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CHAIR'S MESSAGE

Dear Central Ohio ASME members,

This is my first message to you as your newly elected chair and I would like to begin my tenure by thanking Michiel Brongers, last year's chair, for the excellent job he did for ASME and our Central Ohio Section. We had some great programs with increased member involvement and we hosted the Region V Regional Administrative Conference (RAC) in Columbus. We received many compliments about the RAC and our section and I hope to keep the ball rolling. Thank you, Michiel.

Michiel did have an excellent supporting cast, many of who are returning to serve on the executive committee. Robert Honaker continues as Treasurer, Adam Wei as Program Chair, Bill French as Professional Development Chair, and Iris Wolfsgruber as Honors and Awards Chair. Carl Jaske will continue as Web-dictator (one step above master) but will hand the Newsletter reigns over to Michiel. We are excited to have Henry Dammeyer, a former Central Ohio ASME star, return to the executive committee as our new Secretary. Daniel Soenjoto is new to the board and will take on the challenge of the Members Interest Chair. George Staab serves for College Relations, Gene Hulbert for Government Relations, John Lindenfeld for Industry Relations and Mel Helmich for History & Heritage. Rick Heyse is this year's Chair of the OSU student section of ASME and we hope to keep the student section involved with our activities. We have several positions open on the executive committee including Vice Chair. Serving on the executive committee is an excellent way to hone your teamwork and leadership skills and have fun on the way. If you are interested, e-mail me at koestnerk@asme.org or call 614.352.7926.

The coming year's programs are almost set and you are in for a treat. We are planning on bringing another distinguished lecturer to Columbus this year. Last year's distinguished lecturer, Bill Dean, was a big hit. We are also planning presentations and another plant tour. We will again be holding our Annual Golf Outing, Honors and Awards Banquet, and don't forget the Annual Steak Fry on September 20th. I look forward to seeing those of you I know and meeting those of you I don't. See you soon!

Sincerely,

Kyle D. Koestner
Chair, ASME Central Ohio Section

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SEPTEMBER PROGRAM

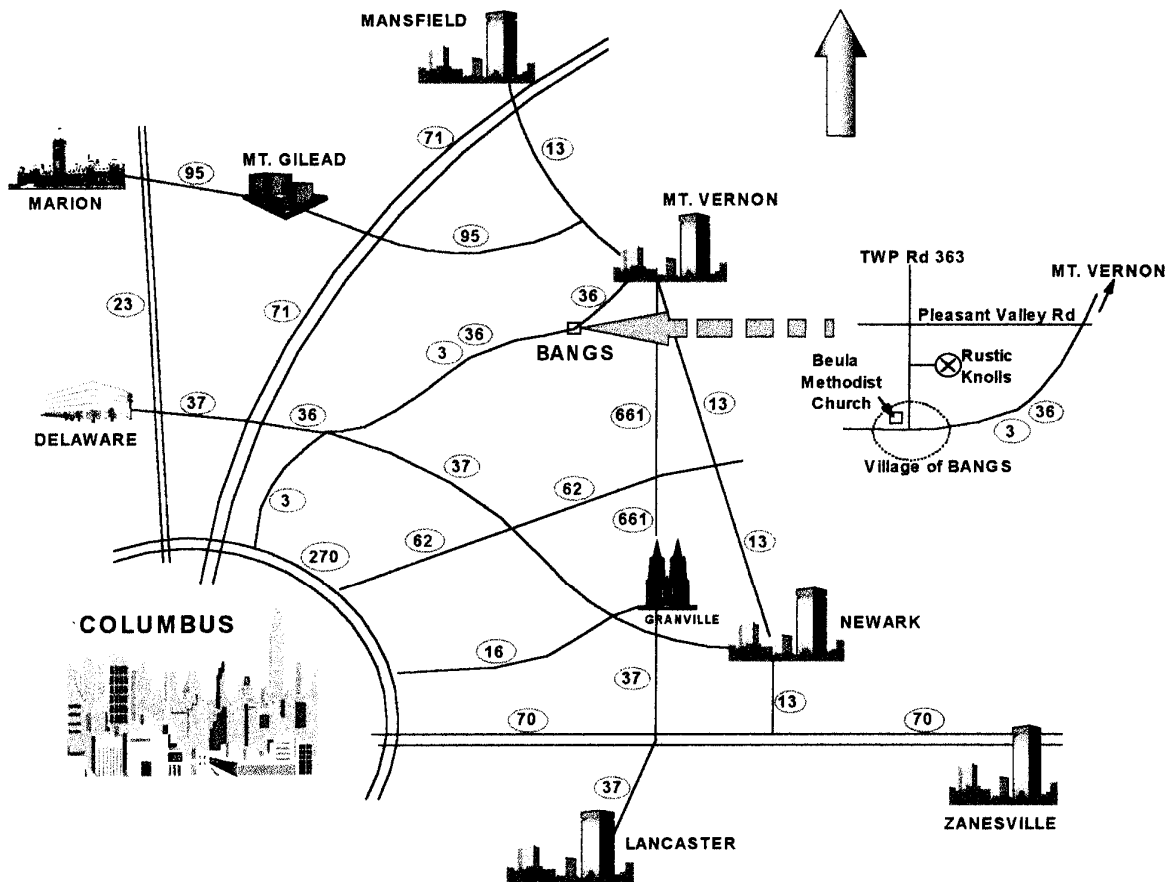
Annual Steak Fry & Presentation

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, Ohio. Join us for a Steak Fry and an interesting presentation titled “*Facility Efficiency Audits Uncover Opportunities for Operational Savings.*” Discussion topics will include why and when should facility audits be done, what types of items should be looked at, how should the data be presented, and how to finance. We will look at an example of an audit performed for a local Columbus facility where all aspects of the facility were examined from energy utilization to maintenance dollars spent. The presenters will be Bill Ryan, Regional Sales Director for Control Solutions and Steve Boyce, Regional Executive Vice President for Control Solutions. Bill Ryan has been with Control Solutions for eight years. Bill specializes in technical sales engineering for Control Solutions industrial customers including utility supply side and demand side management. Steve Boyce is a Certified Energy Manager (CEM) and has been with Control Solutions for sixteen years. Steve has served in a variety of technical, engineering and management roles, focusing on energy consumption reduction for commercial and industrial customers.

- WHO:** ASME members, family, and guests.
- WHEN:** Thursday, September 20, 2001; 6:30 – 7:00 p.m. Social Gathering; 7:00 – 8:00 p.m. Dinner; 8:00 – 8:30 p.m. Presentation.
- WHERE:** Rustic Knolls Campground near Mt. Vernon. Take Route 3/36 to the village of Bangs. Turn Northwest on Township Road 363, which is adjacent to the Beula Methodist Church in Bangs.
- 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:** Only \$18 for each member and guest and \$9 for students.
- RESERVATIONS:** To register now, use the on-line form on www.centralohioasme.org. RSVP to Adam Wei by September 18, 2001; Tel/Fax: (614) 855-5521/5523, Office Tel: (614) 995-0058; e-mail: adam_wei@hotmail.com or adam.wei@das.state.oh.us.

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<u>Date</u>	<u>Activity</u>	<u>Location</u>
Sep 20, 2001	Steak Fry	Rustic Knolls Campground, Bangs, OH
Oct 18, 2001	Lecture on Materials Optimization	CC Technologies, Dublin, OH
Nov 15, 2001	OSU Power Plant tour and presentation	Tentative
Dec 6, 2001	Meeting on Deregulation	Tentative
Jan 17, 2002	T S Tech Tour	Tentative
Feb 21, 2002	Old Guard Competition	Ohio State University
Mar 21, 2002	Plant Tour	Tentative
Apr 18, 2002	Meeting on Product Liability	Tentative
April	Professional Development Workshop	Tentative
May 16, 2002	Honors and Awards Banquet	
June 20, 2002	Annual Golf Outing	

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