



Employee Spotlight

Penny Knight



“Penny is an excellent and fast learning employee. She has done the Marr Companies a great service with her dedication and hard work, helping anybody who would ask.”

Danny Young,
Computer Manager

Penny Knight started with the Marr Companies in 1989 as an Administrative Assistant for Dave Hughes and Rick DeAmelio. Her responsibilities included a variety of clerical duties in and outside the office, such as obtaining vehicle titles and registrations from the various towns and government agencies where Marr worked. Penny also provided data entry for the Power Division, recording all service repair, parts and labor activity.

In 1991, Penny was promoted to the position of IBM System 36 Operator within Marr’s IT Department working with Dan Young. Previous IBM experience at Cummings clothing store was an important asset and Penny competently handled any tasks with dexterity and humor. Together, Penny and Dan Young kept Marr’s IT functions running smoothly and have been for over 20 years, working hard to keep pace with an evolving computer industry.

Big-hearted and giving, Penny is always the first to volunteer or help someone out. You’ll find her at the Christmas Party hanging decorations and you’ll see her on campus lugging a computer to MC&R.

She enjoys bringing people together and has organized employee socials over the years. Anyone remember “Party at the Abbey”? Often up for an adventure, Penny and Dan Young once led a group of employees up Mt. Monadnock and Mt. Lafayette; perhaps that is where the inspiration for “reaching new heights” came from?

Not only does Penny have the recipe for solving our IT-related problems, she is a genius in the kitchen. An incredible baker and cook, Penny has served up homemade turkey sandwiches, various breads and outrageously decadent cakes and cookies. She has won the Annual Bakers Award and she’s sure to claim the title once again in the future.

Penny’s generosity extends to all; she refuses no one. A loving mother, grandmother and friend, Penny Knight is a special employee: upbeat, reliable, skillful and honest.