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A NOTE FROM OUR PRESIDENT

Fellow Members,

Is this year speeding by or what? With CRC behind us, we're looking ahead to our upcoming events. We greatly appreciate everyone's participation; attendance at our past two meetings was outstanding. I hope everyone has enjoyed the informative topics. We are open to your feedback and suggestions as we want the presentations to meet your professional needs. Please mark your calendar for our upcoming events.

Our next meeting will be a dinner meeting in Gainesville on Tuesday, October 14 at 6 pm. We will have a panel featuring a consulting engineer, a contractor and a sales engineer to discuss their individual contribution to the HVAC industry. We hope to have a good turnout as we look to mentor the next ASHRAE generation. Also, mark your calendar for the following meeting which will be a lunch meeting on November 11 at San Jose Country Club.

The Fall Golf Outing has been rescheduled for Thursday, November 20 at Hidden Hills Country Club. We'll begin with a buffet lunch at 11:45 and shotgun start at 1:00 pm. This event raises money for our local

chapter's budget so we hope you will make this a priority. Good golf, warm sun, cold beer – what's not to like?

The Oyster Roast is our largest event of the year. Last year, the Polynesian dance troupe brought new energy to the Oyster Roast and brought everyone to their feet. Some unlikely ASHRAE members found themselves on stage, shaking in their hula skirts. You don't want to miss this rare moment and don't forget your camera! The date is Friday, December 5 at the Ramallah Club. This is always a fun event and we're expecting record participation again this year.

Hopefully, everyone will jot down these dates and take part in our future meetings and events. And stay tuned because we have much more to come...

CHAPTER MEETING SCHEDULE

October 14th	Dinner Meeting
November 11th	Lunch Meeting
November 20th	Fall Golf Outing
December 5th	Oyster Roast
January 13th	Lunch Meeting
February 10th	Lunch Meeting
February 14th	Valentines Day Dinner
March 10th	Lunch Meeting
April 14th	Lunch Meeting
April 25th	Spring Golf Outing
May 12th	Lunch Meeting
June 9th	Dinner Meeting
	Installation - Incoming President

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Save The Date
February 14th 2009.
 "Are you tired of the hassle of getting a restaurant reservation on Valentine's Day then join us for a magical evening with a sit-down dinner, dancing and more at a surprising affordable price. You can reserve your 7:30 seating and additional information by contacting Ron Kessner @ rjkconsulting@comcast.net.

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Technology for a Better Environment

Jacksonville Chapter

ASHRAE Dinner Meeting Tuesday, October 14th, 2008

Speaker: Panel Discussion

Topic: ASHRAE Engineering Careers in Design, Contracting, and Sales

The Jacksonville Chapter of ASHRAE is pleased to announce this month's meeting will be a dinner meeting in **Gainesville**. The format will be panel discussion in place of our usual individual presenter – with representatives from engineering, contracting, and sales on the panel. It's a great opportunity for student members to get a glimpse of career directions in our industry, and for the membership to meet the current student group at UF.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND: All UF ASHRAE Student Members, Owners, Contractors, Suppliers, Architects and Engineers involved in the HVAC&R field.

DATE & TIME: Tuesday, October 14th, 2008
5:30 PM to 8:00 PM
Buffet Dinner

LOCATION: Paramount Plaza Hotel, 2900 S.W. 13th Street, **Gainesville**, FL 32608

COST: \$25.00 required at the door, includes dinner.
(ASHRAE Student Members attend for free!)
We are accepting Student Sponsorships for \$25
PLEASE SPONSOR A STUDENT OR TWO!!!!
Please note we do NOT have the ability to accept credit cards.

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RSVP REQUEST: Walk-ins are always welcome, but we are now required to give Paramount Plaza a guaranteed minimum 3 business days before the meeting. Please help us avoid extra costs and last minute scrambles to set up tables with your *RSVP to George Israel by noon October 10th, 2008* – Thank You.

ASHRAE, founded in 1894, is an international organization of 55,000 persons. Its sole objective is to advance, through research, standards writing, publishing and continuing education, the arts and sciences of heating, ventilation, air-conditioning and refrigeration to serve the evolving needs of the public.

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A.S.H.R.A.E ANNUAL
OYSTER ROAST

Friday December 5 , 2008

6:00p.m. – 11:00

Ramallah American Club
on Parental Home Road

DON'T MISS THIS YEAR!!!

Polynesian Show and Band

Prizes/Gifts/Dancing

Beer/Margaritas

SYA Award/Bull Oyster Eating Contest



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A.S.H.R.A.E.

2008 ANNUAL FALL GOLF OUTING

WHERE: **Hidden Hills Golf and Country Club**
3901 Monument Road

WHEN: **Thursday, November 20, 2008**
11:30 am Sign-in
11:45 am Buffet Lunch
1:00 PM Shotgun Start
 Awards Following Round



FORMAT: Captain's Choice

PRIZES: First Place Team
 Second Place Team
 Cart, and Lunch.

COST: **\$125.00 Per Person**
 Includes Golf,

Third Place Team
 * **Cash Prizes for each place & proximities**
 course.

Cash Beverage Cart will
 be available on the

Sign up your foursome below or individuals will be assigned a foursome as needed to complete each group.

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1)		
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Membership Benefits

While technical education and information is one of the greatest benefits of ASHRAE membership, there are many other professional and personal advantages:

Learn Technology

ASHRAE is a great place to learn technology:

- Technical program content presented at chapter, region, and Society meetings. Presentations cover a wide range of HVAC&R topics, including Indoor air quality, Compliance with ASHRAE Standards, and more.
- Technical periodicals (link):
 - ASHRAE Journal, a monthly magazine included in your membership, reviews current HVAC&R technology of broad interest through publication of application-oriented articles.
 - The International Journal of Heating, Ventilating, Air-Conditioning and Refrigerating Research a quarterly journal, reports significant research from ASHRAE and the international HVAC&R research communities
 - IAQ Applications, a quarterly magazine, provides practical, applicable information on indoor air quality, and also provide a platform for debate on issues that surround IAQ.
- ASHRAE Handbooks — the most widely cited reference source for HVAC&R technology in the world. ASHRAE members receive one volume of the ASHRAE Handbook (which sells for \$155) each membership year at no charge..
- ASHRAE publications — some 300 current titles — which members are able to purchase at a 20% discount.
- ASHRAE professional educational products — From the ASHRAE Learning Institute, ranging from the Society's semiannual conferences to home study courses — feature discounted registration prices for ASHRAE members.
- ASHRAE Standards & Guidelines – Provide design and application guidance for your projects with more than 100 Standards and Guidelines currently in print. Members can purchase at 20% discount.

Develop Leadership Skills

ASHRAE is a great place to learn leadership skills. If you can learn to motivate volunteers via ASHRAE programs, you can soar when working with teams you are managing. With ASHRAE, there are many opportunities to lead some of the teams driving our industry's technical future.

Network with Industry Professionals

ASHRAE is a great place to network with others in our profession. Even competitors who compete fiercely on bid day can enjoy fellowship on the neutral turf of an ASHRAE meeting. Opportunities include:

- ASHRAE Chapter, Region, Society meetings
- Talk with engineers worldwide in the online forums in ASHRAE's Society Connections eNewsletter (twice monthly).

You also keep updated with the industry via:

- ASHRAE's Insights newsletter – This monthly publication provides news about ASHRAE at the chapter, region and Society levels.
- HVAC Industry eNewsletter – This weekly newsletter keeps you up-to-date on our rapidly-changing industry.

Career Advancement

ASHRAE is a good place to let it be known that you are looking to hire, or sometimes more importantly, that you are looking to be hired. Also, the ASHRAE Learning Institute provides a wide range of education courses that help you advance your career by maintaining your professional designation. Other great ways to further your career:

- Network with other HVAC&R professionals at ASHRAE Chapter, Region and Society meetings.
- Participate in the job postings on the ASHRAE web site.

Professional Development / Education

The ASHRAE Learning Institute offers a unique variety of programs to help you maintain your professional education and designation. With many of the 40+ available courses, you'll earn Continuing Education Units (CEUs) or Professional Development Hours (PDHs), and architects are eligible to receive AIA Learning Units (AIA LUs). Other benefits: by completing a course, you'll be a stronger contributor on the job and enhance your chances for career growth.

Other educational opportunities include:

- Technical topics at your local ASHRAE Chapter meetings;
- and at ASHRAE Region and Society meetings.

Industry Insight

By joining ASHRAE, you'll gain continued insight into the HVAC&R industry. You can be on the "team" with thousands of members who volunteer their time on industry-driven committees, focusing on technology, ASHRAE Standards, and other key topics. In addition, ASHRAE's weekly HVAC&R Industry eNewsletter keeps you informed in developments in our industry.

The Industry's Future: Students

ASHRAE serves a valuable function by attracting the best and brightest students to our industry. Participating in ASHRAE Student Activities gives you first shot at recruiting these students.

Other Benefits

One of the business benefits of ASHRAE membership: Group Insurance — group rate premiums on term life, high-limit accident, disability income; major medical expense, excess major medical, in-hospital expenses and Medicare supplement.

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If you have any questions, please let me know.

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OR PDF FILES FOR ANY DIFFUSER NEED TO BE SENT
TO BEN COLE AT COLE.BEN@COMCAST.NET BY THE
20TH OF EACH MONTH!!**

Notes:

1. All BOG meetings are open to the membership and will be at Haskell Building from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM
2. All Jacksonville chapter meetings are typically at the San Jose Country Club \$25.00 for Lunch
3. All Gainesville Meetings are at the Gainesville Paramount Hotel
4. Lunch Meetings are from 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM
5. Dinner Meetings are from 6:00 to 8:00 PM
6. Any deviations will be listed in Diffuser and on Chapter Website

