

## Employee of the Month – October 2010



The winner for **October** “Employee of the Month” is David Trout, *nominated by Bill Davis. David works in Building Care.*

Dave has always been an exceptional leader and team player. When a co-worker experienced a family emergency, Dave was called upon to double his responsibilities for an extended period of time. Being the team player that he is, Dave stepped up to the plate and, for 5 weeks, Dave has been performing the duties of Custodial Manager in two Building Care custodial complexes. He has done an exceptional job of making sure the custodial maintenance operations of his own complex of buildings at the ST Olin time clock have continued to run smoothly while also overseeing the operations of the Sibley time clock while his co-worker was on leave.

In addition to overseeing two complexes simultaneously, Dave has also done an exceptional job of overseeing the initial cleanups at the new Physical Sciences Building as it has been coming on line.

Dave consistently models the organization’s core values.

Whether dealing with his employees or our customer base, Dave always incorporates our core values of truth, respect and integrity in all his interactions. He consistently strives for excellence. It’s hard to find a stronger team player than Dave. Dave is well respected by his peers and fellow Building Care Custodial Managers. They often reach out to him when they need assistance. Dave is extremely dedicated to Cornell University and its mission and he has gone above and beyond the call of duty.