



THIN-AIR BULLETIN

American Society of Heating, Refrigeration, and Air Conditioning Engineers NM Chapter Region IX Albuquerque, NM

ASHRAE Meeting for April

Topic: Tour of Ford Energy Center at UNM.

WHEN: Tuesday April 17 2012 at 11:45am

COST: \$20 Members, \$25 Non Members

WHERE: Ford Energy Center
University of New Mexico

RSVP to Patrick Watkins by Friday April 13th.

Email: patrick@wmcarroll.com

Parking information will follow.

President's Message

I hope everyone has found some promising Easter eggs by now. ASHRAE is still looking for some in the shape of ASHRAE RESEARCH donations. Please help JR Sunderman on his mission to meet our Chapter's goal this year.

The Board of Governors will be attending the Chapter Regional Conference (CRC) in Billings Montana in August. This is an annual event held throughout our region from Billings to El Paso and Salt Lake to Sioux Falls, SD. The different chapters host the event for the purpose of bringing in new ideas and managing our regional chapter's contributions to the national society level. Training officers for their new positions is also a big part of the CRC. The volunteer time spent throughout ASHRAE keeps us strong and at the leading edge. Anyone interested in volunteering on the board or as a committee member please contact us.

Patrick Watkins has an interesting event planned this month please plan to attend.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely,

Charlie Scoggin

From the History Committee

From the History Books: March 1991

President: Bruce Davis
President-Elect: John Grapsas
Secretary: Steve Maggert
Treasurer: Mike Slaman

On March 19, 1991, the monthly meeting speaker was Robin Ramsey who spoke about Ventilation Engineering and the phenomenon of airflows around buildings. The 10-foot rule regarding exhaust ducts was shown to be not acceptable and that more technical evaluation must be done to adequately locate exhaust and intake ductwork. Special cases such as complexes of buildings, geography, etc. were reviewed. These design considerations apply to employee safety and product contamination and not to environmental concerns.

The New Mexico Chapter of ASHRAE participated in the Architectural Trade Show in Albuquerque. The Chapter had a booth as well as conducting seminars on evaporative cooling, 1989 model energy code and refrigeration. Speakers included Mr. John Noble, Mr. Harold Trujillo and Jim Martin.



Young Engineers in ASHRAE Happy Hour

Where: Stone Face Tavern

When: Wednesday, April 18 from 5pm to 7pm

Who: ASHRAE members age 35 and under, Potential ASHRAE members, friends of ASHRAE, significant others, Young at heart ASHRAE members

Why: To meet other people in the industry, in a relaxed atmosphere and have a beer.

If you plan on attending, please send an email to Joe, jhigham@nswnm.com or give a call 505-239-9820. So we can know how many to expect.