DATE: February 19, 2008

PLACE: L’Affaire
1099 Rt 22 E., Mountainside, NJ
908-232-4454

PROGRAM:
4:30 p.m. Executive Meeting
6:00 p.m. Networking
6:30 p.m. Dinner
7:30 p.m. Presentation

DINNER COST:
Members & Guests: $25.00
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Weldor vs. Welder
(There is a difference)

Speaker - Harry W. Ebert
Part-time Consulting Welding Engineer

While these two terms are often used interchangeably, we must pay attention how we treat the weldor (the person) and the welder (the machine). In this talk, the speaker will relate some of the observations he experienced.

Harry Ebert was a member of the first class to graduate with a Bachelor in Welding Engineering at Ohio State University. He also earned an MS from NCE (NJIT), a PE in several states, published a number of papers and was awarded with an AWS Fellowship. He worked for 50+ years before retiring from his final job as principal welding engineer supporting Exxon’s worldwide fabrication and QA activities. He also taught at Marietta College and retired as a Colonel from the US Army.
In Memorium

Leonard T. Detlor

Len Detlor (’95), an AWS member for over 60 years, died on August 8, 2007 in Bethany Beach, DE. After earning his BS in engineering from Kansas State University, he joined Humble Oil, which subsequently became Exxon. During his 45 years of service, he became the engineering specialist for the Inspection Section of Exxon Research & Engineering with primary involvement in the quality control of welds. Since he showed an early interest in the nondestructive testing of welds, he served as an active contributor to Section V (Nondestructive Examination) of ASME’s Boiler & Pressure Vessel Code. He also was an important instructor and highly respected mentor of the next generation of Exxon inspectors. During WWII, he served as an Army Corps of Engineers officer in the Pacific and reached the rank of Major. Back in NJ, he was actively involved with the local AWS Section, and chaired the NJ Section twice. Len was also a very active participant in the support of local charitable, family and community activities. All of us will miss Len’s outstanding tutelage using his vast engineering and inspection experience.

Submitted by: Harry W. Ebert

Chairman’s Message

“The question is not whether we can afford to invest in every child, it is whether we can afford not to.” Marion Wright Edelman

Steven DeFillipps Jr., Section Chairman, SOS Gases, Inc.
Welcome
New Members

The New Jersey Section welcomes the following new members:

Jordan W. Adams
Richard Collins
M. Enver, *Paragon Associates*
John Farrell
Charlie Fitzpatrick
Arthur Heyward
Roger Hornberger
Paul Kamage, *Brodie Systems*
Paul Lenox, *Airgas East*
Nichola Lloyd, *Brodie Systems*
Abdur-Rahiym Neequaye
Harry Rosario, *Welding Solution Group*
Eugene Takhtovich
Simon Walker

We’re looking forward to seeing you at the meetings.

Member Awards

These AWS NJ Section members will be recognized for their achievements at the February 19th meeting:

**Section Meritorious Award:**
Seann Bradley, *The Lincoln Electric Co.*
Alfred Fleury, *A. F. Fleury Associates*
Dr, Fred Winsor, *Consultant*
Robert Wlazlowski, *Welco/CGI*

**Section Educator Award**
George Sheehan, *Union County Vo-Tech*

**Section CWI Award**
James Dolan, *Dolan Associates*

**District Educator Award**
Donald Smith, *Somerset County Vo-Tech*

**District Private Sector Educator Award**
Sean Mitchell, *HoHoKus School of Trade*

**August F. Manz Speaker of the Year**
Jeff Wiswesser, *Welder Training & Testing Inst*

Welding Codes Seminar

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George Sheehan, AWS NJ Section
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