

The Monthly Newsletter from the Berard Team



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**Job Specs** 

Weight: 4200 Tons

**Dimensions:** 

190'W x 420'L x 190'H

**Equipment Used:** 

196 lines of SPMTs, loading ramps, high volume water pumps.

This colossal behemoth was no match for the Berard Team which was commissioned to load the 4200 ton offshore jacket out for offshore delivery and installation. A staggering 196 axle lines of self propelled modular transporters were used to transport the jacket from the fabrication yard onto the deck barge where it was placed into final position and fastened for water transport to its final destination. The Berard Team worked closely with the client to ensure this job was done safely and in a timely manner meaning this jacket can get to work for its owners.



## Launching The **Trenton**



**Job Specs** 

Weight: 2157 Tons

Dimensions:

330'L x 94'W x 105'H

## **Equipment Used:**

100 lines of spmts, 6 ppus, loading ramps, high volume water pumps and winches for barge securement

The Berard Team is proud to once again take part in the launching of Austal's latest vessel. The team loaded out the 2,157 joint high speed vessel, (JHSV) named the Trenton, in Mobile, Alabama. The team transported the JHSV from the client's final assembly bay to a deck barge. Once secured on the barge, it traveled down river to be trans-loaded onto the Alabama, an 800' floating drydock. As usual, the trans-load went smoothly thanks to all. There was no lack of hard work and dedication to getting the job done safely.









**Specs** 

Weight: 6lbs, 3oz Dimensions: 20"L Date: Oct 29th Time: 9:27am The Berard Team added another member to the team and family. Meet Miss Easton Sloane Berard, born on October 29th at 9:27am to proud parents Brett & Morgan Berard. Miss Easton is adored by new grandparents Randy and Robin Berard who we know will undoubtedly be spoiling her. Welcome to the family Miss Easton!





It was another year at the World Championship Gumbo Cookoff for the Berard Team! The 25th annual event was held in downtown New Iberia, Louisiana and was attended by thousands looking for a taste of that good gumbo. There were hundreds of teams from across America. The Berard Team is happy to once again place as a finalist. A good time was had by all who attended and we would like to thank all of our dedicated team members who helped cook as well as prepared and set up for this year's event.

The weekend following the Gumbo Cookoff brought more cooking for the team at the Loreauville Tailgate Cookoff. The team did an excellent job and took first place in the wild-game division with a delicious deer backstrap stuffed pepper wrapped in bacon. The Tailgate Cookoff benefits the St. Joseph Church renovation fund and is a great community event with several teams participating in several categories. Once again thanks to all the team members who worked hard to not only help out but bring home the big win!

> Spotlight On Safety



Welcome JUSTIN Thibodeaux

Meet Justin Thibodeaux, Berard's Director of Safety. Justin joined the team in September 2014 and brings eight years of industry experience in the areas of occupational safety and health management. He began his career as a Nationally Registered EMT-Paramedic and then decided to apply those skills in the world of safety.

Throughout his years as a safety professional, he's enjoyed gaining the regulatory knowledge and leadership skills to help teach and coach employees on understanding the potential hazards associated with their job tasks. Justin has witnessed different types of business operations and has been thoroughly impressed with Berard's attitude towards safety.

"My goal here at Berard is to build on the success they have already created and to continue bringing safety awareness to all employees throughout our company. I believe that no business objective is so important that it should be pursued at the sacrifice of safety" says Justin.



> Birthdays @ Berard

## Happy Birthday! From The Berard Team

Berard sends our best Happy Birthday wishes to these dedicated Team Members this month:

- > B.J. Buchanan
- Harley Mitchell