April Meeting

Date: Thursday, April 6th, 2017

Host: Nebraska Transportation Section

Spouses and Guests Welcome

Location: Anthony's Steakhouse
7220 F Street
Omaha, NE 68127

Program: "UAV Applications in Engineering, Surveying, and Mapping: Lessons learned from 2-years in the field"

Presenters: Michael C Laird - Olsson Associates

Times: 5:30 pm Registration /Social Hour/Student Displays
       6:00 pm Dinner
       6:45 pm Meeting / Presentation

Menu/Price:
Select one of the following options: (Beef, Poultry and Seafood entrees are served with a house salad, bread, one starch, one vegetable, coffee and tea.)

- 8 oz Top Sirloin ~ Always a favorite at Anthony's! Have this tender cut of beef grilled just the way you like it.
- Chicken Cordon Bleu ~ Chicken breast stuffed with ham, Swiss cheese and oregano. Served with mushroom sherry sauce.
- Parmesan-crusted Roughy ~ Panko bread crumbs & Parmesan cheese compliment this succulent white fish.
- Pasta Primavera ~ Capeli d'Angelo noodles tossed with garlic, olive oil, black olive, tomatoes, white wine, green onions and fresh vegetables.

ASCE Members $15.00 with meal, $10.00 without meal, Guests $20.00 Payable to NEASCE at the door (cash, check, or credit card).

Life Members and Students are FREE....but you must register.

Registration/Deadline: Register HERE

Sign up by 4:00 pm Tuesday, April 4, 2017.
From the President

NEASCE Members:

Thanks to everyone for your efforts supporting NEASCE and its activities. I really think we are having an impact in our industry and in our local community. Below are a few items I’d like to highlight, so please keep them in mind this month.

- Congratulations to NEASCE’s Ryan Hanson for receiving the 2017 ACEC Young Professional of the Year award. Ryan is well deserving and just led another successful year of the Truss Bustin’ program. Please congratulate Ryan the next time you see him.

- Thanks to Shannon DeVivo for becoming our new Environmental Technical Chair and organizing the March section meeting. Thanks also to Dr. Hassan for the interesting presentation on Wastewater Odor Control and his other research projects at UNO – I really learned a lot!

- Know anyone that has spent their lifetime advancing the field of civil engineering through their contributions, innovative concepts, research, and materials? Please send me nominations for ASCE Region 7’s Lifetime Achievement Award.

- NEASCE’s centennial committee is developing an e-book to commemorate our 100 years and we have contacted Nebraska engineering firms to provide content documenting the people and projects that have had an impact on our state. If you have any ideas, please contact Matt Hubel at mhubel@schemmer.com. Submissions are due by May 2nd. * Our centennial gala is upcoming on May 18th – are you going? Registration is open (extended through April 21st) and ASCE members should have received invitations by mail. We are pretty excited about this event as it includes:
  - A showing of Dream Big, ASCE’s IMAX feature, at this red carpet event
  - Grab bags as a thank you from the NEASCE board
  - Heavy hors d’oeuvres and drinks at the Henry Doorly Aquarium
  - NEASCE’s Section Awards

I won’t be able to attend this month’s section meeting so I look forward to seeing everyone at our Centennial Gala!
March Meeting Summary

The Nebraska Environmental Technical Group hosted dinner and presentation from Dr. Ashraf Aly Hassan from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln. He spoke about the biological treatment of odors. The list below can be considered official documentation of attendance at the March 29th, 2017 meeting and presentation worth one (1) PDH credit.

Bret Budd
Tyler Klusaw
John Smith

Shannon DViro
Elizabeth Kreher
Jim Wells

Amelia Ganze
Trevor Kuper

Ashaf Hassan
David Rathjen

Matt Hubel
Leland Rupp
2018 MRLC Conference

The Nebraska Section is excited to host Regions 3, 6, and 7 for the 2018 Multi-Region Leadership Conference. The MRLC (Workshop for Section & Branch Leaders, Central Region Younger Member Council, and Workshop for Student Chapter Leaders) will be held January 26-27, 2018 at the Ramada Plaza Omaha Hotel & Convention Center.

The website with more information can be found HERE.

ASCE Continuing Education

ASCE currently holds more than 300 live webinars annually and has available more than 400 on-demand webinars covering a wide variety of technical and management topics. To access these webinars, see the following links below:

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**DIRECTIONS FROM THE SOUTH**

From I-80 and 72nd St, go north on 72nd St approximately 1.5 miles to Pine St. Turn right on Pine St. for 0.6 miles. At the curve is the Scott Conference Center.

**DIRECTIONS FROM THE WEST**

From I-480 and Pacific St, go east on Pacific St to 67th St. Turn right on 67th St. Go to Pine St., take a left. At the curve is the Scott Conference Center.

**APRIL 7, 2017 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM**

**8:00 AM REGISTRATION & CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST**

**8:30 - 5:00 CONFERENCE**

**SCOTT CONFERENCE CENTER**

6450 Pine Street; Omaha, Nebraska

Parking in lot & across from Scott Conference Center (complementary)

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Centennial Gala  Annual Meeting

Please join us in celebrating the Centennial Anniversary of the Nebraska Section of ASCE at a screening of “Dream Big: Engineering Our World”, a giant screen film that will take you on a journey of discovery from the world’s tallest building to a bridge higher than the clouds.

May 18, 2017
Henry Doorly Zoo & Aquarium Lozier IMAX® Theater
Tickets: $30 each (limit 2 tickets per invite)

Reservations Required
Purchase tickets online at www.neasce.org by April 7, 2017.

Doors Open • 6:15 pm
Keynote Speaker • 7:00 pm
Screening • 7:15 - 8:00 pm
Cocktails/Hors d’œuvres/Presentations • 8:00 – 10:00 pm
Dress • Business Formal

Questions, please contact Matt Hubel at 402.431.6370 or mhubel@schemmer.com.
NEASCE Centennial Gala

On May 18, 2017, we will be holding our Section’s Centennial Gala at the Henry Doorly Zoo in Omaha, Nebraska. The gala is meant to treat our members like stars for a night and will be modeled after a Hollywood red-carpet movie premier. The night will begin with a viewing of ASCE’s “Dream Big” movie in IMAX 3D at the Lozier IMAX Theater with an introduction from ASCE Society past-president, Mark Woodson.

After the movie ends, the event will move to the Scott Aquarium where there will be networking and conversation over drinks and hors d’oeuvres, an awards ceremony, and the election of the Nebraska Section’s officers for the upcoming year.

In addition to our members and their guests, we have also invited the state governor, city mayors, local and state legislators, and other policy makers to the event to give them a chance to meet our members and to give our members a chance to educate them on our organization and the importance of engineering and infrastructure to our world.

All attendees of the gala will receive a swag bag valued over $30 as well as complimentary hors d’oeuvres and drink tickets.

This is a once-in-a-lifetime milestone for our Section. It’s also the only place in Nebraska where you will be able to see this amazing movie in a theater. Please make it a priority to attend and be a part of this star-studded event!
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Deadline for articles to be published in the March newsletter will be April 30. Email articles to Tyler Schmidt at tschmidt@is-ecg.com