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CHAIR'S MESSAGE

Dear Central Ohio ASME members:

Welcome to the new season (2000-2001) of activities for our section! I am happy to be your newly elected chair, and I am pleased to introduce our new Vice Chair, Kyle Koestner, our new Treasurer, Robert Honaker, and our new Secretary, Donna Rudge. I thank Mike Szolosi, Nu Ghadiali, and Paul Grimes for their past services as Secretary, Treasurer, and Honors and Awards Chair, respectively. Kamal Kassouf moves to Professional Development, while Adam Wei continues to serve as our Program Chair. Also, Carl Jaske continues to serve as Newsletter Editor and Webmaster. George Staab serves for College Relations, Gene Hulbert for Government Relations, John Lindenfeld for Industry Relations and Mel Helmich for History & Heritage. Jacqueline Papa is this year's Chair of the OSU student section of ASME.

You see that the Executive Committee (EC) has many members, who will organize a variety of programs in the coming months (see page 2). However, the following positions are open: (1) Honors & Awards, (2) Employment Assistance, (3) Member Interests, (4) Member Development, (5) Minorities & Women, (6) Professional Practice & Ethics, (7) Public Information, (8) Satellite Programs, and (9) Technical Activities. We are looking for people to fill these positions. If you are interested, please contact us, or come to our next EC meeting. They are held at 6:15PM on the first Thursday of every month, at Battelle, 505 King Avenue, Columbus.

Last year's newsletter distribution by e-mail received a large number of positive responses. Therefore, the newsletter is now being sent electronically to all those Central Ohio ASME members for whom ASME has an e-mail address on file. You will receive the newsletter earlier, and the section will spend less money for printing and postage. The process of preparing the printed newsletters involves preprinted envelopes that our printer receives from ASME headquarters. ASME is not able to keep track of individual preferences on how to receive the newsletter, so the Executive Committee had to decide on the distribution method. If you are a member receiving a paper copy while you have an e-mail address, please call 1-800-THE ASME to add this to your profile. If you are a member receiving the newsletter by e-mail while you would like a printed copy instead, then call the number to remove your e-mail address from the database.

We are looking forward to this new season, and hope to see you at the annual Steak Fry Barbeque!

Michiel Brongers.
Chair, ASME Central Ohio Section

SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

Annual Steak Fry & Presentation on Cleaning of Power Boilers

Once again, the ASME Central Ohio Section is pleased to hold this traditional social event at the Rustic Knolls Campground near the village of Bangs. Join us for a Steak Fry and a presentation on the subject of boiler cleaning. Our guest speaker, Mr. Joel Booher, P.E. is a mechanical engineer with Diamond Power Specialty Company in Lancaster. He will discuss boilers, boiler fouling based on fuel used, and the need for sootblowers. Joel has over 10 years of experience in boiler cleaning equipment, and is currently the supervisor of Engineering Services, which consist of field evaluations and applications engineering. We hope to see you there for this social evening and this rare educational opportunity.

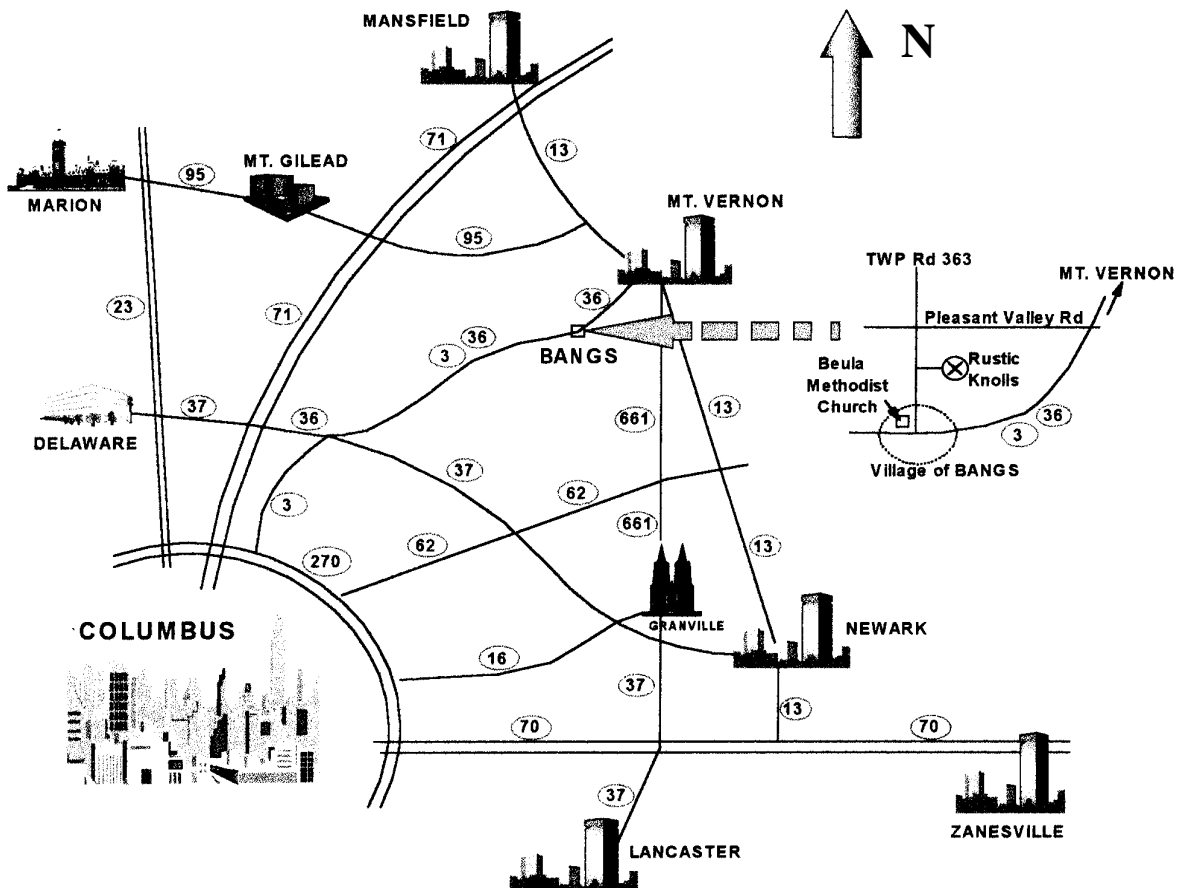
WHEN: Thursday, September 21, 2000
 6:30 – 7:00 PM Social; 7:00 – 8:00 PM Dinner; 8:00 – 8:30 PM Presentation

WHERE: Rustic Knolls Campground near Mt. Vernon (see map below)

MENU: The Alcove Restaurant will cater dinner. It includes grilled 10-oz. New York strip steak, baked potato, tossed garden salad, roll with butter, Texas sheet cake, hummingbird cake, and coffee. ASME will provide soft drinks.

COST: \$18.00 per person

RESERVATIONS: RSVP to Adam Wei by **September 19, 2000**
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Honors for Central Ohio Section Members

Congratulations to Prof. Bernard J. Hamrock of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the Ohio State University on his receipt of the 2000 Mayo D. Hersey Award "for distinguished contributions to the field of tribology, especially the analysis and modeling of hydrodynamic and elastohydrodynamic lubricant films and co-authoring two books, *Fundamentals of Fluid Film Lubrication* and *Fundamentals of Machine Elements*." ASME International established this award in 1965 to recognize long-term contributions to the advancement of lubrication science and engineering. The award consists of a \$1000 honorarium and plaque and will be presented at the Joint ASME/STLE Tribology Conference in Seattle on October 1-4, 2000.

Congratulations to Prof. Bharat Bhushan of the Department of Mechanical Engineering at the Ohio State University on his receipt of the 2000 Charles Russ Richards Memorial Award for outstanding achievement in mechanical engineering by an engineer twenty years or more following graduation. This award was established by Pi Tau Sigma and ASME International in 1944. It consists of a \$1000 honorarium and certificate and will be presented at the ASME International Mechanical Engineering Congress in Orlando on November 8, 2000.

Please join all of us in recognizing the outstanding contributions of Professors Hamrock and Bhushan to the field of mechanical engineering.

~ A LOOK AHEAD

<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>
September 21, 2000	Annual Steak Fry Dinner	Mt. Vernon
October 19, 2000	Plant Tour	Tentative
November 16, 2000	Dinner Meeting on Pipeline Integrity Management	Dublin
December 2, 2000	Short Course	Tentative
December 14, 2000	Plant Tour	Tentative
January 18, 2001	Dinner Meeting	Tentative
February 15, 2001	Old Guard Competition	OSU
March 15, 2001	Meeting and Tour	Tentative
April 19, 2001	Plant tour	Tentative
May 18, 2001	Honors & Awards Banquet	Columbus
June, 2001	Annual Golf Outing	Mt. Vernon

Give us your suggestions for future programs or contact us if your company would like to host one. We sincerely welcome your input to our plans.



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