

# St. Louis Section News

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ASME helps the global engineering community develop solutions to real world challenges. Founded in 1880 as the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, ASME is a not-for-profit professional organization that enables collaboration, knowledge sharing and skill development across all engineering disciplines, while promoting the vital role of the engineer in society. ASME codes and standards, publications, conferences, continuing education and professional development programs provide a foundation for advancing technical knowledge and a safer world.

### **Next Section Meeting:**

### **September Joint Meeting - CME tour**

September 6, 2017 @ 5:30PM 4215 Rider Trail North St. Louis, Missouri, 63045-1106 USA

### **Next Board Meeting:**

September 21st, 2017 @ 5:45pm CJ Muggs

101 W Lockwood Ave, Webster Groves, MO

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### Year At A Glance

### Sept

Central Mining Equip. Tour

#### Oct

Brewery Tour (Civil Life, Second Hand)\*

#### Nov

Networking Event -

### Tapped

#### Dec

HTE Technologies or Science Center\*

#### Jan

Student design presentations

#### Feb

Bissinger's Chocolate\*

#### March

Mechanical/ Environmental

#### Overview

### Apr

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#### May

May Social

#### June

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### July

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\*Tentative



# **September Meeting - Central Mine Equipment Company**



Please join ASME and AEG for a joint field trip at Central Mine Equipment (CME); founded in St. Louis in 1928. CME is a local drill-rig, tooling, and support equipment manufacturer; designing and manufacturing a complete product line of drilling equipment for environmental, geotechnical, mineral exploration, and construction industries. CME holds patents on auger connections, drill rig safety features, and sampling systems. Please join us in a tour of their 210,000-square foot, state-of-the-art manufacturing facility in Earth City, Missouri.

#### **Event Details:**

### Wednesday, September 6th, 2017

5:30-5:40 Introductions 5:40-6:10 Dinner 6:10-6:30 Drilling and sampling tools 6:30-7:00 History of CME 7:00-8:00 Factory tour

We will order Jimmy John's based on your selection in the RSVP. Please indicate what you would like from the listed menu on the AEG web page.

Members and Guests: FREE (Thanks to CME)

Limited to 40 people

4215 Rider Trail North St. Louis, Missouri, 63045-1106 USA

Please RSVP by Monday, September 4th by completing the form at: <a href="http://www.aegstl.org/rsvpmaker/joint-aegasme-cme-field-trip-2017-09-06/">http://www.aegstl.org/rsvpmaker/joint-aegasme-cme-field-trip-2017-09-06/</a>

### **Charity Kickball Tournament - Fundraiser**





# **Engineering Center Phase 1 Completion**

### **ENGINEERING CENTER RIBBON CUTTING**

Highlights - July 13th, 2017

The Engineering Center of St. Louis celebrated the completion of Phase 1 of a historic Capital Improvements Program. With construction work by United Construction, the first phase of the project converted the building's auditorium into a technologically advanced meeting space. The renovation project, designed by REMIGER DESIGN, seeks to give the center a new face for the engineering profession in St. Louis and creates a flexible and modern environment that will be used by the Center to collaborate with its affiliated organizations, partner with local schools and businesses and encourage greater student development in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM).









### **YEC Happy Hour**





SPONSORED BY:



WHERE: HARPO'S CHESTERFIELD

136 HILLTOWN VILLAGE CENTER CHESTERFIELD, MD 63017

WHEN: FRIDAY, AUGUST 25<sup>™</sup>, 2017

(5:00 PM TO 7:00 PM)

- Come join us for a FREE evening of fun and fellowship sponsored by Brinkmann Constructors
- Happy hours are a great place to meet other young engineering professionals in the St. Louis Area.
- Bring a friend and they will get a YEC Koozie!

ANY QUESTIONS?

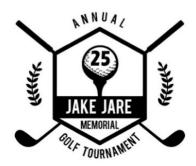
PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ERICA RIDGWAY OR ALLISON MORRIS

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### 25th Annual Jake Jare Golf Tournament



### **Presents the 25th Annual**



## Monday, October 9, 2017 Whitmoor Country Club St. Charles, MO

#### **Tournament Schedule:**

9:30 am Registration

10:00 am Boxed Lunch

Bloody Mary Bar sponsored by CH2M

11:00 am Shotgun Start

Refreshments provided on course

5:00 pm \$50,000 Hole-in-One Shoot-out

Contest

sponsored by Geotechnology

Open Bar immediately following golf

6:00 pm Awards Dinner



Contributor \$250

Includes hole sign on one course, Name in the

program and Name on website.

Friend of the Foundation \$100
Your name in the program and on website.

(For Individuals only)

For a complete list of sponsors please visit

Whitmoor is a soft-spike

facility

## 2017 Engineering Olympic Games



## **ASME Section Contributions**

In past years, the St. Louis Section has covered section activities by receiving an allocation of funds from ASME National. This allocation was based on how active the section was and what types of events were hosted by the section (i.e. offering professional development and holding joint meetings with other engineering groups). Since 2014 year, ASME National has stopped contributing to the local sections and instituted regulations on how sections can spend their money. The section is now using money that was saved from past conferences held in St. Louis and contributions from members.

When completing your ASME renewal, please consider contributing to the St. Louis Section. This will help to sustain the group that has survived since 1909 and is run entirely by volunteers in the St. Louis area. You can contribute by completing the voluntary contribution for sections on the ASME renewal form.

We are also looking into the potential to utilize relevant sponsorships to help alleviate the continuing costs as well.

### **Tom Bever Memorial Undergraduate Scholarship**



The St. Louis section will be accepting nominations for a \$500 undergraduate scholarship for the fall semester. In order to be considered, the student must submit the following by August 1<sup>st</sup>:

- · Unofficial transcripts showing the student is an undergraduate pursuing a Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering
- · ASME student membership include ASME membership number in submittal
- · Submit a short essay describing outstanding accomplishments including volunteer roles in ASME (member of design team, officer positions held, etc.)

All materials should be entered on the <a href="www.asmestlouis.org">www.asmestlouis.org</a> website via the "Scholarship Application" link found on the main page. Selection will be based primarily on ASME volunteerism. Open to students attending a college in the St. Louis Section including: St. Louis University, Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, Missouri University of Science & Technology, Washington University, and University of Missouri in St. Louis.

### **Student Section Website Offer**



The St. Louis Section is offering any regional student section their own page on our site complete with Google Calendar, Blogger, and section information in an effort to help the student sections keep organized even when they may lack the resources. If you know of a student member that would be interested, please have them contact us at asmestlouis@gmail.com.

### **Engineering Center STEM Outreach Opportunity**

Dear Members,

The Engineering Center of St. Louis respectfully requests your support and participation in creating outreach into regional schools encouraging local students to pursue an education in high-demand STEM fields. The STEM Alliance has launched the STEM Alliance Speakers' & Mentors' Bureau with the mission to connect professionals into classrooms to inspire and encourage the next generation to continue taking steps along STEM pathways. It will provide valuable links to mentoring, scholarship opportunities, university connections, and eventually careers. Encouraging local students to follow STEM pathways in education will help to fill the STEM talent pipeline that is critically needed for the region to continue to grow and create prosperity for St. Louis. This is a call for volunteers to participate in the bureau. Please consider completing the attached application and forwarding it to joy.david@engineeringcenter.org. Thank you for your consideration and support to this much-needed community outreach program. Please feel free to forward the application to members, colleagues, and other STEM professionals you feel would be a valuable asset to this program.

Sincerely, W. Dave Yates, PE President

### **ASME Auxiliary Scholarship Program**

From Arnie Feldman, Chair EED to all EED Members:

You are likely familiar with the scholarship programs that in the past were sponsored and administered by ASME. The ASME Auxiliary currently sponsors a Student Loan Program (SLP). The terms and conditions for the SLP have recently been revised to make these loans more widely available to students in need of financial assistance to complete their degree requirements. Loan repayment terms have been revised to make it easier for students to find employment and to establish their careers or to complete graduate studies before beginning to repay their loans. The guidelines and loan application are attached to this email and also available at <a href="mailto:go.asme.org/loans">go.asme.org/loans</a>.

The major points of this loan program are:

- 1. Maximum of loan amount of \$5,000 per student
- 2. Available to ASME Members or Student Members who are US citizens or permanent residents majoring in Mechanical Engineering or a closely related program
- 3. Loan interest at 4% on the outstanding loan principal
- 4. Loan interest does not begin accumulating until the first of the month immediately following graduation, change or termination of student status
- 5. Loan plus accrued interest is to be paid in thirty-six (36) equal consecutive monthly payments commencing within six (6) months after graduation. There is no penalty for early repayment.
- 6. Students must be an ASME Member or Student Member in good standing for at least one year and until the loan is paid in full.
- 7. Student must be enrolled in full-time academic studies in the U.S and making satisfactory progress in his or her degree program
- 8. Have a minimum GPA of:
  - 2.20 on a o to 4.00 scale (Undergraduate Students)
  - 3.20 on a o to 4.00 scale (Graduate Students)
- 9. Student must have a demonstrated financial need and have a written letter of recommendation from the Chair of the Department, the Dean of Engineering, or Faculty Advisor of ASME Student Section.
- 10. A one time graduate education extension may be awarded to qualified students.

Please inform all students in your programs who you feel qualify for these loans to submit an application, or to request additional information.

**Ed Seiders** 

ASME Auxiliary Student Loan Treasurer

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### St. Louis Section Events and Links

The St. Louis Section is continuously looking for new events and activities to offer members. This includes tours and presentations. If you have ideas or would be interested in being an event captain please contact any of the officers on the next page.

Check us out online at the following links

- Main Website
  - www.asmestlouis.org
- · ASME Community Section Page
  - https://community.asme.org/st louis section/default.aspx
- LinkedIn Page

https://www.linkedin.com/groups?goback=%2Egmp\_4115637&gid=4115637

### **ASME Referral Drive & ASME Special Offer**

#### From ASME:

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As a valued ASME Section Member, we are requesting your assistance to help us <u>spread the word</u> to non-members about two exceptional opportunities we have for them to join ASME:

- **1. The ASME Referral Drive:** Current members can simply provide us with the names and email addresses of their non-member peers and colleagues and we do the rest! The prospective member will receive a <u>special discount offer to join ASME</u> including a <u>free gift</u>, and the referring member may also be eligible to earn great prizes when they do. <u>Please encourage your section members to make their referrals today at: <a href="http://go.asme.org/ReferralDrive">http://go.asme.org/ReferralDrive</a></u>
- and -
- **2.** The ASME Join Today Special Offer: Members can also share the ASME Join Today Special Offer URL directly with friends and co-workers by: email; placing it on their university or company intranet; posting it to their favorite social networks such as Facebook, Twitter, Google+ and LinkedIn, or however they wish! Joiners will enjoy a special dues discount plus a free gift. Please urge your section members to post this special offer URL in as many appropriate venues as they can: <a href="http://go.asme.org/JoinToday">http://go.asme.org/JoinToday</a>

We rely heavily on your ongoing support to introduce ASME Membership to as many prospective members as possible, and we thank you in advance for your help in spreading the word about these very special membership opportunities - each of which include a generous 25% dues discount plus a free ASME bag for new members!



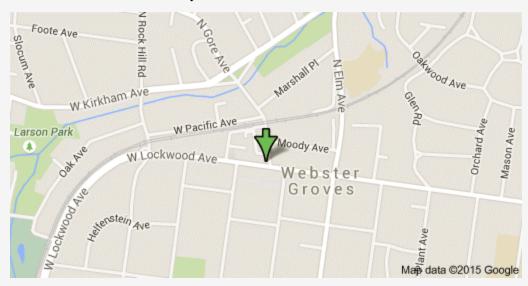
Two **Great Ways**to **Help ASME Grow Membership!** 

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# **Next Board Meeting**

Please join us at the next Board Meeting on Thursday, September 21st @ 5:45pm

Location: CJ Muggs Bar & Grill, 101 W. Lockwood, Webster Groves, Missouri 63119
Restaurant contact: (314) 963-1976 CJ Muggs Webster Groves; <a href="http://www.cjmuggs.com">http://www.cjmuggs.com</a>
Please contact any of the board members for more details.



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