Maintaining Your Sawmill

Customer Service Technician, Greg Baire, advises that it is not uncommon to receive calls from customers who report problems that could have been prevented by following the maintenance schedule below. Routine maintenance is inexpensive and simple to do.

Every 25 hours:

- Clean middle track oiler
- Clean and lubricate track

Every 50 hours:

- Clean and lubricate drum switches
- Clean and lubricate blade tensioner handle and rods
- Clean and lubricate pivot points, fittings and bearings
- Clean and lubricate all chains

Every 500 hours, or one time per year:

- Change fluid in drive side cylindrical bearing
- Repack wheel bearings on axle

As needed, or one time per year:

Clean and adjust block on hydraulic strip

This is not a complete list or substitute for the information included in your Sawmill Operators Manual. Please reference the 'Maintenance' section of your Sawmill Operators manual for a complete listing of required maintenance. You will also find a 'Maintenance Log' to help you track what has been done and keep you on schedule.