



NEWSLETTER

INFORMATION & NEWS FROM ASHRAE

OTTAWA VALLEY CHAPTER

MARCH, 1985

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P.O. Box 3123 Stationn' Crol Ottawa, Ontario K1Y 4J4

MEETING

Date:

March 19, 1985

Time:

5:30 - Technical Discussion

6:00 - Social

6:30 - 8:00 - Dinner

8:00 p.m. - Program

Place:

Cathay House Restaurant

228 Albert St. (upstairs)

PROGRAM

Helping Our Diplomats Keep Their Cool

John McKay, Mechanical Engineer and ASHRAE member with the Maintenance and Professional Services Division of the Department of External Affairs will be our March speaker. For those of us who think we have problems keeping buildings operating efficiently in this country, come and hear what it's like when the buildings are scattered all over the globe.

TECHNICAL SESSION

This month the video tape "Forgotten Fundamentals of the Energy Crisis" will be shown. This 25 minute presentation by Albert A. Bartlett, Professor of Physics at the University of Colorado, will begin at 5:30 p.m. PRESIDENT'S

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

As you are well aware, there are only three more months of this ASHRAE year left, each filled with many important events, organized on your behalf by the numerous committee members. I am pleased to report that to date all the committees have performed admirably as has been the tradition in the Ottawa Valley Chapter.

With only three short months to go, your President-elect, Gabriel Laszlo, is already forming a list of next year's Committee Chairmen. If you are planning to continue supporting our Chapter, and have extra time please consider heading a committee of your choice. You will find it very rewarding.

Frank Vaculik.

ASHRAE CURLING

The 1985 Annual ASHRAE Curling Bonspiel will be held Friday, March 29th at the Rideau Curling Club, 715 Cooper Street in Ottawa.

Curling and dinner are \$25.00 per person, dinner only is \$15.00 per person.

We are limited to 40 curlers so book your rinks as early as possible. Call Ted Horricks at 728-1991 or George Carscallen at 727-5111 for tickets or information, or to offer prizes.

OTTAWA SPRING HOME SHOW

Our Chapter was invited to return to the Ottawa Spring Home Show after last year's successful ASHRAE exhibit. Bruce Findlay will demonstrate computerized energy saving calculations for homeowners. The Chapter will also provide speakers, video shows and information pamphlets. The Energy Management Committee is looking for two volunteers for each hour to represent ASHRAE at our booth.

Thurs. Apr. 4
Fri. Apr. 5
Sat. Apr. 6
Sun. Apr. 7
Mon. Apr. 8

3 p.m. - 10 p.m. (filled)
11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
11 a.m. - 10 p.m.
11 a.m. - 6 p.m.
11 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Please contact Jack Parish at 593-7980 with your choice. All volunteers will gain free admission to the Show and parking at the Civic Centre is free, too.

KEEPING IT UNDER CONTROL

Do you have problems with overheating or overcooling? Then the April Professional Development Seminar on Automatic Temperature Controls for Energy/Cost Effectiveness is a must. It will be held here in Ottawa, on April 22-23. For more information, look for the insert at page 128 of the January 1985 ASHRAE Journal or contact P. Sauer, 224-9649.

STAY AT HOME

Stay at home and take an ACES home study course. Course modules are now available in "HVAC & R and Heat Recovery", "Fluid-Handling Equipment" and "Refrigerating Equipment". For more information on these courses, check page 162 in the January 1985 ASHRAE Journal.

ADVANCE NOTICE

Our Chapter will be hosting the CRC (Chapters Regional Conference on 15-17 May 1985. Since most activities will be open to the general ASHRAE membeship, the CRC presents a great opportunity to understand first hand how ASHRAE operates at the Regional and Society levels. The most interesting events occur on the Thursday, during both the day and evening. We expect you to join us during the day for the workshops and technical sessions and at night, with your spouse, for the gala evening. Mark it on your calendar now.

G. Carscallen CRC Organizing Committee Chairman.

ASHRAE RESEARCH

Everyone involved in the heating, ventilating, refrigerating and air-conditioning fields benefits from ASHRAE-sponsored research. This research is made possible by the support of individuals, chapters, companies and other industry organizations.

All funds collected in Canada are spent here on ASHRAE research projects, and since more money is spent on Canadian research than we collect, the Society is sponsoring part of our projects.

Our goal this year is \$9500.00. Please contribute generously to ASHRAE research in order to reach our goal.

J. Lunde Research Committee Chairman.

NEW MEMBERS

Since last summer we have had over 40 applicants seeking membership in ASHRAE. A hearty welcome is extended to our most recent additions:

Robert Biro - Black & McDonald Ltd.
Merrill Burmeister - MCC Powers Mark Controls Ltd.
Norman Chaffee - Black & McDonald Ltd.
George Hollinworth - ARBOR Control Engineering Ltd.
Chris Hughes - Canadian Blower Canada Pump Ltd.
George Laschewski - Everest Engineering
Keith Marble - Flakt Canada Ltd.
Dennis O'Connor - Denoco Energy Systems Ltd.
Boris Pavlakovic - Everest Engineering
Lawrence Risper - Health and Welfare Canada
John Vantour - Canada Post Corporation

NEXT YEAR'S BOARD OF GOVERNORS

The Nominating Committee has been busy preparing a list of nominees for next year's Board of Governors. If you know someone whom you feel should be nominated call Dalton McIntyre (990-6924) or any other committee member (refer to your previous newsletters) and they will be pleased to provide you with the necessary information.

Frank Vaculik Chapter President.

BUILDING OWNER'S AND MANAGER'S ASSOCIATION

The next BOMA meeting will be held at 12 noon April 9, 1985.

Place:

Embassy West Motor Hotel

1400 Carling Avenue

Topic:

Retrofit of Gas Fired Furnaces

for Energy Conservation

Speaker:

Tom Hinke

Cost:

\$11.00

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

The Committee has prepared a comprehensive message to the Chapters. This message will be presented to our chapter during April's meeting.

The Committee has also begun to organize meetings between the Society President and several key government officials. These meetings are expected to take place on 15 May 1985, before the opening session of the CRC.

F. Vaculik CGAC Member.

NOTICES

Anyone wishing to submit a notice of interest to the ASHRAE Newsletter, please contact

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or

Paul Baker (225-8040).