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MEETING NOTICE

WWW.LVASHRAE.ORG

Wednesday, May 16, 2012

**Joint ASHRAE/AIA/CSI Meeting / Tour
Cost \$10 Members/Non-Members**

at

**Arts Quest Center / SteelStacks
101 Founders Way
Bethlehem, PA 18015**

5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Happy Hour/ Hors d'oeuvres / Cash Bar
6:00 – 7:00 p.m. Presentation / VRF Systems
7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Tour of SteelStacks HVAC Systems

Reservations: Frank Paretti
Email: paretti.frank@gmail.com
Members & Guests \$10.00 for Happy Hour

Please make your reservations by Noon on, **Friday, May 11, 2012 for meeting.** Members can utilize Pay Pal online payment option on our website (www.lvahrae.org) for your RSVP.

Wednesday, May 16, 2012
Regular Meeting Joint AIA/CSI Tour

- I) **Presentation** (6 – 7 p.m.)
Variable Refrigerant Flow (VRF)
Tom Varga

Thomas Varga
Commercial Regional Sales Manager
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Tom Varga is a Commercial Regional Manager in the Northeast Zone for Mitsubishi Electric Cooling and Heating. His HVAC career began with Lennox Industries before joining Mitsubishi in 2007. For the last 5 years, his primary focus has been educating the architectural and engineering communities about City Multi – Mitsubishi's Variable Refrigerant Flow technology. With responsibility for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey, he has aided in the design of dozens of VRF systems – many of them in the Lehigh Valley. Tom has his Bachelor of Technology degree from the University of Dayton, Dayton, OH.

- II) **Tour** (7-8 p.m.) SteelStacks HVAC Systems

Introduction of SteelStacks: Michael Metzger,
Architect

Tour Guide: Marcel VanSpanje, H T Lyons, Inc.

Board of Governors Meeting Minutes
April 24, 2012

Officers Present:

Donovan Denlinger – President
Nicholas Kaintz – Secretary

Committee Chairs Present:

Matt Matsinko – Membership Promotion
Frank Paretto – Research Promotion
Erony Whyte Martin – CTTC
Bill Trach – Historian
Paul Kuhn – Student Activities

Board of Governors Present:

Bryan Sandt

Old Business:

Officer/Chair Reports

1. Membership Promotion
 - a. Reports distributed including delinquency, student delinquency and chapter change report.

New Business:

1. 2012 CRC:
 - a. Bryan Sandt has gathered information on Hotel Bethlehem and Sands Casino to be presented to ASHRAE.
 - b. Bryan Sandt mentioned a bus is available to take people from Hotel Bethlehem to the Sands so events could be held in both locations. A discussion ensued as to the merits and drawbacks of each location.
2. Open Positions:
 - a. President Elect – Nick Kaintz
 - b. Vice President – Ahmad Mahmud is taking a sabbatical for one-year. A discussion ensued as to if the position should remain vacant or if an interim Vice-President should be located.
 - c. Secretary – Erony Whyte Martin to consider the position.
 - d. An announcement will be in the newsletter for a "meet and greet" social gathering prior to next month's meeting.

Motion to adjourn: Donovan Denlinger

Second: Nick Kaintz

ASHRAE Golf Outing

Good day,

The golf outing is coming up fast and we on the board are hoping for a great event again this year. All proceeds from the event will go to ASHRAE research promotion. **Friday, June 1, 2012**, we will have our yearly golf outing and hope to see you there. If you haven't registered your foursome, spaces are filling fast. Contact Frank Paretti (610-704-2169) or Tom Serwatka (484-650-1024) to register your foursome.

As of April 30th, the chapter is ahead of the pace by 50% from last year and we are on pace to surpass goal again this year. Thanks to all of you for supporting ASHRAE Research Promotion this year.

The final May meeting will see us join up again with other local professional organizations, Eastern AIA and CSI of Allentown. Do consider joining the chapter in the tour this month on May 16th.

Thank you all for a wonder year of Lehigh Valley ASHRAE.

Frank Paretti
Research Promotion Chair

ASHRAE GOLF OUTING

Friday, June 1, 2012
TO BENEFIT ASHRAE RESEARCH

PLACE: GREEN POND COUNTRY CLUB, BETHLEHEM, PA.
TIME: SHOTGUN START AT 11:00 A.M. DINNER TO FOLLOW
FORMAT: 4-MAN SCRAMBLE
COST (per person): \$90.00 GOLF & DINNER
\$45.00 DINNER ONLY

GOLF INCLUDES GREENS FEE, CART, REFRESHMENTS (BEER & SODA), A HOT DOG AND A DRINK AFTER 9 HOLES AND PRIZES.

Hole Sponsorship will be \$125.00 per hole. Please contact Frank Paretti (610-704-2169) or Tom Serwatka (Cell: 484-650-1024) for details

COME ENJOY A FUN DAY WITH US!
RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE BY MAY 14, 2012

CONTACT: Frank Paretti at 610-704-2169 or email: paretti.frank@gmail.com to sign up

- NOTES:**
- Contact above if you can donate a golf prize.
 - Payment must be received by May 14, at:
Trane
c/o Gabe Badesso
5925 Tilghman St. W.
Suite 70
Allentown, PA 18104
 - Make checks payable to: ASHRAE – Lehigh Valley Chapter
 - Space is limited and on a first-come basis
 - **Payment must be received prior to tournament**



**LEHIGH VALLEY CHAPTER OF ASHRAE
2011-2012 MEETING SCHEDULE**

MONTH	TECHNICAL/DINNER PROGRAM	EVENT	PROGRAM CHAIR
Oct. 26 th	DOE Energy Innovation HUB Dr James Freihaut, PSU	Membership Promotion	Bill Trach
Nov. 30 th		Joint IFMA Meeting (AM Mtg)	
Dec.	No Meeting		
Jan 18 th	TC 9.9 – Data Center Efficiency Justin Mazur		
Feb. 22 rd	Health Care Design	Membership Promotion	Erony Whyte Martin
Mar. 14 th	Natural Ventilation Systems ASHRAE DL – Dr. Kishor Khankari	Research Promotion	Ahmad Mahmud
Apr. 19 th	ASHRAE - Dedicated Outdoor Air Webinar – 12:00 to 3:00 p.m. Copperhead Grille – Airport Rd.	A Path to Balanced Energy & IEQ	
Apr. 25 th	Intro to ASHRAE Standard 188P	Joint LV IFMA Meeting	Jeffery Yob
May 16 th	VRF Presentation	Joint AIA, CSI Meeting	
June 1st	Annual Golf Outing	Support of Research Promotion	