

# Superior Glove named Best Managed

Being named one of Canada's 50 Best Managed Companies was a joint effort shared by all 150 employees of Superior Glove Works in Acton and Newfoundland, according to company officials who celebrated receiving the prestigious national award on Tuesday with plaque presentations, pizza and cake.

At the Acton plant, Vice-President Joe Genc, who runs the plant with his father Frank and brother, President Tony Genc, said the award tells

them they are "heading in the right directions."

He said it had taken a lot of hard work and dedication to earn the award and it belongs to all employees. "This success is kind of the sum of all the moving parts - from great quality products from our Newfoundland plant, to our receiving department, to our shipping department, to R and D, quality control, marketing team and our sales team across North America - you're all part of this and we really appreciate it," Genc said

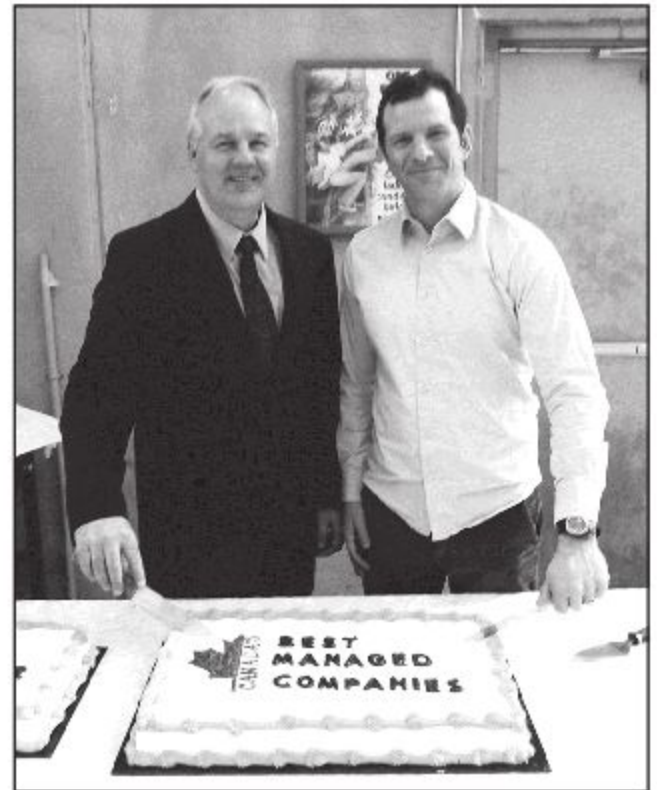
before playing a video touting the company's successes in work glove manufacturing.

In 1961, Frank Genc, a tanner, and a partner bought the Acton Glove Company and built it into an industry-leading business with sales of at least \$10-million annually - one of the criteria considered for the Canada's Best Managed Companies award. Frank Genc remembers the days when a mallet was used to shape leather work gloves - today's technology involves fibres and 3,500 styles of gloves, many of them cut-resistant.

Presenting plaques on behalf of Wellington-Halton Hills MP Michael Chong, and the Town,

Halton Hills Mayor Rick Bonnette said they should all be very proud to accept the prestigious award. "It's a business not just based on family, but also based on community and you're apart of the community," Bonnette said, thanking Superior for being generous corporate sponsor, with the help of its dedicated staff.

When asked about on-going success of the family-owned company the Genc's point to research and innovation, a sound business approach and a willingness to expand manufacturing locations and sales markets, which now include North America and parts of Europe.



## Show stopper plays Acton

Globe Productions is back at the Acton Town Hall this week and next with another great Broadway show, called *Show Stoppers*. *Show Stoppers* is a compilation of 32 songs from 32 different Broadway productions - the best of the best. There will be lots of recognizable songs from shows like *Mamma Mia*, *Rent*, *Chicago*, *West Side Story*, *Jesus Christ Superstar* and *Wicked* along with a taste of the

best songs from newer Broadway hits like *Spring Awakening*, *Book of Mormon* and *Legally Blonde*.

Globe is excited to put on another show in the intimate and gorgeous Acton Town Hall Centre theatre. The feeling of being in such an important, historic part of Acton, where audiences are so close to the stage and feel part of the action, is really fun for performers and audiences alike.

A talented cast of 21 sea-

soned Globe performers are directed by Acton's own Jenn Johnson, a teacher at Robert Little and a long-time Globe performer. Choreographer, Jen Marshall has been a Globe performer since age 12, and makes the music come alive with energetic dance moves. Jen recently choreographed Globe's youth show, *Annie* and instructs at Globe's Youth Workshop Series. Music Director John Pugh is back at Globe after huge success with Globe shows *JC Superstar* and *Joseph*. He has assembled a great

band, so prepare to rock out.

*Show Stoppers* runs March 1, 2, 7, 8, 9 at 8 p.m., with matinees on March 3, 9 at 2 p.m. All tickets are \$20 and can be purchased from cast members, at Home Hardware in Acton or at the John Elliott Theatre Box Office (online at haltonhills.ca/theatre or call 905-877-3700). Producer Lois Fraser says "We hope that everyone in Acton will come to see this exciting show. It's quality entertainment right in your own backyard."

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