

A SLICE OF HUMBLE PIE

When listing golf tournament sponsors in last month's Pipeline e-Newsletter, **Bradford White** was inadvertently omitted. We apologize for this oversight, especially considering that **Bradford White** was the "Tournament Sponsor" (which means **Bradford White** wrote the biggest check). See what they have to offer at www.bradfordwhite.com or www.westernstatesales.com and when you do, please tell them "thank you" for sponsoring the 2012 ORPHCC golf tournament.

ORPHCC ENDORSES BRUCE STARR FOR LABOR COMMISSIONER

ORPHCC has endorsed **Bruce Starr for Labor Commissioner**. This election will be decided in November. ORPHCC encourages you to learn more about both candidates and hopes you will vote for Bruce Starr. To learn more about Senator Starr and to help him campaign, go to www.brucestarr.org.

The campaign has large field signs available. If your shop has a high traffic count and you want to help, email Sean@brucestarr.org! Thanks.

WILLAMETTE (SALEM AREA) CHAPTER MEETING SEPTEMBER 11

BCD Administrator Mark Long will be our guest speaker at next Tuesday's Willamette Chapter dinner starting at 6 pm at Rudy's at Salem Golf Club. FOG rules are under discussion and the 2013 Legislative Session is right around the corner. So plan to attend this informative meeting where your voice can be heard and where you can learn a thing or two you probably didn't know.

The Willamette Chapter meets every other month on the 2nd Tuesday of the month at Rudy's at the Salem Golf Club. You do not need to be an ORPHCC member to attend and everyone orders from the menu and pays for their own bill. Spouses and guests are welcome, too.

COLUMBIA (PORTLAND AREA) CHAPTER MEETINGS: A NEW LOCATION ON SEPTEMBER 18

BCD Administrator Mark Long will also be the guest speaker at the next Columbia Chapter dinner September 18th starting at 6 pm at McMenemy's Old Church & Pub House in Wilsonville. FOG rules are under discussion and the 2013 Legislative Session is right around the corner. So plan to attend this informative meeting where your voice can be heard and where you can learn a thing or two you probably didn't know.

The Columbia Chapter meets the 3rd Tues of each month. Our new location is **McMenemy's Old Church & Pub House** in Wilsonville at 30340 SW Boones Ferry Road (same parking lot as the new Fred Meyer just off I-5). You do not have to be an ORPHCC member to attend. Cost is \$30 per person. Spouses and guests are welcome, too.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR CJ HANSEN SCHOLARSHIP DINNER AND AUCTION

Mark your calendar now for **Friday, November 16th**. We will have our last big event of the year: The scholarship dinner and auction. This dinner will be a great date night (let your wife use the bidding card to get some early Christmas shopping done) and a super way to reward key employees and clients. More information coming soon!

BOARD OF BOILER RULES MEETING RESCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 11

The Board of Boiler Rules meeting scheduled for September 4th has been rescheduled for September 11th. The meeting will be held in Conference Room A at the BCD office starting at 9:30 am.

MECHANICAL BOARD MEETING RESCHEDULED FOR SEPTEMBER 12

The Mechanical Board meeting scheduled for September 5th has been rescheduled to September 12th. The meeting will be held in Conference Room A at the BCD office starting at 9:30 am.

BCD FILES NEW RULE FOR RADON MITIGATION STANDARDS

BCD recently filed a rule that amends the 2010 Oregon Structural Specialty Code for Radon Mitigation Standards. The rule is effective September 1st, but it only applies to new public buildings for which building permits are issued on or after April 1, 2013. For more information, click here:

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/notices/Adopted_Rules/2012/20120901_Radon_PR.pdf

STATE FIRE MARSHALL FILES PROPOSED RULES GOVERNING LPG PROGRAM

The Fire Marshall is proposing new rules regarding Liquefied Petroleum Gas (Propane) regulation in Oregon. The last day for public comment is September 28, 2012. For a copy of the proposed rules, contact Anita Phillips at 503-934-8264.

REGISTER NOW FOR THE GPCP QUARTERLY MEETING SEPTEMBER 19

The Greater Portland Construction Partnership is holding its quarterly meeting at McMenamins Kennedy School on September 19th from 4-6:30 pm. There is no cost to attend, but registrations is requested. The topic of the evening is, "From Recession to Large, Fast-track Construction: Strategies to Address the Safety Challenges". To register or learn more, click on this link:

http://www.gpcp-portland.org/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=71:next-meeting

DEQ AUGUST 2012 TANKLINE BULLETIN AVAILABLE ONLINE

If you are interested in underground storage tank issues, this newsletter is for you! Click here:

<http://www.deq.state.or.us/lq/pubs/docs/tanks/TanklineBulletin1208.pdf>

FEDERATED OFFERS RISK MANAGEMENT RESOURCE CENTER

Federated Insurance is offering its new Risk Management Resource Center to assist ORPHCC members with questions about loss control. This is a new value-added benefit for ORPHCC members. The RMRC is available from 7 am to 5 pm (Central Time) by calling 1-888-FED-4949.

GENERAL PACIFIC HOLDING SOLAR THERMAL TRAINING CLASSES

General Pacific will be holding Solar Thermal Water Heating Technical Training October 9-12, 2012. For more information click on this link: <http://www.generalpacific.com/conservation/solar-thermal-technical-training-october-912-2012-presented-general-pacific>. If you have any questions, contact Erika Fitzgerald at 503-907-2889 or efitzgerald@generalpacific.com.

2011 PLUMBING SPECIALTY CODE CHANGE CONTINUING EDUCATION

The State of Oregon contracts with ORPHCC to provide low-cost 2011 Plumbing Code Change education to licensed plumbers. An online class is available 24/7 and only costs \$20. To register for the online class, simply go to www.orphcc.com and click on the "2011 Plumbing Specialty Code" link.

Live classes will be scheduled across the state in the Fall. If you would like to be notified when a class is scheduled near you, just send an email to Darrell@orphcc.com.

GOLF TOURNAMENT THANKS AND PICS

Thanks again to our golf tournament sponsors for 2012: Braley Gray | HealthNet | LaPorte & Associates | Liberty Northwest Insurance | Consolidated Supply | 1-800-Water Damage | Ferguson/Kohler | AB&I

Foundry | JR Smith | Federated Insurance | Mr. Rooter Plumbing | Moen | Charlotte Pipe | Hammond Valve | PK Strategies | Quality Sales | PacWest Supplies | Keller Supplies | Gordon & Associates | Suntoya/American Standard | Hollabaugh Brothers & Associates

Here is a link to a photo album of the tournament: <http://www.facebook.com/OregonPHCC>

BCD's MOST RECENT NEWSLETTER

Here is a link to important information from BCD. If you do not receive this email, click on the link at the bottom of the page and sign up. This information is valuable and timely.

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/bldg_newsletter/index.html

ORPHCC NOW HAS A FACEBOOK PAGE

Are you on Facebook? Then like the OregonPHCC page!

<http://www.facebook.com/OregonPHCC>

VALUABLE INFO AT NATIONAL PHCC WEBSITE

This link will take you to the all-new National PHCC website. Take a few minutes to look around!

<http://www.phccweb.org>

2012 CALENDAR

September

- 11 Salem Chapter meeting / 6 pm / Rudy's at Salem Golf Club
- 11 Board of Boiler Rules meeting / Salem
- 12 Mechanical Board meeting / Salem
- 18 Portland Chapter meeting/6 pm / **McMenamins Old Church & Pub House**
- 19 GPCP Quarterly meeting / 4 pm / McMenamins Kennedy School
- 20 ORPHCC Full Board of Directors meeting / 10 am / Salem

October

- 1-5 GreenPlumbers Training / Las Vegas NV
- 3-5 PHCC 130th National Convention / Philadelphia PA
- 9 Salem Chapter meeting / 6 pm / Rudy's at Salem Golf Club
- 9-12 Solar Water Heating Technical Training at General Pacific
- 16 Portland Chapter meeting/6 pm / Wilsonville Holiday Inn
- 18 ORPHCC Executive Committee meeting / 10 am / Salem

November

- 13 Salem Chapter meeting / 6 pm / Rudy's at Salem Golf Club
- 16 ORPHCC Full Board of Directors meeting / 3:30 pm / Portland
- 16 CJ Hansen Scholarship Dinner & Auction/Portland

December

- 20 ORPHCC Executive Committee meeting / 10 am / Salem

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