

January/February 2011

MEETING: January 18, 2011

LOCATION:

Pantagis Renaissance/ Snuffy's Clambar 250 Park Ave. (at Mountain Ave) Scotch Plains, NJ 07076 908-322-7726 www.snuffypantagis.com

PROGRAM:

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

DINNER COST: (dinner optional arrive by 7:15 for program only)
Members & Guests: \$25.00
Students: \$15.00

Visit the New Jersey Section website at:

www.aws.org/sections/newjersey

January 18th: Member Awards Night (see page 3)

Pulse Welding of Stainless Steel and Carbon Steel Piping for ASME Requirements

Speaker: Wyatt Mann, Sales Engineer
The Lincoln Electric Co., Inc.

This presentation will feature the benefits of pulse welding for carbon and stainless steel pipe, along with typical equipment needed, wires and gases to use, and the necessary ASME requirements. Pulse welding has many benefits including out of position work, and is almost always recommended in cost reductions.

** Lincoln Electric has donated a NEW VIKING AUTODARKENING HELMET that will be raffled off at the January meeting **

Wyatt Mann has worked for Lincoln Electric for 4 1/2 years now and has been participating in the New Jersey AWS chapter for almost 4 years. He has held the Technical Representative position and the Program Chair position as well as being a member of the Executive Committee.

NOTE: This program qualifies for professional development hours. One hour will be awarded to attendees

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Chairman's Message

Welcome back after the Holidays!

We start off the new year with an interesting program. The subject for the January 18th meeting will be pulsed welding of piping systems. This program will qualify for professional development hours, so for all persons needing to re-certify, this is a low cost way to accumulate the necessary hours.

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

Once again I ask all members of the New Jersey Section to try to find the time to come out to the meetings and participate in our activities. Presently, some 3% of the membership is carrying the entire workload. The first Professional Development Seminar at the November 16, 2010 meeting was successful and resulted in the best turnout we have had in recent years. Thank you for your support and participation.

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

CWI/CWE Report

Forty people sat for the Certified Welding Inspector/Educator exam on 11/3 in Newark, NJ. Eighteen had attended the Seminar that had been presented during the week prior.

NJ Section thanks to Eric Dolan, Jim Dolan and Al Fleury for serving as proctors.

The next CWI/CWE Seminar will be held October 16-21, 2011 with an exam on October 22nd. The application deadline is September 12, 2011.

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

Member Awards

Each year the American Welding Society acknowledges members who have made significant contributions to the advancement of the art and science of welding, to welding education, to enhancing public awareness and opinion about welding, etc. in their respective fields.

The following AWS NJ Section members will be recognized at the January 18th meeting:

District Meritorious Award

Wyatt Mann

The Lincoln Electric Co.

District Educator Public Sector Award

George Sheehan Union County Vocational-Technical School

District Educator Private Sector Award

Michael Vogt UA Plumbers Local #24 NJ

Manufacturers Night Exhibitors - Register Now!

March 15, 2011 at Pantagis Renaissance/Snuffy's

Now is the time to sign up for a table at our annual Manufacturers Night" on March 15, 2011 at Pantagis. The event has been scheduled a little early this year to avoid any conflict with other events.

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

As in the past, an eight foot display table is FREE on a first-come, first served basis. Please call now to reserve yours.

Set up will start at 3:30pm. Dinner cost is \$25 per person.

Contact Al Fleury by email: alnpat@optonline.net or phone: 732-356-3867

District Certified Welding Inspector Award

Winston Sturge
DCM Erectors/MRO Steel

Section Meritorious Award

Steve Dagnall, *AGL Welding Supply Co., Inc.*

The NJ Section acknowledges these members and thanks them for their past service and continuing contributions to the welding industry.

Welding Related Sites

Dan Roskiewich brought these two sites to our attention. Thanks Dan.

www.weldingtipsandtricks.com

www.3M.com/welding safety

If you know of sites that would be interesting or helpful, send the URL to: grillonpkg@comcast.net and we'll publish them here.

Jump in to Action

The AWS New Jersey Section is looking for a few new people to expand the team of Officers, Executive and Standing Committees.

This is a great opportunity to work with welding industry professionals and see your ideas put into action, You can also gain valuable managerial and leadership experience that will assist in your career.

Nominations for officers for the 2011-12 season are currently being solicited. Members are encouraged to step forward.

If interested, speak with any of the officers at a meeting; or come to the Executive meeting held at 4:30pm on the same day as the regular meeting.

Your input, comments and suggestions for projects and activities are also welcome, so come out to a meeting and share your ideas.

Come as You Are

Please don't be concerned if your clothes or boots aren't clean after working the day of the Section meeting. The AWS knows first-hand that performing welding, cutting and related operations is often a dirty business. You are always welcome to just come as you are to take full advantage of all the benefits.

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