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Pile of Bones

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President's Message

By: Carla Drager

Hello ASHRAE members! I am looking forward to seeing everyone's beautiful faces next week at our meeting. This will be our first meeting back in person in what feels like forever. To say that I am excited would be an understatement.

We have an exciting lineup of events and speakers to end our ASHRAE year. For a little sneak peak: Next week on March 16th we have the honor of hosting Doug Hird from the Technical Safety Authority of Saskatchewan (TSASK). Then in April, which is always my favorite meeting of the year, we have student night! But this year we have an extra special surprise. Please be sure to join us in welcoming our society president, Mick Schwedler, to Regina. I can't wait for him to meet our brilliant U of R students and the amazing group of chapter members that we have. This meeting will be on the evening of April 20th so please mark that date in your calendars. Our final meeting will be hosted on May 4th, right before CRC. And last, but definitely not least, is our golf tournament in June. All those details will be coming out shortly so please watch for newsletters and emails.

ASHRAE REGINA CHAPTER MEETING

**Wednesday March 16th,
2022**

**Topic: Gas-Fired HVAC
Equipment Standards
Development**

Presenter: Douglas Hird

**Meeting Location:
Bushwacker Brewpub**

Agenda:

5:00 pm Arrive/Cocktails

5:30 pm Presentation

6:30 pm Dinner

7:00 pm Chapter Meeting

Upcoming Events:

**See below for upcoming
events.**

We are still looking for a couple volunteers to fill chair positions on our board of governors for the 2022-2023 ASHRAE year. If you are interested in serving on the board, or know anyone who is, please reach out to Chris Klatt for more information on the different positions available.

And, we are also still looking for volunteers for CRC from May 5 through 7. If you can spare some time and help make CRC in Regina a success, that would be appreciated. Please reach out to the ashraeregina@gmail.com email address for more information.

Carla Drager, Regina ASHRAE Chapter President

Committee Chair Reports

Vice President/Chapter Alternate/President Elect/CTTC & Programs

By: Chris Klatt

We are finally getting back to in-person ASHRAE Chapter meetings! I can't wait to see everyone's face, do some networking, and share a pint or two! We will be meeting Wednesday March 16, 2022 @ Bushwakker Brewpub @ 5:00pm.

This month's speaker will be Doug Hird, P.Eng, from the Technical Safety Authority of Saskatchewan (TSASK). His presentation will cover the role of TSASK as a Delegated Authority in Saskatchewan, with particular focus on gas appliance and equipment certification, approval, and installation.

SPEAKER BIO: Doug grew up in Regina, and after attending the first two years in the Co-op Program in the College of Engineering at the U of R, he transferred to the U of S where he graduated in Mechanical Engineering in 1980. He stayed in Saskatchewan working at SaskPower and was part of their Gas Division's separation into SaskEnergy. He returned to SaskPower in 2008 in the role of Senior Engineer, Codes and Standards for Gas Inspections, and was part of the Gas and Electrical Inspections separation into TSASK last year.

Doug sits as Vice-Chair on the CSA Gas Appliances and Related Accessories Technical Committee, Vice-Chair on the CSA B149.3 Technical Committee, and

voting member on CSA B149.1, B149.2, B149.5, B149.6 and B108 code committees.

Upcoming Schedule:

DATE	LOCATION	TOPIC	PRESENTER
April 20, 2022	U of R – The Owl Bar	Student Presentation Night / Presidential Visit	Mick Schwedler – ASHRAE President
May 4, 2022	Doubletree by Hilton Hotel & Conference Centre	Equipment Selections	Doug Cochrane – Distinguished Lecturer
May 5, 2022 Noon – 3:00pm	ASHRAE Region XI Chapters Regional Conference (CRC)	Tech Session - Building Decarbonization	Doug Cochrane – Distinguished Lecturer
June, 2022	No meeting – ASHRAE Regina Chapter Golf Tournament		

Past President & Research Promotion

By: Cailin Noll

As you may have already heard, the Regina ASHRAE Chapter will be hosting CRC this May. If you are interested in sponsoring the event, we are currently looking for General Sponsors. For a cost of \$300, your logo will be displayed throughout the weekend and in all communication pieces. Please reach out to me if you have any questions or are interested in providing sponsorship!

Cailin Noll

RP Chair, CRC Fundraising Chair

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By: Tyler Gamble

We are very excited to move back to in person meetings! With the in person meetings starting up again, you can expect to receive invoices shortly. It will be a prorated rate, based on the remaining meetings for the year. Please keep an eye out for those.

Student Activities

By: Marla Torwalt

The deadline for the Don Bell Scholarship is approaching fast! This scholarship was set up in Don Bell's name by the Regina Chapter of ASHRAE. It is intended to provide financial aid to students pursuing a career in the Engineering or HVAC industry. The scholarship is for \$1500 USD. The application deadline is March 15, 2022 and the scholarship will be awarded on April 15, 2022. Please submit your application to me at m.torwalt@mac-eng.ca.

The ASHRAE Student Branch will be hosting an Industry Social night on **Wednesday March 23, 2022 from 6:00pm - 8:00pm at Cathedral Social Hall**. University of Regina graduates, Dean Clarke (BASc. ESE 1998) and Taylor Siebel (BASc. ISE 2020) from Greenwave Innovations will demonstrate the Energy Dashboard System on display at Cathedral Social Hall; an overview of how they are using data to drive energy conservation and implement pro-active predictive maintenance features for mechanical equipment. We plan to have a few more engineers join us so that students can meet some professionals in the industry, and also for a chance to enjoy some drinks with fellow engineering students. There are limited seats so we ask that you RSVP to reserve your seat.

To register or if you have any questions please email ashraeuofr@gmail.com.

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