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MARCH MEETING

3.3.2021

REGISTER

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PROGRAM SPEAKER: Pam Duffy

Joint Session with Central Oklahoma Chapter

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March 2021 Edition

by: Drew Grant



Chapter Members, greetings! I hope this edition of the March Newsletter finds you well after a couple of crazy Winter Storm Events that last over a week. The Central Arkansas area looked like a winter wonderland as it saw records set with significant snowfall across the region with some areas recording as much as 20" of snow. One week of that has me looking forward to warm temperatures and sunshine, and I'm sure most of you can agree with that.

March looks to be promising with a warm up as well as our local ASHRAE Chapter as we gear towards the Spring Season.

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Stephen Eoff - Reception
Hunter Brock, ECC



Our program speaker for the March Meeting is ASHRAE Distinguished Lecturer, Pam Duffy. Pam is a professional engineer and works as a marketing, education, and business consultant for HVAC businesses. For the March Meeting, Pam will be presenting on a relative topic named, "Productive from Anywhere: Practical Tips to Get Stuff Done". Given the current workplace circumstances and the awesome feedback from Pam's past presentations, we're sure this event will provide great value to the attendees.

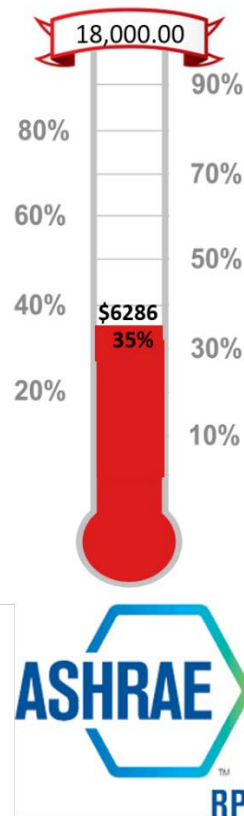
In our most recent event, we had a Research Promotion Fundraiser that was success. We partnered with Tacos 4 Life for lunch and Dinner on Feb 23rd in hopes of raising funds that goes toward RP. Tacos 4 Life was grateful to partner with us and will be kicking back 20% of the total proceeds. We hope to hear the dollar amount raised soon.



Steve McConnell
RP Chair

Thank you for your support of the AR ASHRAE Chapter by helping us reach our 18K goal this calendar year.

For more information on how to partner with us, email me: smcconnell@lemvrw.com.



Our next event coming up this year is the Trap Shoot. This event has grown every year that we have offered it.

Ron McCarty, part of the Social Committee has done a great job putting this event together for us.

Whether you are a seasoned veteran, just needing some target practice, or a first timer, come join at this great event!

Check out the Arkansas ASHRAE Chapter webpage to get your team registered today or click the image below! For more information or details, reach out to Ron and he can address those needs or concerns.



CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) RESPONSE RESOURCES FROM ASHRAE AND OTHERS.



- Kim Koch, Chair
- Randy Moore, Member
- Steve McConnell, Member
- Ron McCarty, Member
- Bill Simpson, Member

ARKANSAS ASHRAE RP CAMPAIGN TRAP SHOOT

ASHRAE TOURNAMENT
March 12, 2021
12pm-3pm



Ammo and Awards Sponsored By:



Lunch provided by



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The Arkansas Game and Fish Foundation
Shooting Sports Complex
2800 Graham Road
Jacksonville, AR 72076
(501) 241-2441



ASHRAE Golf is coming soon again. Josh Robinson, Social Chair, Along with Nick Moore and Hunter Brock have started planning! We will be having the Spring Tournament scheduled for May 21st at Rebsamen Golf Course in Little Rock, 5/21.

Tee Time will be 8:30am. If you are planning on being a Sponsor of the Tournament this year, signs will be made for the holes you sponsor.

Let's go ahead and get this on your calendar! Start planning for your teams!



CRC ANNOUNCEMENT



Chapter Regional Conference
Virtual, April 22-24

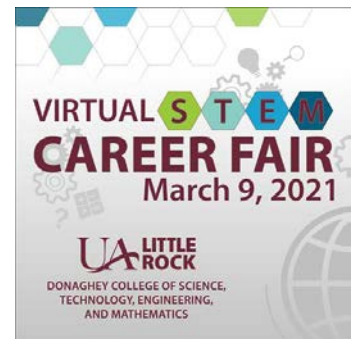


The late Ray Arledge memorial fund has been established and is in hopes of finding a couple of candidates through engineering programs from ATU, ASU, & UALR to receive a substantial scholarship. The fund has now been increased to 9,000. (2) Student will split the money and be the lucky winners of these scholarships. Scholarships will be reviewed over the summer and the Arledge Family will plan to present in the fall to the winning candidates.

applications for review.

Our Student Activities Chair led by Daniel Nehus is working hard to make sure to get this distributed to our Engineering Professors and collecting the

The University Arkansas Little Rock is hosting a Virtual Stem Fair Event on March 9th. The Arkansas Chapter will be participating in this event by engaging with current and future Engineering students about the benefits of being part of our great Arkansas Chapter ASHRAE.



Engineers, we need your help on an opportunity to work with Arkansas Tech Students on some basic Revit training, let me, Daniel Nehus, know if you would be interested in some short ZOOM Classroom discussion with Dr. Helmer and his 38 HVAC Students.

2020-2021 CHAPTER MEETING CALENDAR

Month	Meeting Date	Technical Session (Speaker/Topic)	Meeting Topic	Presenter
September Meeting	9/2/2020		Presidential Address	Chuck Gulledge (Society President)
October Meeting	10/7/2020		Optimizing Chiller Efficiencies	Brett Monteleone (Johnson Controls)
November Meeting	11/11/2020	Clayton Kinley - The Importance of Proper Control Valve Selection	Bi-polar Ionization	Michael S. Sherber, PE
December Meeting	12/2/2020	Sam Cummings - "Arkansas ASHRAE History - Founding of Our Chapter"	Condenser Water System Optimization and Operation	Justin Wieman
January Meeting	1/6/2021	Cat Vogt - Know Your Way Around a Psychrometric Chart	Acoustics and Noise Control	Mark Fly
February Meeting	2/3/2021	Jim Monk - Arkansas ASHRAE History - 90's & 2000's	Airflow Control for Critical Environments	Triatek
March Meeting	3/11/2021	Chris Galloway, PE - Metering for HVAC Applications	Productivity From Anywhere	Pam Duffy
April Meeting	4/1/2021	Clayton Kinley - Advantages of Integrating VRF / BAS	VRF Panel	Multiple Representatives
May Meeting	5/6/2021		Past Presidents' Night	TBD