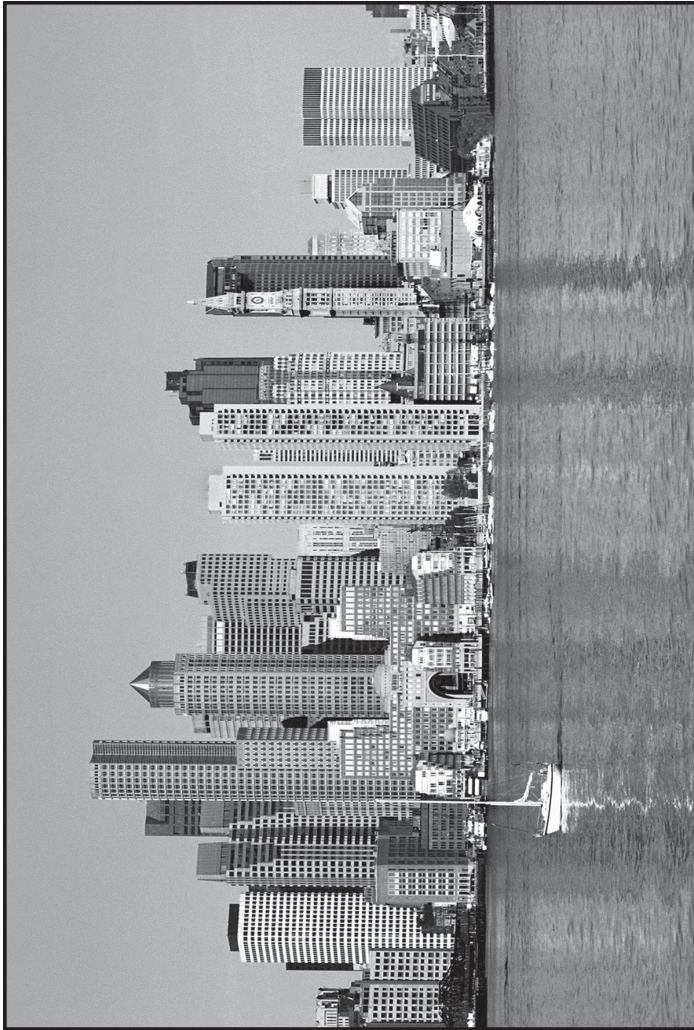




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**TUESDAY, JANUARY 8th, 2012**

*The Lantana, Randolph, MA*

### MAIN PROGRAM

**Panel Discussion for  
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### PANEL MEMBERS:

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### PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Plumbing 101 / Social Hour	5:00 – 6:00
Dinner	6:00 – 7:00
Chapter Business	7:00 – 7:30
Speaker / Technical Session	7:30 – 8:30

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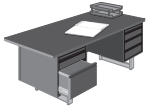
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# President's Report

Happy New Year! I certainly hope that the Holidays that passed have been filled with great memories.

2013 is a very special year to the Boston Chapter as it is the year in which we mark the founding of our Chapter 40 years ago. We are still blessed to have many Charter members in our community. Some of these distinguished people are still active or have maintained contacts with the Chapters. On behalf of the current Board of Directors I want to thank these distinguished gentlemen for organizing and starting this great Chapter!

2013 is also the year that we will hold our Biennial Product Show & Education Seminars. The date of the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be held at the Lantana, Randolph, MA. The committee is being formed and that means we will also be looking for volunteers to assist. Remember that the work of the Chapter and its event are based on the generosity of our talent from the membership. We also want to encourage your input; Do you have topic or would you like to present an education seminar? Please look for announcements as we get closer, but mark your calendar now!

One of the goals we are trying to achieve is the recruitment of younger members. This is something that we started a couple of years ago and it has been somewhat successful. There are still many younger professionals that could certainly benefit from the programs we have put in place. The core mission of ASPE is to promote a culture of professional development, specifically a person's technical expertise. By empowering younger members to join and become active members it is our hope that we can fulfill this core mission. The Chapter is very fortunate to have many senior members who are willing to share their knowledge and experience with others. We are hopeful that nobody takes this rare opportunity for granted.

I would also like to encourage any member that would like to share his or her talents to please contact me or any Board Member. Over the past year we have had many people step-up and we are truly grateful. We are always looking for newer technical information to share with our members. Remember that any information that comes thru the Chapter needs to be nonproprietary.

In closing, I would like to remind you that the January Chapter meeting will be held at the Lantana in Randolph, MA. So please join your fellow Plumbing Design Professionals for another great night out for education and socialization.

Sincerely, Rich Dean, CPD, President, Boston Chapter ASPE

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## New Chapter Members

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Patrick McAuliffe	Affiliate Member	Emerson Swan	Randolph, MA
Meghan Ratnam	Associate Member	J C Cannistraro	Watertown, MA
Kelly Quinn	Special Member	J C Cannistraro	Watertown, MA
Robert Martin	Special Member	J C Cannistraro	Watertown, MA
William Hardiman	Full Member	Jacobs	Boston, MA

## New Society Address

Please note that the ASPE headquarters mailing address has changed. It is now:  
ASPE (American Society of Plumbing Engineers)  
6400 Shafer Court, Suite 350  
Rosemont, IL 60018.

### Boston Chapter Receives Award of Merit to the right.

The Boston Chapter is proud to announce that it was the recipient of the *2012 Chapter Award of Merit* at the 2012 ASPE Convention held in Charlotte, NC. Rich Dean is shown in the ~~attached~~ photo being presented the award during the official awards ceremony. Presenting the award is Society President William Hughes. ~~(Picture to Right)~~



### Rick Neth Receives ASPE's Special Award of Recognition

The Boston Chapter is proud to announce that Rick Neth was the recipient of ASPE's *2012 Special Award of Recognition* at the 2012 ASPE Convention held in Charlotte, NC. Rick earned the award in part for his long time dedication to the Boston Chapter, Society as well as his unwavering efforts to successfully start ASPE's first Student Chapter which was chartered through the Wentworth Institute. (Picture to Left)

### Plumbing Installation Gone Awry

The following hotel guest room faucet installation photo was recently sent to me by a chapter member and I thought you'd like to see it. Feel free to submit your own installation gone awry photos. Starting this month, any member whose original photo is selected for reprint in our chapter newsletter will receive a \$10 Dunkin Donuts gift card. Names will be withheld upon request. (Picture to Right)

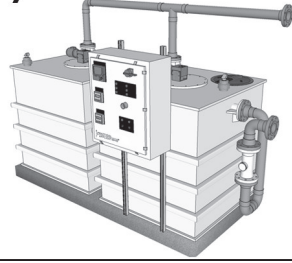


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In an effort to streamline the mailing of membership renewal invoices, ASPE renewal notices will no longer be mailed as of July 1, 2013. All renewal notices will be sent electronically, so to make sure we have your most current e-mail address on file, go to [www.aspe.org](http://www.aspe.org) to update your information.

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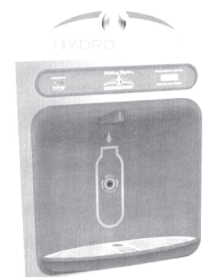
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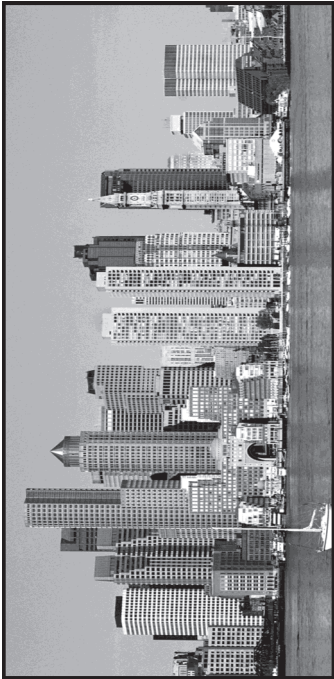
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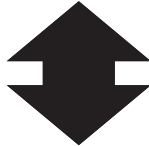
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