



THREE RIVERS CHAPTER ASSE MAY EDITION 2015 NEWSLETTER

**It's been a great chapter year,
and next year promises to be even better!**

**The things you do for yourself are gone when you are gone,
but the things you do for others remain as your legacy.**

~Kalu Ndukwe Kalu

We are well on the way planning our 2015-16 calendar of meetings. Here is a tentative list of the topics and dates being planned.

Date	Time	Topic
10/9/15	11:30 AM	Defensive Driver
11/13/15	11:30 AM	New ISO Standard for Safety
		Student Presentations
12/11/15	TBA	Volunteer at Northern IL Food Bank
1/8/16	11:30 AM	WC Update
2/12/16	11:30 AM	OSHA Update
3/11/16	11:30 AM	Ergo
4/8/16	11:30 AM	Dealing with Agency PET in a Disaster
		Plan B? GHS or NEC
5/13/16	11:30 AM	Round Table
September		2015 EHS Golf Outing
September		Chicagoland Conference
		Wise Event?

Watch for more news during the summer.

In April our Chapter elections were held. Congratulations to all of you.

Position	New Officer
Chapter President	Greg W Meyer, CSP
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Chapter Miscellaneous Positions -	
Outreach Coordinator	Scot Salzman
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Chapter Public Relations	Anthony A Edeh, CSP

Also at our April 10th Chapter meeting:

Disaster Preparedness for Businesses

Could your company restore operations and continue to service their customers due to a temporary or permanent facility outage? Is there adequate planning and preparation to effectively handle different types of major emergencies? Those who attended heard from the DuPage Homeland Security and Emergency Management office to learn about disaster planning and business continuity planning.

Speaker: John Nebl, External Affairs Coordinator DuPage County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, a recently retired as a Sergeant from the Schaumburg Police Department, spoke about

- the importance of having a disaster response plan,
- The key components to have in a business continuity plans, and
- The most common emergencies business should prepare for



APRIL was a busy month. We also handed out service awards for those present:



Thomas Hogue, CSP, CUSA



Michael Fagel, PhD., CEM



Pat Genovese, CSP, CHS-II

In April, one of our chapter leadership joined others from our ASSE region for a meeting to discuss issues and opportunities. Can you pick out Brenda Allard?



**Did you enjoy the 2014 golf outing?
Save the date September 25 for 2015!**

Keeping in touch with Three Rivers Chapter

- Go to our NEW LINKEDIN Site, this member benefit is restricted to members to protect your privacy while providing the broadest possible benefit.
Go to www.linkedin.com, create a profile and email ThreeRivers.ASSE@gmail.com to officially join.
- LIKE us at our NEW Facebook page:

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/ASSE-Three-Rivers-Chapter/251391814903691>

ARE YOU ON THE MOVE?

Let us know, and be sure to Update Your Personal Information.

To update your mailing address, phone, fax, or most importantly, your e-mail address, please go to the following link: www.asse.org. Click in the upper left hand corner on "Address Change." Log-in using your member number and your last name.

Volunteering has many benefits, such as building and practicing leadership skills, networking with colleagues and of course, having fun. There is still time to volunteer in our Chapter. We welcome your questions. Please refer to our website for more information. I hope to see you at our upcoming events.

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The Three Rivers Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers offers sponsorship options to help your organization reach the safety, health, and environmental professionals in the Chicagoland area. With more than 300 local chapter members in EHS field, we offer

sponsors a way to directly target the people that buy their products and services. Your support enables the Three Rivers Chapter to provide assistance to develop our chapter members in the field of environmental, health and safety

What's In It for You?

- Exposure to the community of EHS professionals in our area
- Demonstrate your commitment to the development of the EHS profession
 - Align your organization with a specific topic or safety event
 - Expand your base of professional contacts
- Reinforce your presence to a dedicated group of EHS professionals
- Direct target marketing your company's products or services

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I have been the newsletter editor for a couple of years and have enjoyed it very much. In past years I would follow our May edition with one mid-summer confirming things to come in the fall. That job goes to a new editor, Angela Aparicio. I won't be gone, just filling other roles. Angela has been active in many chapter roles in the past, and I'm sure she will do a great job.

Please make her welcome.

Regards, Scot Salzman

THANK YOU TO OUR 2014-15 Board Members

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