** - Nina

For those of us that have been forced to work from home during the coronavirus pandemic, there are so many inconveniences: social isolation, lack of access to free office coffee, difficulty making meetings work remotely. But it's also introduced plenty of positives: judgment-free fashion choices, cutting the commute down to the distance between bed and desk and for most of us at Quinton Insurance - lots more quality time with our dogs.

This month, we thought you might like to meet a few of the newest members to the Quinton Insurance team!!!



## GUESS THE CELEBRITY? AND WIN A \$10 GIFT CARD

Send your best guess to  
service@quintoninsurance.com

Every correct answer will be entered into a draw, and we'll select one winner.

### CLIFFORD LEMKIN

It was... **Sandra Bullock**

No purchase necessary. Contest open to everyone.



## SUMMER HEAT

Summer heat can be more than uncomfortable—it can be a threat to your health, especially for older adults and children. Whatever your age, don't let the summer heat get the best of you.

There are two types of heat illness to keep an eye out for this summer:

- **Heat exhaustion**—Heat exhaustion occurs when a person cannot sweat enough to cool the body, usually the result of not drinking enough fluids during hot weather. A person suffering from heat exhaustion must move to a cool place and drink plenty of water.
- **Heatstroke**—Heatstroke is the result of untreated heat exhaustion and is a serious medical emergency that must be treated quickly by a professional.

To prevent heat illness this summer, make sure to drink plenty of water, wear lightweight and light-colored clothing and eat light, refreshing foods. Try to stay inside as much as possible, doing chores early or late in the day. By keeping these tips in mind, you're on your way to beating the heat.

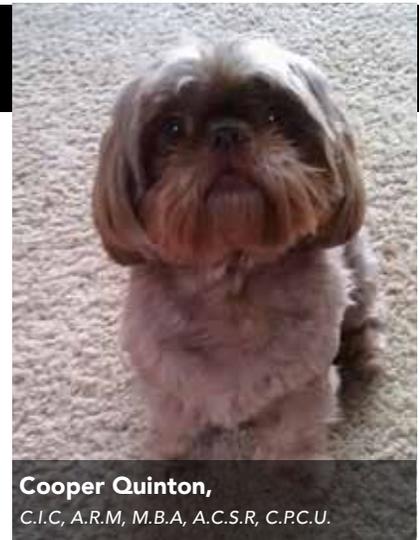
## COOPER'S CORNER

# THE BASICS OF PROPERTY INSURANCE

Your livelihood is dependent on the survival of your business, so it is imperative that you protect it against any potential threat—big or small. For instance, a fire could destroy your business' warehouse and the contents inside, or a burst frozen pipe could damage important documents and valuable papers. Worse, you could have trouble paying your employees during a loss because your funds are devoted to repairing damage.

If self-insuring is not an option to combat these risks of loss, it is wise to obtain property insurance. This coverage comes in many forms to suit your specific needs. Before purchasing coverage, take a complete inventory of all your business property to determine how much you need to insure. This important step ensures you will have adequate coverage to continue your business in the event of a covered loss.

**Quinton Insurance understands that determining your business's value is critical, so we're here to help. Contact us today at 800-454-1970 to learn more about our property insurance and loss control solutions to protect your business.**



**Cooper Quinton,**  
C.I.C, A.R.M, M.B.A, A.C.S.R, C.P.C.U.

## Types of Property You May Need to Insure

- Buildings and other structures (leased or owned)
- Furniture, equipment and supplies
- Inventory
- Money and securities
- Records of accounts receivable
- Leasehold improvements and betterments you made to the rented premise
- Machinery/boiler
- Electronic data processing equipment
- Valued documents, books and papers
- Mobile property (construction equipment, etc.)
- Property in transit
- Cargo
- Satellite dishes
- Signs, fences and other outdoor property not directly attached to the building
- Intangible property (goodwill, trademarks, etc.)
- Business contingency for suppliers
- Ordinary payroll
- Extra expenses as a result of loss

## DID YOU KNOW?



There will be more elderly people than children in the US by 2035? That will be the first time people over age 65 outnumber those under 18.

U.S. Census Bureau's 2017 National Population Projections.



Men can read smaller print than women.

Women can hear better..we knew that! funfactz.com

35% of the people who use personal ads for dating are already married. Pew Research Center's 2013 survey

# CLIENT REFERRAL PROGRAM

## SAVE

your friends & family up to **37%** on their home, auto or business insurance

# WIN TODAY



iPAD



BIG SCREEN TV



DASH CAM



WINNER: **GREG STAR**



WINNER: **MARLENE BANJOKO**



WINNER: **BRAD QUATAERT**

**EACH TIME** you refer a friend or family member to Quinton Insurance, you will receive a **FREE GIFT...** and, we'll enter your name into our **MONTHLY** drawing to win an iPad, a Big Screen TV or a Vehicle Dash Cam...*Your choice!*

We'll give one prize away **EVERY MONTH**, and there is no limit to the number of entries. Refer 10 friends to us and **YOU** get 10 chances to win! You will also get a **FREE Gift** just for your referral.



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## MENTAL STRESS DURING THESE UNCERTAIN TIMES



The COVID-19 pandemic has disrupted daily life and caused stress and anxiety for many, even as we enter our new normal. If left unchecked, these feelings can have negative effects on your mental well-being. Try these tips to keep stress and anxiety under control:

- Stay informed, but don't obsess—It can be easy to become overwhelmed by watching the news and reviewing the updates of the COVID-19 situation.
- Focus on what you can control—and NOT the actions of others. Instead, focus on staying home when possible, washing your hands, wearing a mask and practicing social distancing.
- Connect with friends and family—use technology to safely talk with friends or family.
- Talk to a professional—If your stress or anxiety is overwhelming.

## Before You Go

Are YOU heading out on a car trip this Summer? Here are 2 tips to get you there and back safely...

### Before you go...Get Your Car Serviced!

Regular maintenance such as tune-ups, oil changes, battery checks, and tire rotations go a long way toward preventing breakdowns. If your vehicle has been serviced according to the manufacturer's recommendations, it should be in good condition to travel.

### Plan Your Travel and Route

Before heading out, make sure to check the weather, road conditions, and traffic, and allow plenty of time to get to your destination safely. And always familiarize yourself with directions before you go, even if you use a GPS system. Carry a printed map just in case you lose connection on your GPS or cell phone. Let others know your route and an anticipated arrival time.

**Don't forget to check your auto and travel insurance...Call us today.**



## MOBILE DEVICE SECURITY

Because of all they can offer, smartphones and tablet devices are essential to many professions' daily operations. However, as use rises, it will become more and more important to ensure that security for these mobile devices is able to adequately protect you from new and existing threats.

The need for proper phone security is no different than the need for a well-protected computer network. Gone are the days when the most sensitive information on an employee's phone is contact names and numbers. Now a smartphone could grant access to any number of applications, emails and stored passwords. Depending on how your organization uses such devices, unauthorized access to the information on a smartphone or tablet could be just as damaging as a data breach involving a more traditional computer system.

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