Recent Membership Renewals – THANK YOU

DeVon Bench-Clarient
Tony Castiglione-A3 Concepts
Jeff Eldridge-Chevron
Tim Hayes-Buttonwillow Warehouse
Ken Knight
Craig O’Brien-KS Industries
Rhett Squires-Enmet LLC & Pro Safety/Rescue
Elaine Wakelin-Kern Machinery Inc.

Daniel Baranowski-CSUB
Steve Coffman-Halliburton
Doug Groove-Western Hiways Inc.
Randy Horne-Nattex
Paige Loya-Nestle USA
Evelyn Parks-Filo Lay-NA-Pepsi Co
Katrina Slayton-KC Waste Mgmt.
Jeremy Torres-Taft College

Renewal Reminders - Renew at http://members.asse.org

1. Do I have to be an engineer to join ASSE? Answer: No
2. Do I have to be a “full time” safety pro or be “certified” to be eligible for membership in ASSE? Answer: No
3. What’s the next step for becoming a member? Complete a Membership App or on-line App - www.asse.org

Congratulations on successfully advancing your professional development!
Congratulations to the following New Members (former student members) who have received their free one-year membership gift!

Jamie Graulich-Taft College; Laura Hester-Taft College; Sophia Marin-CSUB; Jonathan McCann, STS-Taft College; Alex Palos-CSUB; Elizabeth Perez-CSUB; Bob Presley-Trinidad State Colorado University; Steve Satter-CSUB; Shanti Taylor-Taft College; Juan Velasco-Taft College;

56 Bakersfield Chapter Members Present in December – Thank You! (Every Meeting Attended is 1 More Raffle Ticket for YOU in the $500 Year-End Membership Drawing!)

Adams, Doug-Contra Costa Electric Embry, Kathy-Stantec Ordway, Helen-Alon USA
Barnes, Brandon-PROS Inc. Fowler, Jon-SC Field Tech Srvcs Perez, Jose-Wonderful Co.
Bishop, Lynn-Networking Garcia, Michael-JMIS Ventures Perez, Nestor-WorklogicHR
Boren, Brandon-WorklogicHR Geyer, Michael-Wonderful Co. Quevedo, Gil-Bowman Asphalt
Bunde, Matt-CA Water Service Hall, Jon-NuSil Reynaga, Rob-Tel-Tec Security
Bustos, Daniel-Continental L&S&Canas, Joe-KC Env Health Henslee, Steve-RI Environmental Rosenlieb, Frank-Craco LLC
Castillo, Eric-NuSil Horne, Randy-Naftex Ruder, Mark-Plains LPG Services
Cawelti, KC-NuSil Hrenchir, Fred-Hrencher Stfy Cnslng Salada, Doug-CSUB
Chambers, Gary-A-C Electric Huggins, Dub-Crane Srvce Industries Sanchez, Sandra-Wonderful Citrus
Clark, Jimmy-Seneca Resources Koop, Ken-Crane Service Industries Schmidt, Bob-Certex USA
Clarke, George-WESTEC Leach, David-Chevron Smith, Mark-KBA Engineering
Cockerel, Jarib-CSUB Lee, Dave-KC Public Works Svarie, Tom-Pac Van
Creswell, Tom-Stantec Lopez, Albert-Boretti Inc. Vargas, Jess-NuSil
Crow, Dave-Craco Lopez, Scott-Universal Staffing Vochoska, Chris-Aera Energy LLC
Doolittle, Mike-Safety & Claims Marriott-Smith, Lisa-Aeros Environmtl Walker, Maurice-Continental L&S&NR
Elliott, Leslie-Arcpoint Labs of Bksld May, Greg-MayDay Marketing Whisenant, Lee’O-BBS/CSUB
Ellis, Terry-Munger Farms Mejia, Tony-Braun Electric Zander, PK-MidCal Labor Solutions
Emby, Kathy-Stantec Holliman, Elizabeth-CSUB/Aera Engy

Congratulations Stephanie Ohman with Aera Energy – 2016 Chapter Year-End Membership Drawing $500 Winner!!


Job Opportunities recently communicated through the Bakersfield Chapter of ASSE

Risk Management Consultant-BBSI-Bkrsfd Resume & cover letter leeo.whisenant@gmail.com
Safety Coordinator w/AG exp-HEILL Safety Solutions-Central Valley/Visalia area Brianclarke1121@aol.com
PT Inst-Env Science-Brightwood College-Bkrsfd-18 hrs Env Science/Bach&Grad degree req amber.arambula@brightwood.edu
EH&S Director-Wonderful-Delano WC21356 www.wonderful.com
Associate Stfy Eng--CA Dept Indust Relations-Bkrsfd-$7.4-$9.3k JC-39772/Position#400-461-3929-025 https://jobs.ca.gov
Stfy Spec-ERT-NASA Ames Rsrch Ctr-Mntn View https://chc.the.taleo.net/chc01/ats/careers/requisition.jsp?req=EFT&cws=1&rid=1554
Stfy Srvr-Meruelo EnterprisesVentura/SLO www.hermanweissker.com or resume to bturner@meruelogroup.com
Safety Representative (WPA1315) - Wonderful Pistachios & Almonds - Lost Hills Application Process Closed
Air Quality Inspector 1 - Valley Air District - All locations, CA $4464-$5430/mo Application Process Closed
HES Specialist/Advisor-Air Permitting&Compliance–Chevron-Permitting/TV/LDAR/Source Testing Application Process Closed
HES Specialist/Advisor/Air and GHG Reporting–Chevron Application Process Closed
Safety Specialist-Gazelle Transportation-Bkrsfd Filled Nick Pruett
Sr. Mgr., EHS-Wonderful Co-Delano Filled Rich Gibson
January 4, 7:00 - 8:45 AM at Hodels restaurant

**Topic:** California Regulatory Ppdate for Crane Operations

California has adopted new regulations for crane operations, including having a Lift Director for critical lifts and similar high risk crane activities. Learn how these regulations help companies reduce risk for crane operations.

**Speaker:** Richard (Dick) Thompson, CSP
Manager of California Affairs/Technical Coordinator
National Commission for the Certification of Crane Operators (NCCCO)

Dick is a veteran of 48 years in the construction industry, with a safety and risk management record spanning three decades. He has worked throughout California and the western U.S. liaising closely with all operational levels to manage effective safety programs to identify and mitigate hazards in heavy construction and mining environments.

He is a Certified Safety Professional (CSP); a CCO-certified Crane Operator (TSS and TLL), Rigger Level I and II, and Signalperson; and a Class A driver, as well as an OSHA 10- and 30-Hour instructor. Dick was recently appointed to California's Occupational Safety and Health Standards Board Advisory Committee tasked with consolidating the state’s crane safety orders.

Dick is also NCCCO's primary point of contact for California employers, industry groups and state jurisdictions such as Cal-OSHA.

February 1, 7:00 - 8:45 AM at Hodels restaurant

**Topic:** California Employment Law Update

**Speaker:** Daniel K. Klingenberger, LeBeau-Thelen, LLP

Dan has nearly 30 years of experience representing large and small companies in all forms of employment litigation, including wrongful termination, sexual harassment, class action, wage and hour violations, unfair competition/trade secret issues and many forms of discrimination. He also works with employers on union/management issues, including union organizing, picketing and work stoppages. He represents employers in collective bargaining negotiations and labor arbitrations involving employee discipline and contractual disputes. Dan graduated from the McGeorge School of Law in 1986. He joined LeBeau-Thelen, LLP in late 2014.

March 1, 7:00 - 8:45 AM at Hodels restaurant

**Topic:** Marijuana in the Workplace: Perception, Reality, Challenges and Answers

In November Californians voted to legalize the recreational use of marijuana. Learn about the unique challenges marijuana legalization brings to your safety program and what your organization can do to help ensure marijuana does not have any effect in your workplace.

**Speaker:** Leslie Elliott, Owner ARCpoint Labs of Bakersfield

Leslie is the owner of Arcpoint Labs of Bakersfield. She brings over 15 years of medication experience to her role as the owner of a drug testing lab. Her experience gives her a unique perspective on the metabolism, effects, and elimination of drugs and alcohol.