
FLUE PIPE

American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air Conditioning Engineers, Inc.
Shreveport Chapter

April 2007

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We had a wonderful time at the CRC Meeting in Oklahoma City. Shreveport was well represented. Kurt Lyles and Mike Middleton did a great job getting everyone excited about next year's CRC in Shreveport. Everyone in the chapter will have an opportunity to help out in this once in a decade event.

Please come to the meeting on Wednesday and see where the future might take us. We will be evaluating a program from Captain Shreve to see if we can get some industry interest into students at a young age. It might be a great way to invest and see the rewards locally.

I look forward to seeing you there!

Nathan Wilemon
President



MEETING FACTS

DATE: **Wednesday**
April 18, 2007

PLACE: University Club
401 Market Street
Shreveport, Louisiana

TIME: 11:30 a.m. - Lunch
12:00 p.m. - Program

PROGRAM: "Engineering Magnet
Program at Captain Shreve"

SPEAKER: Ms. Robin DeBusk
Assistant Principal

COST: \$18.00/Person

There will be prizes raffled off to help the CRC Fund. The Shreveport Chapter will host CRC in April 2008.

Parking available across the street in the parking garage. Parking is free if you bring your stub to be validated.

TREASURER'S REPORT

HISTORY

Statement of Accounts	Feb. 28, 2007	Mar. 31, 2007
Mutual Fund (Ed Jones)	\$ 16,685.00	\$ 17,190.00
Savings Account	\$ 621.05	\$ 621.10
Checking Account	\$ 1,115.52	\$ 874.52
G.T. Account	\$ 5,881.22	\$ 5,881.22
CRC '08 Checking Account	\$ 2,917.58	\$ 2,942.58
Total Account Balance	\$ 27,220.37	\$ 27,509.60

Statement of Income

Income:

Dues	\$ 120.00
Meals	\$ 36.00
Golf Tourn.	\$ 0.00
ASHRAE Research	\$ 0.00
Misc.	\$ -
Other	\$ -
Total:	\$ 186.00

Expenses:

Golf Tourney.	\$ 0.00
Meeting/Meals	\$ 247.00
ASHRAE Research	\$ 0.00
Newsletter –Sept.	\$ 85.00
Web Site	\$ 65.00
Student Chp. Exp	\$ 0.00
Misc.	\$ 16.60
Total:	\$ 413.60

Net Income (Loss): \$ (227.60)

Interest Income from Savings in 2006 \$00.65

Interest Income from Savings in 2007 \$00.10

Submitted by Gary Patrick, Treasurer

A BACKWARD GLANCE

Region VIII History

Dee Noonan

Regional Historian

Well, history once again shows us that we are never too old to learn, never have seen everything, never really know it all. And why should we? What fun would life be if there were never any surprises?

In spite of what the gloom and doom people say about global warming it snowed all over our neighbor Texas last weekend (Easter Sunday weekend, April 8th, 2007. Write it down and remember it.)

We know, we know, that sort of thing is caused by global warming. (If that isn't some kind of joke Mother Nature plays on folks then there never was one.)

Now the history lesson is that even when "experts" are telling you one thing is happening, the exact opposite might happen and it will all fall under the label of normal, to be expected, I told you it was going to happen kind of stuff.

But enough about that; History in our chapter is about bigger and better things.

The bigger and better thing this month is that ASHRAE is looking for "a few good men", just like the Marines, and elections are in the air. It is not too late for you to throw your hat in the ring for a chapter office or to ask to be a committee chairman or committee member. You will be doing your chapter a big service and I am sure you will get a "warm and fuzzy" out of it yourself some day. (I know I certainly have.)

So, how many of you guys can remember something from the year that Dee Noonan served as President of our Chapter? (It has only been ten years.)

How many of you guys can remember how many time our chapter has won Golden Gavel. (It is two and both Bob Sieve (late 60's) and Kurt Lyles (mid 90's) should really be proud of that.)

How many father/sons have been President of our chapter. (Three generations of Fitzgerald's and the Angle's come to mind.)

(This is sort of like playing "Who wants to be a Millionaire" isn't it.)

Okay, for \$500, who is the only woman to be President of our chapter? Nancy Simonton, correct.

Now for \$1,000 Which of these individuals was not president of our chapter: Bill Hamm, Ralph Segal, Bud Storer, or George Jambor. (You may have to get that one answered later, because it is time to cut for a commercial.)

See me at the next meeting and I will give you the answer.

The officers, board of governors, and committee chairmen for 2005-2006 are listed below.
Call with your ideas and suggestions.

We encourage your support!

OFFICERS

President	Nathan Wilemont	459-1643
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Mike Middleton	221-8634
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Jim Watts	869-3262

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

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