We had a great start to the year with a behind the scenes tour of the F.X. Matt Brewery in Utica. In addition to the traditional tour, one of the facilities engineers took us into the back rooms to see the boilers and the ammonia compressors. The tour guide told me that we went into rooms that he had never seen before. The tour was followed by an excellent dinner featuring Utica Greens, Chicken Riggies, and Tomato Pie, washed down with your choice of Saranac beer, ale or soda. (See photos on page six.)

Our October meeting will be back at the Double Tree where Rod Carroll, with RL Stone, will give a presentation on Flow Meters. Details can be found below.

Mark your calendars for our Holiday Party, which will be held on December 12th at the Double Tree. We will have light hors d'oeuvres followed by a sit down dinner featuring sliced London Broil, Chicken Rockefeller or a vegetarian option. There will be no technical program in December as this is a social event and provides an opportunity for the members to bring their spouse or guest to enjoy a nice dinner and meet their colleagues. The cost will be $30, the same as our normal monthly meetings. I hope to see you there.

Bill Walter
President
Hello Everyone,

Well another year and the CNY Chapter Student Activities has began. The chapter has several great things planned for the year, including awarding scholarships to both two year as well as four year applicants. The applications will be sent to local universities with student branches for applicants to apply. Those with the best qualifications (per our committee) will be awarded these scholarships at our monthly fall and spring meetings. We met our goal last year and it is our full intention to have the same success this year. Things look good so far as we have received several emails from new students interested in getting involved in our CNY chapter and ASHRAE. With this kind of interest we should have no problem fulfilling our goal for this year. Stay tuned to the news letter for more information on what is happening with our young engineers and students throughout the entire year. Hope to see some of our new student members at our next meeting.

Thanks,
Jim Hart
Student Activities Chair

Central New York Engineering Expo 2012

Date: Monday, November 12th, 2012
Program: An opportunity to earn PDH credits and gain some knowledge
Location: Holiday Inn, 441 Electronics Parkway, Liverpool, NY 13088; 457-1122

The annual CNY Engineering Expo will be held at the Holiday Inn, Liverpool, on Monday, November 12th, from 8:15 AM to 5:00 PM. This event, co-sponsored by ASCE, ASME, IEEE, SFPE, NSPE, and others, is geared toward New York Professional Engineers (PE) and Registered Architects (RA) but is open to any who want to broaden or "freshen up" their engineering knowledge.

If you’re a professional engineer licensed in New York State mark your calendar for this event. Attendance at the Expo offers an inexpensive and convenient method of earning up to seven PDHs (Professional Development Hours) required to satisfy the continuing education requirements for professional engineer registration. The event will be held in the same location as in recent years, namely the Holiday Inn and Conference Center at Electronics Parkway and Seventh North Street in Liverpool, NY.

The schedule of seminars can be seen at: www.cscos.com/engineering-expo.

Agenda:
* Registration starts at 7:00 AM
* Coffee and breakfast snacks will be available from 7:30 to 8:15 AM
* The morning seminars start at 8:15 AM with 15 minute breaks in between
* Lunch starts at 11:45 AM
* The afternoon seminars start at 1:30 PM with 15 minute breaks in between

Cost (Includes Lunch): $95 if received on or before November 5th, $110 thereafter
Cancellation Policy: Full refund if notified on or before November 5, 2011; no refunds on or after November 6, 2011
Directions: Holiday Inn, 441 Electronics Parkway, Liverpool, NY 13088
* From the NYS Thruway take Exit 37-the hotel is at the end of the ramp and to the left.
* From Interstate 81 take Exit 25 (7th North Street) and turn right onto 7th North Street to head about 1.25 miles northeast. The hotel will be straight ahead when you reach Electronics Parkway.

If you have questions about the program please contact Tom Horth at (315)703-4244 or thorth@cscos.com.
If you have questions regarding registration or exhibiting contact Vicki Scott at vscott@cscos.com.

— Bruce Marcham
The October general meeting will be held at the DoubleTree Hotel on Carrier Circle. Dinner will be served at 6:00 p.m., preceded by drinks from the hotel bar starting at 5:30. Rod Carroll from the RL Stone Company will be making a technical presentation on Flow Meters. This presentation will cover the application and selection of various flow meter technologies, along with economic considerations of both. Various meters will be on display for "hands-on" viewing. The program will qualify for one NYS Professional Development hour.

Please register ahead of time at the Chapter web site: www.cnyashrae.org. A discount is available for prepurchase of meeting dues for the entire year. See the web site for details.
Central NY ASHRAE
Board of Governors Meeting
Minutes from August 10, 2012

Location: Bergmann Conference room

Attendees: Bill Walter, Charles Bertuch, Don Middleton, Richard Kimball, Justin Spaulding, Jim Hart, Chonghui Liu, Brett Fero, Mark Yonnick, Mike Bykowski, Don Howell (on phone)

Absent: Steve Sill, Michael Kingsley, Assis Flores

Meeting Started: 4:30 PM August 10, 2012

President’s Opening Comments:

Bill Walter 1. Introductions of all board members and people present
2. Approved minutes from 7/25/12 meeting
3. PAOE guidelines list discussed
4. Contracts with Double Tree for meetings have been signed
5. Steve Sill is in Staten Island and may not attend meetings but is available by phone for any assistance
6. Have newsletter articles to Heidi by 9/21

Reports for Individual Positions were as follows:

Treasurer: Brett Fero (transferred to Mark Yonnick)
Brett completed all taxes. Send any travel expenses for CRC to Mark Yonnick to be reimbursed. Brett transferred all signatory for accounts over. Last meeting for Brett

Programs: Charles Bertuch
Tying to set up a May program, Suggested a Carrier TR4 Building tour to Bill Walter
Holiday Party 12/12/12 – Double Tree proposed by Bill. Will be added to programs by Charles

Membership: Justin Spaulding
No Report, will work with Don Middleton for any assistance or questions about position

Technology Transfer: Chonghui Liu
Appointed 4 committee members to help with TT activities.
Charles will help with hosting distinguished lecturers.
Possible joint meeting with ASPE – Charles working on joint meetings

History: Assis Flores
Assis is taking over for historian. Bill and Steve have files from past historian Paul Britton

Student Activities: Jim Hart
Need to determine scholarships amounts for this year.
Gave out $3,500 last year
Charles motioned to give out $3,500 again this year, motion approved
Brett suggested: Do not set up accounts at bookstores
Discussion about giving some money to young women engineers
Motion approved to give the following scholarship money:
• $1,750 4 year school
• $1,400 2 year school
• $350 Women engineers

Looking for student chapter form to give to SU???

Research: Went to RP training at CRC in Boston and CT training in Chicago.
Promotion: Goal to donate $100 in memory of Lynn Ballenger by 10/15: motion approved
(Richard Kimball) Goal will likely increased by a few hundred dollars this year.
Recommend giving $2500 to set up an endowed fund, tabled for future conversations
2011-12 Donor recognition info transferred to Rich from Mark

YEA (Justin Spaulding) Discussed possibly setting up SU basketball game and/or 2nd annual Poker Run

Web Master/Electronic Communications
New Web site: www.ashraecny.org
Send e-mail contacts to Richard to be added to the distribution list.
Working on updating and/or deleting failed e-mails
(Richard Kimball) Need newsletter help
Need to change to new debit card and change to annual payment for web site hosting.

Old Business: Bylaws and Constitution
Tabled until next meeting

New Business: Proposed increasing Chapter dues to $30. Of that $11.68 assessment dues goes region.
Mark motioned to raise dues and board approved unanimously.

Steve Sill elected to regional vice chair for membership promotion (RVC MP) for the 2013 – 2014 Society Year.

Bill handed out awards and plaques to Mark Yonnick and Jim Hart for their hard work and efforts on the board last year. Awards were also received for Tom Buswell and Mike Kingsley, which Bill will deliver after the meeting.

2015 CRC in Syracuse – need to find someone to assist Steve Sill’s role.

Clam Bake – last year for Mike B. need to find someone to train for 2014

Discussion: Mobile newsletter and hosting newsletter on our web site – Rich and Mike Bykowski to investigate and report back.

Community sustainability discussion. Charles suggest everyone to think about ideas for next meeting.

The next BOG meeting will be held on October 10 , 4:30 PM, at the Double Tree

Adjourned: 6:10 pm

These Draft Minutes Are Not Official Until Approved By This Committee
We are all aware in 2011, we experienced a great loss with the passing of Lynn Bellenger. As 2010-11 Society President, Lynn Bellenger was a leader and recognized expert in energy management. This was highlighted in her theme for the year: Modeling a Sustainable World. The message was reinforced with the launching of ASHRAE’s first Energy Modeling Conference, which enjoyed unparallel success and continues as a highly successful Conference today. When President Bellenger, who served as the Society’s first woman president, passed away in October, 2011, ASHRAE established the Lynn G. Bellenger Scholarship, used to further the education of deserving engineering students.

The RP Committee has taken on the exciting task of raising $25,000 to complete the Lynn Bellenger Scholarship Endowment. Once fully endowed, the Scholarship will generate funding of $5,000 a year to an engineering student. To aid in this task, every Chapter is asked to raise a small additional amount above and beyond their traditional RP Campaign Goal. These additional funds will count toward reaching Goal, High 5, and Challenge, will count toward PAOE and all RP Awards but will not count against the Chapter next year (or in the future) for High 5 awards or Goals.

Our chapter is asked to raise $160.00, earmarked for this very worthy cause.

The RP Committee would like to announce that these funds have been raised or pledged by the October Board Meeting, marking the one year anniversary of President Bellenger’s death.

Please submit your funds or pledge by October 15, 2012.

Online gifts may be made at: www.ashrae.org/contribute or via check, made payable to ASHRAE Foundation – Bellenger and sent to my attention at ASHRAE Headquarters (1791 Tullie Circle, Atlanta, GA 30329).

— Richard Kimball
RP Chair

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