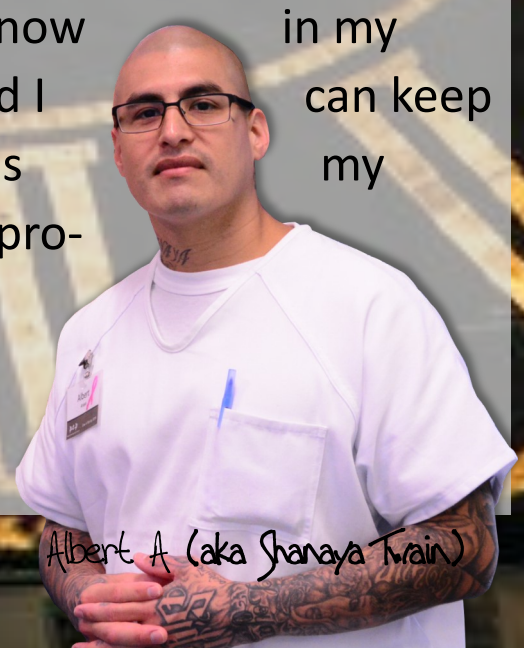


# Entrepreneur of the Month

When I began my carpentry shop in 2009, I had no idea what I was doing. So I started to read books on “How to be a carpenter” and “How to use carpenter tools”. After going through trails, and a lot of errors, I got pretty good. I can’t even tell you when I transformed, but I remember what a friend of mine told me one day: “Wow man, you’re really good. How did you get so good?” And I realized that I did know a lot and that all of my hard work had paid off. When I see a picture, it transforms in my mind and I can create it into a 3D design. So it gave me an idea—I can make clocks. That’s when I started “On Time Design” without even realizing that I had a bright productive future ahead of me.

I never knew PEP existed until one day I received a postcard in the mail and I knew right then that God had a plan and a purpose for my life. Being part of PEP, has helped me overcome my fear of failure. I now make unique custom designer clocks professionally. It’s more than just a clock; it’s a work of art. I can actually say that I have been very successful and I was able to give back to society by donating to children’s cancer research. I can make a difference and I know in my heart that God has blessed me with this skill and I can keep my blessing others. I have no doubt that with PEP as my backbone, and God in my heart, that I will be a productive member of society upon my release.



Albert A. (aka Shanaya Train)



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I would have never thought that when the judge sentenced me, I would somehow be in this amazing position: People are wearing white and running around playing Frisbee and Dodge-Ball like we were all kids again and having an amazing time. If someone told me I'd be doing this in prison, I wouldn't have believed them. I probably would have even called them crazy. I thank God for putting me in this program. PEP has brought us all out of our comfort zones and shown us that it's okay to have fun, and that we don't have to be "stiff" all the time.

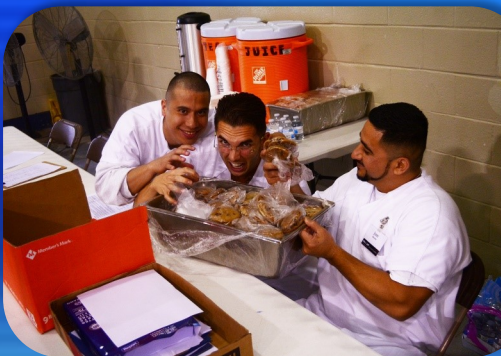
Fun-Day was a great way to unwind and have a break from our daily routines. I'd have to say that the best part of was when we bombarded **Greg P. (aka Blossom)** with water balloons. I hope I don't get homework, (LOL) but if I do, it was worth it. On a more serious note, I would like to thank the PEP staff for making all of this possible for my brothers and I. PEP has shown us why Fun is an important part of the program's 10 Driving Values. We are all truly grateful for a real "fresh-Start"

**-Amador C. (aka Courage the Cowardly Dog)**





# Business Plan Workshop



# Conquerors of Spring '19