

# "Put Your Best Face Forward"

October 2018



**DARLING HARDWARE, located at 156 N. Main Street in uptown Perry, has been deemed the "Put Your Best Face Forward" winner for October.**

**As winner, co-owner Victor Darling, accepted the traveling trophy (second from right) from Mayor Pro-tem Tom Chaput (left).**

**The trophy will be displayed in the historic business for the next month. Chaput and Darling were joined in the presentation by long-time employee Richard Spickenreither (second from left) and Alex Fuhrman.**

**Other employees that are always ready to assist customers, include Mary Jackson, Madeline Carrick and Connor Kent.**

**Chaput commended Darling for maintaining a business that always looks nice and provides a great service for the community.**

**He also thanked Darling for sponsoring the monthly "Perry Pride" award presented to residents (May thru October) that show pride of ownership in their property.**

**Darling Hardware was founded in 1935, and is now owned/operated by fourth generation family member Victor Darling.**

**The monthly "Put Your Best Face Forward" award recipient is selected by a council member based on overall appearance, clean sidewalks and windows, window presentation, flower displays (weeded/watered) and absence of trash.**