Welding Codes

Speaker: Pat Dorris, Welder Training and Testing Institute

There are many codes and specifications that relate to welding. In order to properly understand these codes, an inspector must be familiar with the individual requirements and acceptance standards. This talk will cover the three most commonly referenced welding codes: AWS D1.1, ASME IX, and API 1104. Similarities and differences of procedure and welder qualifications and visual inspection requirements will be covered within the presentation.

Pat Dorris is the Director at Welder Training and Testing Institute. Pat has been with WTTI since 1977; and oversees the programs offered at the facility, as well as develops the custom training programs offered to fabricators, mechanical contractors, utility companies, etc.

Pat had previously worked for General Dynamics/Electric Boat Division in Groton, Connecticut. Pat is an AWS Certified Welding Inspector and a Level III NDT Inspector.

Note: This program qualifies for professional development hours and one hour will be awarded to attendees.
Chairman’s Message

As part of the ongoing effort to improve the quality of our programs, we are pleased to announce that the program for the November meeting will be a lecture on "Welding Codes." Speakers from Welder Training and Testing Institute - WTTI - will present a program covering the basic information in the AWS, ASME, and API 1104 codes.

This program qualifies for professional development hours and one hour will be awarded to attendees.

It would be beneficial to the NJ Section if all members would pass this information on to nonmembers.

Our plans are to expand this into a series of seminars, depending on the level of interest shown.

November is the last meeting before the holidays, so on behalf of the New Jersey Section, we wish you a safe and happy holiday season.

James Dolan CPS/CWI, Dolan Associates
AWS NJ Section Chairman

P.S. Those of you in sales and inspection can help here by contacting your clients and making them aware of the November program - that way we are not preaching to the choir - there are always people with code questions!

Keep your info current

Be sure that your membership information is current and complete at AWS headquarters. Please add your email address and make any necessary updates to your phone number, address, employer, etc. so that you can continue to stay informed about AWS NJ Section meetings, programs and other activities.

Mail AWS NJ Section correspondence to: AWS NJ Section, c/o Jim Dolan, 169 Clover Hill Rd., Millington, NJ 07946
Welcome Members

The AWS NJ Section welcomes the following new members:

Keith Anderson
Dale G. Bao-Angan
Kaleshwar Bedessie
Pjeter Berishaj, Tempil
Janis Blakesley
Jesse M. Chesson
Kerick R. Cumberbatch
Vincent DeLhery, Durr Mechanical Const.
Timothy Dickson
Michael Esposito
Fai Kam
Gibran Sawab
Steven Tarnow, PSEG
Greg Turi, Chameleon Design Solution
Richard Wenger
John Wilkos, Maltese Iron Works

We look forward to seeing you. The first dinner meeting that a new member attends is complimentary.

Exhibitors Invited

Manufacturers Night
March 15, 2011

The AWS NJ Section will present its popular Manufacturers Night — a local display of the latest in machinery, equipment, technology, materials and services — earlier than usual this season. Plans are underway and it looks to be a terrific evening.

Manufacturers Night is not just for manufacturers. It provides a great promotional opportunity for area providers of all types of products, equipment, materials and services that are used in welding and related industries.

In order to present members with the best possible array, the NJ Section provides exhibitors with display tables free of charge. Space availability is on a first-come, first-served basis, so be sure to reserve your table as soon as possible.

A complete list of exhibitors and their products/services will be published in advance of the meeting.

If your company would like to participate, please contact Al Fleury, email: alnpat1@gmail.com.

New “Careers in Welding” Site

In collaboration with the National Center for Welding Education and Training (Weld-Ed), the American Welding Society (AWS), an ANSI member and accredited standards developer, has launched a new web site that details careers in the welding industry.

The web site, aimed at informing students, parents, educators, counselors and professionals, provides profiles of people in the welding industry, salary information, industry news, company profiles and more.

To learn more, visit the site at: www.careersinwelding.com
**Calendar**

AWS NJ Section Meetings are held on the third Tuesday of alternate months at: Pantagis Renaissance/Snuffy’s Clambar, 250 Park Ave., Scotch Plains, NJ unless otherwise posted. Come as you are. Guests welcome. Dinner optional. Arrive by 7:30pm for program portion only.

**November 16, 2010  6:00pm**
AWS NJ Section Meeting
Welding Codes
Pat Dorris, WTTI

**January 18, 2011  6:00pm**
AWS NJ Section Meeting
Topic/Speaker TBA

**March 15, 2011  6:00pm**
AWS Meeting
Manufacturers Night
Topic/Speaker TBA

**May 17, 2011  6:00pm**
AWS NJ Section Annual Meeting
Student Recognition Night/
Skills USA Awards
Election/Installation of Officers
Somerset County Voc-Tech
Bridgewater, NJ

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**Best wishes for a healthy & happy holiday season!**