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Next Dinner Meeting: March 10, 2009

Local Emergency Planning Committee of New Castle County

David Irwin, LEPC Chairman

Lamberti's Restaurant, 5:30 pm

A message from your Local Section President:

2009 is going to be very satisfying and fulfilling year for our local section members. We have already planned and scheduled all of our quarterly dinner meetings, hosting a ½ PDC with the Philadelphia section this summer, sponsoring two teleweb PDCs through AIHA, and are planning on hosting a few other events this fall. Wow – it's only February! Your current Executive Board is new, excited, and full of great ideas to provide value for your membership. I encourage everyone to participate in our planned events and get involved in committees. We are always looking for feedback, constructive opinions and fresh ideas. My thanks goes out to everyone who has participated in the past and who will help in 2009. Our section is only as good as its volunteers. I know that 2009 will also be a year of uncertainty, fear and anxiety because of the economy and job stability. It is more important than ever to be involved with the local section to network, learn about situations at other companies, and to continue to improve yourself and stay marketable. Regardless of your situation, the Delaware Local Section of the AIHA will be here to support you socially and professionally. God Bless and I'll see everyone at our next meeting on March 10, 2009!

Alan

New Officer Profiles:



President Alan Lloyd is a Senior Industrial Hygienist for Pennoni Associates. He has been with Pennoni for over 8 years and works primarily on worker exposure characterization, indoor air quality investigations and health and safety consulting. Alan has been a Certified Industrial Hygienist since 2005.



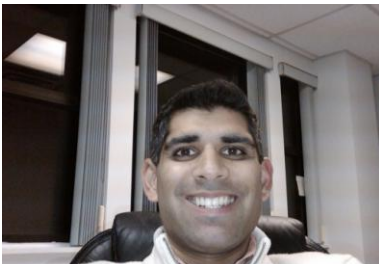
President – Elect, Richard V. Bauman is the Director of Business Development for Plymouth Environmental Co., Inc. He has been in the field for 20 years.



Secretary Kristina Roberts is the Environmental Professional for Croda Inc. She has worked in the EHS field for 7 years.



Treasurer Nancy Kirby, CIH works in the Occupational Safety Department for Christiana Care Health Services. She has worked in the IH field since 1997 and obtained her CIH in 2003.



Communications Director Neeraj Batta, PE is a Vice President at Batta Environmental. He manages IH projects and is responsible for Business Development. He has been in the field for 4 years.

Dinner Meeting – Lamberti’s Cucina, Wilmington, DE, Tuesday, 3/10/09, 5:30 pm

<http://www.lambertis.com/pdf/directions/19808.pdf>

Topic:

“Local Emergency Planning Committee of New Castle County, DE”

Guest Speaker: Mr. David Irwin, LEPC Chairman

Cost:\$30/\$35 Member/Non-members.

David Irwin has served as chairman of the federally mandated New Castle County Local Emergency Planning Committee and member of the State Emergency Response Commission since 2004. He has over 30 years experience in Safety, Health, Environment and Security in a Pharmaceutical R&D and Corporate setting. Irwin has also been appointed by Governors Michael N. Castle (1992-1995), Thomas Carper (1995-2001) and Ruth Ann Minner (2001-present) to serve as a member of the Delaware Authority on Radiation Protection (ARP). A native Delawarean, Irwin is a graduate of Widener University and resides in Wilmington with his wife Joy.

AIHA Telewebs:

The Delaware Section is very pleased to offer AIHA Telewebs to the industrial hygiene community this year. DuPont has graciously volunteered to host the Telewebs this year at their facility in Wilmington. The Telewebs will be held at the DuPont Barley Mill Office Plaza, Building 21, Room 1234. Barley Mill Plaza is the office complex at intersection of Rte 141 and Rte 48 (Lancaster Pike), Wilmington, DE 19805.

The first Teleweb will be held in March and the topic will be Control Banding. The teleweb will be on March 26, 2009 at 2:00pm. Please arrive no later than 1:50 to allow time for sign in. Amy Berg or Gee Joseph will sign you in. Visit <http://www.aiha.org/Content/CE/DL/telewebs.htm> for additional information.

The Delaware Section will cover the fee for Members. For non-members, the fee will be \$25.00. For CEUs, AIHA will charge a \$35.00 fee. You will be responsible for obtaining the CEU credits.

If you are interested in attending, please RSVP with Kristina Roberts, the Section's secretary, to ensure there will be enough seats.

Proposed 2009 Meeting Schedule:

The Executive Committee has met and proposed the following 2009 Meeting Schedule and locations. Further information will follow on each event.

- March 10th – Lamberti's - Dave Irwin to discuss LEPC
- May 6th – Delaware Country Club - Aaron Trippler to discuss OSHA updates.
- June 26th – West Chester University ½ day PDC with Phila Section on Ethics/Legal Issues in IH.
- July – Blue Rocks Baseball Game and BBQ.
- September 24th – Kid Shelleen's. Topic TBD
- October – Date and Time TBD – Speed Networking
- November – Date and Time TBD – CIH Review Course
- December 7th – Blue and Gold Club. Topic TBD