

Tom has been with Osprey for over 36 years and has been welding professionally even longer! He is a huge asset to our team and is a leader at Osprey. Below Tom shares some of his background and experiences.

Alarm setting? 3:45 AM

What is your home screen image? Wife & I posing with Hairy Dawg at Jekyll Island

News or music for the ride in? **Traffic News**

Hometown? From Columbus, OH

Favorite subject in school? Biology

First Job? Pumping gas at the Alert Station

Did you always want to weld? No

The one tool you would never give up? Needle nose pliers

How long have you been with Osprey? 36 yrs

What has changed most since you started with Osprey? Better work environment in the shop

I wish I would learned to do this? Culinary skills

How long have you been married? 34 yrs

Best tip you could give a young couple starting out. **Be kind**

When I drink beer, I drink.

IQ IPA from Akademia Brewing in Athens, GA

Most people don't know this about me.

My childhood home is a few miles from Osprey. I grew up in this area.

Best part of being a dad? Enjoying grandkids

The place you want to go that you have never been. Alaska

A movie everyone should watch. Tombstone

The last book you read? Salty Piece of Land by Jimmy Buffet

This dated technology I still use. Turn Tables







How did you learn to weld?

2 years trade school at Dekalb Tech in Clarkston, GA

Were you good from the start? Yes

Pro tip to someone starting out in welding. Pay attention to details

Favorite tool? Tape measure



How much time do you spend on social media? 0

Favorite holiday? 4th of July



I wish I had more time to do this. Sleep

I plan to do this when I retire. Spend more time at the beach.

Why did stay with Osprey for so long? Good people and the culture.