

**MONTHLY NEWSLETTER - September 2017** 

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A Newsletter for the Iowa Chapter of ASHRAE

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# ASHRAE lowa Chapter

2017 Fall Frolic ASHRAE Golf Outing "Shotgun Start"



When: 1:00 PM Thursday September 14, 2017

Where: Legacy Golf Club

400 Legacy Parkway (See Map on Back)

Norwalk, IA 50211

\$65.00 for 18 Holes and Half a Cart Costs: Golf:

> Dinner: \$35.00 Dinner

Dinner & Golf: \$100.00 Total \$5,00 Mulligans

www.thelegacygolfclub.com

(Limit 4 mulligans per player)

Dinner will follow immediately after golf

515-287-7885

Send payment to: (Please make Checks payable to ASHRAE lowa Chapter)

Jeff Hammer by Thursday September 7, 2017

Mail to: Hart-Hammer, Inc.

SEE ONLINE 529 Elm Street

West Des Moines, Iowa 50265

Attn: Jeff Hammer Phone - (515) 277-6305 Fax - (515) 277-3069

Jhammer@HartHammer.com

Soft spikes are required on this course Cash Bar the entire event 1st Place Individual Trophies

1st Place Traveling Trophy Pin Events / Betting Hole

Door Prizes - Don't Forget to Sponsor

**DRESS CODE - See reverse** 

## Registering On-Line:

Registration for this event is required on-line. You can sponsor the event, enter all of your teammates and get your mulligans all set up prior to the event. Payment is fast and secure using PayPal or we can accept checks. Please have all payments in for the event no later than the registration deadline or your spot may be given to someone else.

## www.ashraeiowa.org



## Sponsorships and Door Prizes

Proceeds will go to ASHRAE RESEARCH PROMOTION and the lowa Chapter of ASHRAE.



All sponsorships must be requested and paid for by the registration deadline.

Silver - \$100 Gets you a COLOR SIGN at a tee box of one of the holes

Gold - \$250 also gets your name on a sponsorship list at the prize table and sponsors a pin event

Platinum - \$500 also gets your name at the registration table and sponsors the main door prizes

ALL sponsorship levels will have a portion of the sponsorship go to purchasing door prizes for the event. The main door prizes will be given at the end of the event after dinner. You must be present to win.

Don't miss the opportunity to be a sponsor for the outing. See our website at www.ashraeiowa.org for more details and to register on-line. You don't have to put together a team to sponsor the event.

## PRESIDENT'S

### **CORNER:**

Welcome fellow ASHRAE members to a new society year!

We hope you were able to enjoy the summer months. Now it's time to refocus on the upcoming football season. When we aren't cheering on the Cyclones to victory, our ASHRAE Iowa BOG has a busy year planned for us.

Our annual Fall Frolic Golf Outing is Thursday, September, 14th at The Legacy Golf Club in Norwalk. We hope you were able to get a team rounded up to come enjoy a beautiful day on the links. Not only is this a terrific venue to network with your peers in the industry, but you help support a good cause. Your corporate sponsorship as well as the fun events and raffles support our Research Promotion (RP) campaign. The proceeds from the golf outing help fund research and grants within our region (Region VI).

If you and your company would like to support our ASHRAE RP Campaign, please take a few moments to visit our RP section of the newsletter. We have directions provided on how you can support our chapter. We are encouraging contributions to be directed towards our Endowed Research via ASHRAE Foundation (our fund name is "ASHRAE Iowa"). This money still helps research grants in our territory, but it helps our ASHRAE Iowa Chapter further develop our endowment.

Looking ahead to October, our CTTC chairs are finalizing the last few details for our October meeting. We are planning for a dinner event accompanied by a speaker on October 18th. Please watch your emails in the next couple weeks for more details.

The ASHRAE Iowa Chapter has the honor and privilege to host the ASHRAE Region VI's Chapters Regional Conference (CRC). From May 3, 2018 through 5, 2018 we will be hosting all of Region VI as well as a few dignitary's from society at the Marriott in Downtown Des Moines. Our CRC chairs are revolutionizing the structure for this event, please encourage everyone you work with to join us! They are working on a great line up of technical programs to appeal to all of our members.

We look forward to seeing you at the Fall Frolic as well as our upcoming meetings. Thank you for supporting our local chapter!

Luke Miller (email)
Iowa Chapter President 2017-2018

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All past ASHRAE Iowa Chapter Presidents can be found on our webpage here: Past Presidents

## **October Meeting**

**Membership & RP Night** 

**Date:** Wednesday, October 18th **Location:** Ramada Tropics Resort

5000 Merle Hay Rd, Des Moines, IA 50322

**Topic:** Speaker will be Lee Buddrus, President and Owner of ACME

Engineering. He will present on the upcoming changes in fan

Energy regulations.

**Time:** 5:00 - 6:00 Social

6:00 - 6:20 Dinner

6:20 – 6:45 Business Update, RP & MP

6:45 - 7:30 Presentation

**Sponsor:** Hart-Hammer

## **Future Meetings**

Month	Date	Location	Topic	
September	14	The Legacy Golf Club	Fall Frolic Golf Outing	
October	18	Ramada Tropics	Membership & RP Night	
November	15	Ames Student Night		
December	11	Holiday Inn SMCI / CSI Joint Me		
January	17	Baker Group Offices		
February	15	TBD	DL Presentation- Refrigeration	
March	28	TBD	TBD	
April	TBD	TBD	Special Event – Stay Tuned	
April	19	TBD ASHRAE Webcast – M About Energy Efficier		
May	TBD	TBD	Spring Fling Golf Outing	

January	20-24	Chicago, IL	2018 Winter Conference Region VI CRC	
May	3-5	Des Moines, IA		
June	23-27	Houston, TX	2018 Annual Conference	



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Your contribution puts us closer to achieving our goal. Please send what you can today!

This year, the BOG is encouraging you to donate online in an effort to save paper and increase the efficiency of the RP donation process. Please visit the ASHRAE RP Donation page <a href="here">here</a>. ASHRAE provides options for you to determine where to place your donation. The lowa Chapter is looking to increase its endowment and would appreciate it if you would place your donation in the box available next to "Endowed Research via ASHRAE Foundation", check the box indicated that you understand that those funds are restricted for the support of ASHRAE Research, and put "lowa Chapter" in the "Existing Fund Name (If known):" box. From there it's as simple as any other online purchase with a credit card.

Don't forget that ASHRAE is a 501(c)(3) organization. Contributions are deductible as allowed by law. A receipt will be sent to the address listed above.

If you would still prefer to donate by check or have any further questions about the donation process, please contact <a href="mailto:dponxs@woodmaninc.com">dponxs@woodmaninc.com</a>.

### Thank you for your donation!

Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) curriculums appear to be here to stay, and the Iowa Chapter continues to take the opportunity to promote ASHRAE and the HVAC industry to students across Iowa. Our members have built a model of an HVAC system to display at STEM events in an effort to encourage interest among K-12 students. Below is a photo of Roger Lesher, Kit Cartwraight, and Matt Jesson after a long afternoon of updates to the STEM "Rig". Matt Gumm eagerly took the photo to defer his moment in the spotlight. The Rig will make its next appearance at the Blank Park STEM Event September 19<sup>th</sup>.



For more information on the Rig, STEM activities in the ASHRAE Iowa Chapter, or volunteer opportunities, please contact <u>Kit</u>, <u>Roger</u>, or <u>Matt</u> <u>Gumm</u>.

#### **ASHRAE News**

#### Registration Opens for 2018 ASHRAE Winter Conference, AHR Expo

Registration is open for the 2018 ASHRAE Winter Conference, to be held in Chicago on Jan. 20–24, at the Palmer House Hilton. Registration is also open for the ASHRAE-cosponsored AHR Expo, to be held Jan. 22–24 at Chicago's McCormick Place. The ASHRAE Winter Conference features a technical program with more than 200 presentations and 300 speakers in eight conference tracks. The Conference also will include tours, social events, and keynote speaker Debbie Sterling, founder and CEO of GoldieBlox. In addition, ASHRAE Learning Institute (ALI) will offer two full-day, and five half-day seminars during the conference.

#### **Industry News**

#### On-Chip Dielectric Cooling Could Be Commercialized in 2018

ARLINGTON, Va.—The Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency's (DARPA) Intrachip/Interchip Enhanced Cooling (ICECool) program has partnered with IBM and the Georgia Institute of Technology to solve the liquid cooling problem for 3-D chip stacks. The resulting approach uses an insulating dielectric refrigerant instead of water. The onchip solution could help cool off entire data centers. Tests of the technology resulted in temperature reduction by 25°C (45°F), and chip power use reduction by 7% compared to traditional air cooling. The dielectric technology is expected to be available commercially as soon as 2018.

#### Water-Cooling Solar Panels Expel Building Heat Into Space

PALO ALTO, Calif.—Researchers at Stanford University have developed a solar cooling system that expels heat into space. The system consists of three components installed on a roof. The first component is plastic topped with a silver coating that reflects nearly all incoming sunlight. The second component is a snaking copper tube. Water is piped through the tube, where it sheds heat to the plastic. That heat is then radiated out by the plastic at a wavelength that is not absorbed by the atmosphere, but instead travels to outer space. The whole panel is encased in a thermally insulating plastic housing to ensure that heat comes from the circulating water and not the surrounding air. Under modeled conditions, the system lowers the building's air-conditioning electrical demand by 21% over the summer.

#### **Newly Developed Tools Share Power From Renewable Energy Sources During Outages**

SAN DIEGO—A team of engineers at the University of California, San Diego has developed a series of algorithms to allow homes to use and share power from their renewable energy sources during outages by strategically disconnecting solar inverters from the grid. The equations take into account forecasts for solar and wind power generation as well as how much energy storage is available. The algorithms combine that information with the amount of energy that the residents are projected to use as well as the amount of energy that a cluster of homes can generate. The team says the algorithms work with existing technology and can improve systems' reliability by 25% to 35%.



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## ASHRAE Learning Institute 2017 Online Course Series

#### **2 WAYS TO REGISTER**

Internet: www.ashrae.org/onlinecourses

Phone: Call 1-800-527-4723 (US and Canada) or 404-636-8400 (worldwide)

One-part course (3 hours) \$284 (\$219 ASHRAE Member) - -- -- Two-part course (6 hours) \$484 (\$359 ASHRAE Member)

NEW! Fundamental Requirements of Standard 62.1-2016 Wednesday, September 6, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Designing High-Performance Healthcare HVAC Systems** Tuesday, September 19, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**Laboratory Design: The Basics and Beyond** Tuesday, October 10, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Introduction to Ultraviolet Germicidal Irradiation (UVGI) Systems Monday, October 16, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

**NEW!** Complying with Standard 90.1-2016

Part I: Wednesday, November 1, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Part II: Tuesday, November 7, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

NEW! Variable Refrigerant Flow System: Design & Application Wednesday, November 29, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

NEW! New ASHRAE-Classified Refrigerants to Meet Society's Changing Needs

Tuesday, December 5, 2017 – 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

## **ASHRAE HVAC Design & Operation Training**

2 Courses, 5 Days of Intense Instruction

Atlanta • Columbus • Denver • Dubai

#### HVAC Design: Level I - Essentials - Registration is \$1,264 (\$1,009 ASHRAE Member)

Gain practical skills and knowledge in designing and maintaining HVAC systems that can be put to immediate use. The training provides real-world examples of HVAC systems, including calculations of heating and cooling loads, ventilation and diffuser selection using the newly renovated ASHRAE Headquarters building as a living lab.

#### HVAC Design: Level II - Applications - Registration is \$854 (\$699 ASHRAE Member)

HVAC Design: Level II — Applications provides instruction on HVAC system design for experienced HVAC designers and those who complete the HVAC Design: Level I — Essentials training. The training provides information that allows practicing engineers and designers an opportunity to expand their exposure to HVAC systems design procedures for a better understanding of system options to save energy.

Visit <u>www.ashrae.org/hvactraining</u> to register and learn how your Chapter can earn PAOE points.

Contact Karen Murray (<a href="mailto:kmurray@ashrae.org">kmurray@ashrae.org</a>) to discuss scheduling ASHRAE HVAC Training in your Chapter area.

CRC will soon be upon us. The CRC committee has been busy planning the event to ensure that there are a plethora of activities for education and fun. If you want to get involved in hosting or want to donate to the event, please contact Jason Kems. Updates this month include continuous improvements on the technical sessions, finalization of banquet locations, and the selection of an official logo!



Stay tuned for continued updates and check out the sponsors who have already gotten involved. All sponsors at the Yellow Ribbon and above threshold get recognition in each newsletter this society year, so don't miss out on the opportunity to reach your customers through ASHRAE.

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