



Mississippi Valley Chapter Newsletter

November 2004

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Monthly Newsletter

Event Schedule

- **September 28, 2004**
Tour of Figge Art Center
- **October 21, 2004**
Chilled Water Systems
and Pressure
Independent Control
Valves
- **November 18, 2004**
History Night!
The chapter will be 30
years old this Month!
New Refrigerant
Compressors
- **December 7 2004**
Social Lunch
John Deere Classic
- **January 20, 2005**
Building Envelope and
Humidity
- **February 17, 2005**
AHU Designs for
Special Buildings.
- **March 17 2005**
Research Night!
Update on IEC projects
- **April 21, 2005**
Controls Round Table
- **April 28-30, 2005**
CRC Quad Cities!
- **May 19, 2005**
Industrial Indoor Air
Quality
- **June 3, 2005**
Resource Promotion
Golf Outing

History & Membership Night!!!! “New Refrigerant Compressors”

This month our meeting will be held at the Steeplegate Inn. The board of governors have designated this night as history and membership night in honor of our Chapter’s 30th anniversary. Any prospective member that attends will receive a free meal. Cake will also be served in honor of our anniversary. So if you know of someone that would benefit from ASHRAE this is the chance to bring them to a meeting. Membership forms will be available at the meeting.

This month’s meeting will also be a joint meeting with Refrigeration Service Engineers Society (RSES) and includes a presentation on new Oil-less Magnetic Bearing Compressors. This program will be presented by Eugene “Smitty” Smithart of Turbocor.

With over 30 years of experience, Smitty most recently served as the Director of Environmental Affairs for the Trane Company. He is well known in the HVACR industry, having published numerous industry articles and having key involvement in a number of industry changing initiatives. Smitty is a recipient of the U.S. EPA Climate Protection award. At the time of the receipt, he was one of only five people in the world to have received this prestigious award. He received his Bachelors of Science degree in Chemical Engineering from the University of Iowa and he is a registered Professional Engineer in the State of Wisconsin.

November 18th Program

- Location:** Steeplegate Inn
100 W. 76th Street
Davenport, Iowa
- Program:** “New Refrigerant Compressors”
- Agenda:** 4:30-5:30 Meeting
5:30-5:45 Q&A
5:45-6:30 Dinner
- Menu:** “Chicken Pillow - Slivered ham and mozzarella cheese, baked, covered with alfredo sauce, and served with tossed salad, green beans almondine, and twice baked potatoes”
- Cost:** Members: Free
Others: **FREE!!!**
- RSVP:** [Online](#) or call Jim Nonnenmann @ (563) 264-6349 by Monday, November 15, 2004

2003-2004 Officers/Board of Governors

President: Jon Bovenkamp
Vice President: Gary Lange
Treasurer: Bruce Britson
Secretary: Jim Nonnenmann
Member at Large: Paul Parry
Member at Large: Sherm Sweeney

2003-2004 Committee Chairs

CRC Delegate: Gary Lange
CRC Alternate: Bruce Britson
CRC 2005: John Holbert
Sherm Sweeney
Historian: Sherm Sweeney
Membership: Tracy Van Damme
Programs: Gary Lange
Resource Promotion: Mike Taube
Seminar: Bruce Davis
Student Activities: Matt Schneider
TEGA: Open
Webmaster: Eric Granzow

Only You Can Help!!!

In order for our chapter to grow and maintain the great membership we have enjoyed we need volunteers to help with the running of the chapter. Volunteers are needed for the following Officer positions or committees:

CRC**Membership****Student Activities****Resource Promotion****TEGA****Webmaster****History****Contact any officer or committee chair to Volunteer!****New Chapter membership**

Glen Bellows – Transfer
Jacob Bernhardt
Brian Billman
Jack Fullick
Kevin Stier
Joshua Koons – Transfer
Rick Cudd
Fu Xiaoyong - Transfer

Welcome Aboard!!**50/50 Drawing**

Each meeting there will be a 50/50 drawing with the proceeds going to Resource Promotion. You can purchase 1 ticket for \$1 or 6 tickets for \$5. Bring your spare change and help support ASHRAE Research!

Monthly Meetings

The regular monthly meetings for the Mississippi Valley Chapter of ASHRAE are held on the 3rd Thursday of each month from September to May unless otherwise noted. Meetings are located at the Steeplegate Best Western in Davenport Iowa unless noted otherwise.

Chapters Regional Conference

Be sure to mark you calendars for April 28th through April 30th as our chapter prepares to host CRC for Region VI. The CRC will be held at the Radisson at John Deere Commons, and the Mark.

The chapter needs help from all of the members to make this a success. Please volunteer to help out our CRC co-chairs John Holbert, and Sherm Sweeney. Only by having help from our chapter members can this be a successful event.



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