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*Happy Valentines Day*  
*From Maxi Container, Inc.*



### New and Improved...Visit Our Website...



Recently, Maxi has undergone some major changes. Last month we redesigned our eNewsletter format. This month we have redesigned our website. New additions include: user friendly interface, more categories for products, new product lines and a News Room with all our Latest News, eNewsletter's, Blog posts, Articles and more at your fingertips. Please visit [www.maxicontainer.com](http://www.maxicontainer.com) today!

For more information about our new and improved website please contact Joshua at 313-891-3880 or send him an [email](#).

### Customer of the Month...Chemical Analytics...

**Social Networks...  
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If you have not already found Maxi on one of your favorite online Social Networks, please check us out. We are constantly updating with useful information about any and everything Maxi, plus exciting industry news.

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**New Product... Post Guards...**

[Chemical Analytics, Inc](#) (CAI) provides lab pack, hazardous waste, universal waste and pharmaceutical waste services as well as gas cylinder recycling. CAI has been offering these high quality personalized services to colleges, laboratories, hospitals, and research and development facilities since 1985. CAI has been purchasing [Steel, Plastic, and Fiber Drums](#), in addition to [Plastic and Steel Pails](#), [Hazardous Waste Bags and Boxes](#), [Vermiculite](#), and [Salvage and Overpack Drums](#) from Maxi for twenty years. CAI's waste management specialists are diversely experienced, trained and safety conscious. CAI has a turnkey operation for waste disposal, which includes:

- Waste packaging, labeling and marking to DOT and RCRA requirements;
- Documentation preparation (shippers, manifests, land disposal restriction notifications, underlying hazardous constituent notifications, etc.);
- Transportation to their TSDF utilizing CAI's permitted hazardous waste hauling vehicles.

CAI services are tailored around their customers' needs, just like us here at Maxi. This is what CAI had to say about us:

*"Our experience has been that Maxi Container, Inc. carries the shipping containers that we use most frequently. If we are looking for a container that is not a stock item, Maxi's customer service staff has been able to locate a suitable shipping container."*

CAI has trucks stationed in Romulus, MI and Cleveland/Akron Ohio, as well North Georgia. Unlike many of their competitors, they do not sub-contract any of their services.

*"Having been a customer of Maxi Container, Inc. for the last 20 years, I have found the sales and customer service staff to be responsive to Chemical Analytics, Inc. needs and concerns."*

- William Sparka  
Vice President

For more information about CAI please call 734-326-9400 or send an [email](#) to their customer service department.

**Customer Testimonial...Drum Stove...**



Do you have posts, otherwise called bollards, around your facility? Are you wasting time and money repainting these unsightly posts? If so, you could benefit from our [Post Guards](#). These attractive HDPE bollard covers cut down the amount of maintenance needed for bollards. No more repainting, saves you money, plus easy installation!



Mike Kolanowski recently purchased a 55 gallon steel drum from Maxi and made a wood burning drum stove. Mike thought he would share his experience with us...Thank you Mike!

*"I wanted to let you know how well it works...It was 18 degrees and there were 30-40 mph winds and I easily had my 24' x 24' un-insulated garage at 70 degrees."*

For more information on our [Drum Stove Kits](#) please call Bob at 313-891-3880 or send him an [email](#).

## Fun With Drums...Wine Barrel Art...



In Port Angeles, WA wine barrels are making their appearance in a fantastic way all over the downtown area. What started as one building owner wanting to expand the painting on her building turned into a movement. The Waterfront Art Gallery volunteers joined forces and soon these wine barrels started popping up everywhere downtown. These previously used wine barrels are donated to the artists by the local wineries Sorenson Cellars, Olympic Cellars, Fair Winds Winery, Harbinger Winery and Camaraderie Cellars.



For more info about the artists and to view more wine barrel designs please click [here](#).



If you know how to have fun with drums or have used our products in a creative way, please contact Joshua at 313-891-3880 or send him an [email](#). You and/or your idea could be featured in one of our upcoming monthly eNewsletters.



**Bollard Covers slide on easily & quickly saving you time & money**

## Hazardous Waste Violations...Drew University...



**Drew University sits amongst a heavily wooded environment**

For more information about Post Guards and [Facilities Management](#) products please call 313-891-3880 and talk to one of our highly trained customer service representatives, or send us an [email](#).



### New Product... Safety Cabinets...

[Drew University](#), of Madison, N.J was fined \$145,000 by the US EPA for not properly managing hazardous waste in 2007. While only 30 miles from Manhattan, Drew is set in a heavily wooded 160 acres. Despite this pristine setting, Drew was caught haphazardly storing dozens of containers of paint, wood stains, enamels and adhesives. They stored these containers in a manner that failed to minimize releases to the environment. The containers were stored outside and on the ground. Some were in close proximity to residential housing and a pond and many containers were open and could have easily spilled their contents or leaked into the ground. The University also failed to properly identify discarded materials such as mercury, sulfuric acid, phosphoric acid, formic acid, and nitric acid as hazardous wastes.

Drew University could have avoided these problems with one phone call to Maxi Container. We carry a full line of [safety cabinets](#) and other [safety equipment](#) that are approved for the proper storage of hazardous materials.

You can read the full article [here](#) on our [blog](#).

For more information about this article and the proper storing of Hazardous Materials please call Rick at 313-891-3880 or send him an [email](#).

## Recycle With MAXI...Custom Programs...



Did you know Maxi can design you and your company a custom drum or IBC recycling



Stay compliant with our state-of-the-art [safety cabinets](#), perfect for storing all types of containers with various contents, including hazardous chemicals. Don't get caught off guard by the EPA like Drew University did recently.



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program? Maxi can provide your company with the assurance and documented evidence that your empty containers were handled in an environmentally sustainable manner. One of our Sales Representatives will visit your facility to help design a custom program based on your specific needs. (This initial consultation is provided free of charge)

Read full article [here](#).

For more [Safety Equipment](#) products please visit our [website](#).

If you are interested in [recycling](#) with Maxi please contact Bob at 313-891-3880 or send him an [email](#) to arrange an on-site consultation.



For more information about Safety Cabinets please call 313-891-3880 to talk to one of our highly trained customer service representatives or send us an [email](#).



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