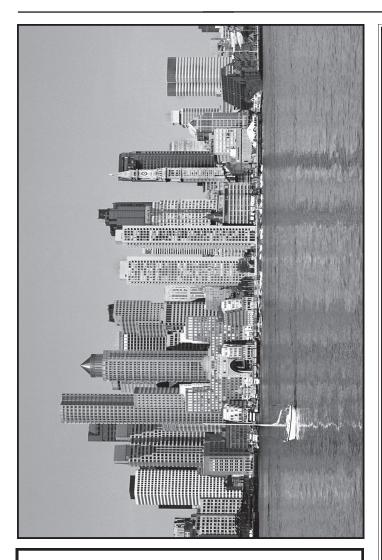


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Next Meeting

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 2013

The Chateau, Andover, MA

MAIN PROGRAM



SPEAKER

Greg Gyorda,
Director of Marketing Communications-Americas for
Watts Water Technologies, Inc

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

MENU

Appetizers, Salad and Choice of Chicken Roma, Broiled Shrimp & Sea Scallops or Steak Tips Cheesecake with Strawberry Topping

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President's Report

Greetings, I am hopeful that you are well. I can say that the board of directors has been very busy planning many events for the upcoming year. As I mentioned previously, this is our 40^{th} anniversary.

I am very pleased to announce that Frank Teebagy, PE, CPD, FASPE of Cosentini Associates and Patrick Mcauliffe of Emerson Swan will be the Product Show Co-chairs. Frank also holds the distinction of being one of our Chapter's Charter members. How appropriate as we celebrate our 40th Anniversary!

Frank and Patrick have already held a committee meeting. The critical decisions made at that meeting are the appointments of sub-committee chairpersons and time sensitive tasks. If you are interested in helping out please feel free to contact Frank or Patrick. Understand that this is the largest event that the chapter sponsors and requires the efforts of many to be successful.

The date of the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show in the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show in the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show in the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show in the Show in the Show is November 12, 2013. This year's Biennial Product Show and Seminars will be Show in the Show in

We are looking for presenters for our Plumbins have (12) plus Power Point Presentation. Having these templates e for the presenter. This is great opportunity to educate young members of our chapter but can also help you sharpen your own skills.

Please note that we will hold our chapter officer election this coming May. The election will take place during the meeting which is to be held at the Lantana in Randolph, MA. I am encouraged to report that there are a few people that have expressed interest in running for a certain chapter offices.

ave to announce the death of one of our own chapter members, Mr.

Rand Ackryod. Rand passed away unexpectedly from surgical complications on Saturday February 16, 2013. Rand was also the executive director of the Plumbing & Drainage Institute.

Light and just presented at our October 2012 Chapter meeting. He is survived by his wife Angie, his son Cuyler age 16. Please keep Rand's family in thoughts and prayers.

In closing, I would like to remind you that the March Chapter meeting will be held North of Boston at from Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the new Lead From Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the Indover MA. The topic is on the implementation of the implementation of the Indover MA. The top

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Technical Report



Restau indent or move at the Chateau ad, Andover MA on Tuesday, March 12, 2013. This month's meeting will prove to be another must at tend back to line above. and ping plumbing industry. On January 4th, 2014, the new "Notional Lead" Free Law" will take effect. This amendment to the Safe Drinking Water Act reduces the permissible levels of letters than or equal to 0.25 percent.

Members of the Get The Lead Out Plumbing Consortium will be providing Lead Free educational seminars throughout the year and this one is dedicated to the members of the ASPE Boston Chapter. This informational session for engineers, contractors and wholesalers and will detail the particulars of the new national Lead Free Law and it's impact on our.

The consortium was formed last November by the Plumbing, Heating, and Cooling Contractors National Association Educational Foundation to provide widespread education about the manufacture, distribution, and installation of Lead Free plumbing products. The group's educational efforts are a collaborative effort by all the participating members of the group, which currently includes:

Specifics, as well as Frequently Asked Questions and other educational resources, can be found on the group's website:

Watts Water Technologies

www.GetTheLeadOutPlumbing.com

Our speaker is Greg Gyorda, Director of Marketing Communications-Americas for Watts Water Technologies, Inc., headquartered in North Andover, MA. Watts Water has worldwide sales of over \$1.5 Billion Dollars and designs, manufactures, and sells an extensive line of valves and related flow control products to the Plumbing, Heating and Water Quality markets. Greg and his team are responsible for the development of all Marketing Communications programs for the brands of Watts Water Technologies including Ames, Febco, Dormont, Mueller, Orion, and Watts. Greg and his team are also responsible for the development of Watts' Lead Free messaging and educational tool set development. He represents the company on the National Get The Lead Out Educational Consortium which is now in the phase of industry education and readiness in anticipation of national compliance to the National "Reduction of Lead in Drinking Water Act" S.3874. Greg Gyorda has been with Watts since 1988 in several different capacities.

Over fifty members and guests attended our last meeting at the Chateau so please call your reservation in early. Please mark your calendar and join us for this very exciting seminar on the north shore.

By Kevin Lally, CPD, V.P. Technical, Boston Chapter ASPE



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Kurt Warren

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2013 Membership Renewal Pins

Any Boston Chapter member who renews their membership prior to their membership renewal date will receive an ASPE Membership Renewal pin. All Membership Renewal Pins will be given out before the monthly chapter meetings. Membership cards will be mailed to the individual member from the Society office as usual.

Plumbing 101 Class Meets Prior to Monthly Meeting

Members of the Boston Chapter are shown discussing natural gas pipe sizing and gas booster systems. As a reminder to our chapter members, the Plumbing 101 meetings being held at the Lantana prior to the monthly meetings are free of charge. In fact, younger members that attend can also attend the monthly Technical Dinner Meeting that night free of charge as well. That's a great deal if you've only been in this business a few years. Learn and earn CEU's as well as get a free meal while networking with your peers. Why aren't you attending?





February Guest Speaker

Members of the Boston Chapter listen intently as Pete Palladino from Highland Tank makes a point regarding the design of propane tank systems and the updated codes and standards requirements that engineers will need to comply with.

ASPE Is Going Paperless

In an effort to streamline the mailing of membership renewal invoices, ASPE renewal notices will no longer be mailed as of July 1. All renewal notices will be sent electronically, so make sure we have your current e-mail address on file. Log onto the ASPE website at http://aspe.org/user to verify (and update) your contact information on file with Society. Please verify online that your contact info is correct.

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Guardian Equipment Joins ASPE's CEU Provider Program

Guardian Equipment has joined ASPE's CEU Provider Program for 2013. Guardian Equipment is the innovative leader in the emergency eyewash and shower industry. By becoming an approved ASPE CEU Provider, Guardian Equipment joins a growing list of highly respected plumbing industry organizations that can issue ASPE continuing education units for their professional development programs to the more than 650 plumbing engineers and designers who hold the Certified in Plumbing Design (CPD) designation. Now eligible for the program is Guardian Equipment's education seminar: "Safety First! How to Specify Emergency Showers and Eyewashes." Contact your local Guardian Rep for more details.

(reprinted from the ASPE Pipeline)

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The Top Ten States for LEED Projects

The U.S. Green Building Council (USGBC) released its annual list of the top 10 states for new LEED certifications in 2012, highlighting those regions that are transforming buildings and communities across the country. Listed below are the top ten states plus the District of Columbia.

Rank	State	Projects certified in 2012	Square feet of LEED space certified in 2012	Per-capita square footage
1	District of Columbia	110	22,246,445	36.97
2	Virginia	170	29,709,574	3.71
3	Colorado	99	10,553,881	2.10
4	Massachusetts	106	13,395,597	2.05
5	Illinois	156	24,949,997	1.94
6	Maryland	127	10,954,324	1.90
7	New York	214	34,378,286	1.77
8	Washington	133	10,521,177	1.56
9	California	540	54,252,993	1.46
10	Texas	224	36,017,979	1.43
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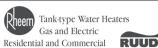
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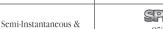
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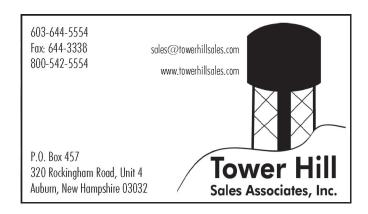
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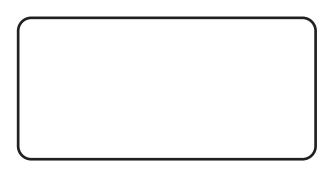


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