

**Upcoming Events:**

**December 2009: Plant Tour  
Consolidated Precision Products**

**January 2010: Awards Night**

**February 2010: Behind the Mask  
Minneapolis Community and  
Technical College**

**March 2010: Technical Seminar**

**April 2010: Weld Procedure Seminar**

**May 2010: Family Day**

**June 14, 2010: Golf Outing  
Sundance Golf  
Dayton, Mn**

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***Plant tour***

***Olympic Steel***

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The Minneapolis operation is a major distributor and processor of plate and sheet products in the upper midwest. The subsidiary operates two facilities, one specializing in coil and sheet products, the other devoted to plate distribution and plate parts fabrication. Continuing investment in people, equipment and systems assures our customers that their needs are foremost in our plans. Both facilities recently achieved ISO certification as an additional indication of our commitment to the highest quality standards.

***Please visit our website for  
updates to coming events  
[www.awsnorthwest.org](http://www.awsnorthwest.org)***

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Northwest Section  
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Richfield, MN 55423

# **Plant tour**

## **Olympic Steel**

### **Processing Equipment:**

#### Slitters:

Loopco 48"  
Pro/ECO 72"

#### Shotblaster:

Wheel-A-Brator - 6 wheel horizontal Plate Shotblaster 10'x45'

#### Levelers:

Red Bud Stretcher Leveler  
3/8" x 72"  
Rowe .075" x 60" wide  
Bradbury 1/4" x 60" wide  
Red Bud SL .075" - .375"  
x 48" - 75" wide

#### Shears:

1/2" x 12'  
Wysong  
3/16" x 10'  
Wysong  
Edge Roll 1/4  
x 6"

#### Burn Tables:

1 - Trumpf L4003 Laser  
1 - Trumpf 4030 Laser with Liftmaster  
load/unload system  
1 - Trumpf 4050  
2 - Trumpf 4030 Lasers with Stopa/Liftmaster  
Flexible Manufacturing System  
2 - ESAB 12 Torch Oxyfuel cutting system  
3 - ESAB Avenger 2 Plasmas  
ESAB Avenger, 2 station Oxyfuel bevel cutting  
system

### **Products:**

- Hot Rolled and P&O Carbon Coil
- Hot Rolled and P&O Carbon Sheet
- Hot Rolled and P&O Carbon Strip Mill Plate
- Hot Rolled Carbon Plate
- Cold Rolled Sheet
- Stainless Steel

**Wednesday November 11, 2009**

**4:00 Register**

**4:30 Tour**

**First 30 to sign up**

**Dinner to be on your own at a location to be determined**

**Please state if you will join us for dinner as I will need to make reservations**

**Call in your reservation by 11/6/08 to: 651-287-3267**

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