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ALAMO ASHRAE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

A couple of new things started this past month. The first was the start of the Alamo ASHRAE LinkedIn group. LinkedIn is a business minded social networking site. LinkedIn is geared towards professional and business interaction. With this new tool, it will now be easier for our ASHRAE chapter to network with colleagues, advertise and look for jobs, and engage in discussions. Join our group by following the link below.

[http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Alamo-ASHRAE-3803007?
mostPopular=&gid=3803007](http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Alamo-ASHRAE-3803007?mostPopular=&gid=3803007)

Here is a link to the LinkedIn user's guides:

<http://learn.linkedin.com/new-users/>

The user's guides are not just for individuals but for small businesses as well. Happy networking and don't forget to download the app for your smart phone!

One more new thing happened. Our Treasurer Rey Gutierrez just had a baby boy, Rex.

Congratulations Rey! Make sure to congratulate Rey the next time you see him.



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ASHRAE MEETING NOTICE

FEBRUARY 2011



MEETING INFORMATION:

Topic: Chilled Beams—*“An Exploration of Chilled Beam Technology”*

Tuesday March 15, 2011
11:30 am—1:00 pm

Oak Hills Country Club
5403 Fredericksburg Road

Cost: \$25.00 with reservation / \$30.00 without
*Vegetarian available by prior request

Please **RSVP** to Rezaur@esaengineers.net
by the Monday before each meeting

Guest Speaker: John A. DiMillo

Speaker Bio: John has been active in the HVAC industry for over 22 years. He is a third generation HVAC professional. John began his career working in the factory for Carrier Corporation at 16 years old. After schooling and travel abroad, in 1995 he began working for NuClimate in their Research & Development division. Over the next 16 years John worked in nearly every department on his way up the food chain. He developed products, handled application sales, managed factory operations, negotiated joint ventures, managed representative networks, supported engineers and architects, and today is the Vice President of Sales & Marketing for NuClimate Air Quality Systems, Inc., a Syracuse, NY based company. John has been working with and around induction/chilled beam systems his whole career.

The discussion about Chilled Beams will include all of the following:

What are they?
Where did they begin?
The rebirth?
How to apply them?
What are the benefits?
Overall system design?
Cost and energy savings.



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PREVIOUS MEETING ATTENDEES

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BOARD OF GOVERNORS MEETING MINUTES—NOVEMBER 9, 2010



03-01-2011 BOG MEETING MINUTES

6/21/11 – David Howell – Texas Board of PE's

Attendees: Rocky Ormand, Manuel Lizcano, Jennifer King, Aaron Caldwell, Gene Raanes, & Mario Mijangos

YEA – Shannon

Facebook – LinkedIn: Chris sent out LinkedIn invite

CRC 2011: April 14th, 15th, & 16th

- Dallas, Texas

Info on website – Dallas Regional

Summer Meeting 2012

- Mark Picket

Sending out progress report & things needed to accomplish

New Business

- Current PAOE Points – Update
 - o Putting together powerpoint - Chris
 - o President Elect Calendar – Jennifer K.
 - o Put together call list to get more volunteers: Maybe assign firm to BOG to solicit to Principals.

Student Activities

Scholarships are submitted and distributed

Adjourn

Research Promotion

- Golf Tournament – Todd & Rocky-went over sign-up & sponsor forms
 - o Invites went out
 - o Announce at meeting and send out every few weeks
 - o Chili Cook-Off – Gene: Time frame April/June
 - o Looking for a venue

Committee: Rey – Chair, Gene – Member, & Gary Miller

Chapter Technology Transfer: Evan G.

- 3/15/11 – John DiMillo – Chilled Beams
- 4/19/11 – Dave Blackwell – ASHRAE Std. 52.2
- 5/17/11 – Mike Thompson – Refrigeration



TREASURER'S FINANCIAL REPORT



Treasurer's Report- As reported by Rey Gutierrez	
Checking:	\$8,375.28
Money Market:	\$8,113.84
Petty Cash:	\$200
TOTAL ASSETS:	\$16,689.12
*Special Note: We still have a \$500 credit at Dave and Busters.	

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Special Reminder: May 13th, 2011 is the Annual ASHRAE Golf Classic date to raise funds for ASHRAE Research and Scholarships. Put this date in your calendars, and get your team signup and sponsorship forms turned in as soon as possible. Team entries are due by May 6th, and payment before April 22nd is appreciated.

SAVE THE DATE...



Alamo ASHRAE Chapter

American Society of Heating, Refrigeration & Air Conditioning Engineers

Proudly Presents

ANNUAL GOLF CLASSIC 2011

When: May 13th, 2011

Start/End Time: 11:30 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Where: The Republic Golf Club

4226 SE Military Drive, San Antonio, Texas 78222

ASHRAE AWARDS / RECOGNITION PROGRAM



If you know someone who should be recognized for one of these awards, we encourage you to nominate them. Please contact David Kam @ kamd@uthscsa.edu for more info.

We have many members that have sacrificed their time, shared knowledge and provided their resources to improve our profession, the chapter and the ASHRAE organization. We need to recognize and thank these outstanding members at the local as well as the national level. Below are three awards that I have selected for members of our chapter to pursue.

Please contact me if you meet the criteria for Distinguished Fifty-Year Member Award before April 1st.

For the Exceptional Service Award and Distinguished Service Award, see the attach tally form. If you have a minimum 15 service points please contact me before April 1st. If you have been a chapter president or have served 5 years or more on the board or been part of committee you have a good chance of getting one of these awards.

This is only a small portion of the awards that members of our chapter can be honored for. For more information, please see the ASHRAE AWARDS AND HONORS WEBSITE at:

<http://www.ashrae.org/members/page/1104>

and for more awards: <http://www.ashrae.org/publications/detail/14643>



PERSONAL AWARDS FOR GENERAL SOCIETY ACTIVITIES:

Distinguished Fifty-Year Member Award

This award recognizes individuals who have been ASHRAE members for a minimum of fifty years, and were a past Society President, a Fellow, recipient of the Distinguished Service Award, or otherwise performed outstanding service for the Society. Recognition is in the form of a plaque and lapel pin

Exceptional Service Award

This award recognizes members who have served the Society faithfully and with exemplary effort, far in excess (45 service points) of that required for the Distinguished Service Award (15 service points). The individual must have been a full grade Member for a minimum of ten years and be a past recipient of the Distinguished Service Award. A completed DSA/ESA Point Tally Form (available via the Honors and Awards Web page), current ASHRAE Biographical Record, and digital photo must be submitted with each nomination. Members may be nominated by other members, chapters, regions, committees, or may nominate themselves. Recognition is in the form of a plaque and lapel pin

Distinguished Service Award

This award recognizes members of ASHRAE who have served the Society faithfully and with distinction on committees or otherwise given freely of their time and talent on behalf of the Society (15 service points are required). A completed DSA/ESA Point Tally Form (available via the Honors and Awards Web page), current ASHRAE Biographical Record, and digital photo must be submitted with each nomination. Members may be nominated by other members, chapters, regions, committees, or may nominate themselves. Recognition is in the form of a plaque and lapel pin

Awards are presented at Annual Society Meeting.