

THIS PIPELINE E-NEWSLETTER SPONSORED BY LaPORTE & ASSOCIATES

Thank you to Jon Niedermeyer and LaPorte & Associates for sponsoring this month's Pipeline e-Newsletter. **ORPHCC has negotiated new rates with HealthNet that can be up to 15 percent less for new groups.** If you received an ORPHCC Health Plan quote previously, THROW IT AWAY! All health insurance contracts are month to month. NOW is the time to receive an updated quote into this large group purchasing pool that is specific to your industry. For a quote or plan information, please contact Jon Niedermeyer at 503-239-4116 or jniedermeyer@laporte-insurance.com.

FORE! LET'S PLAY GOLF / JULY 31st AT STONE CREEK

Mark your calendar now for ORPHCC's annual golf tournament on July 31st at Stone Creek in Oregon City. It is a morning start followed by an awards lunch. We'll have lots of door prizes and awards for the winners. Register today! Last year we had nearly 100 golfers. Follow this link to register online or to download a registration form. See you on the 31st!

<http://www.orphcc.com/memberresources/golftournaments.html>

2013-14 ORPHCC OFFICERS AND BOARD ELECTED

Last month's annual meeting concluded with the election of new officers. They are:

PRESIDENT: Ron Loewen, Best Heating & Cooling, Scio
FIRST VICE PRESIDENT: Rick Charriere, MP Plumbing, Clackamas
SECOND VICE PRESIDENT: Steve Ferree, Mr. Rooter Plumbing, Gladstone
TREASURER: Sam Miller, Crouchley Plumbing, Portland
SECRETARY: Curt Cheever, Roto-Rooter, Wilsonville
IMMEDIATE PAST PRESIDENT: Jay Hansen, CJ Hansen Co, Salem
ZONE 1 DIRECTOR: Steve Houston, Portland
ZONE 2 DIRECTOR: Steve Forbes, Priority Plumbing, Dallas
ZONE 3 DIRECTOR: Vacant
ZONE 4 DIRECTOR: Roy Burris, SOS Plumbing, Talent
ASSOCIATE MEMBERS: TJ Bedell, Consolidated Supply, Portland

A big THANK YOU to Steve Wolfe of IIs Mechanical for his service on the Board. Thanks for making a difference to the industry!

OREGON'S BILL HANSEN TO SERVE AS NATIONAL DIRECTOR

Bill Hansen of CJ Hansen Co of Salem will soon begin serving as the Zone 3 Director for the National PHCC. This post will give Oregon a significant voice in the national association. Mr. Hansen will represent Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana, Alaska and Montana.

HEALTH INSURANCE: CHANGES IN THE LAW AND HOW TO SAVE MONEY

LaPorte & Associates is traveling across the state this month to provide up-to-the-minute information on the always-changing rules in the health insurance market. Join them for one of the seminars listed below to SAVE MONEY for your business. RSVP with Jon Niedermeyer at 503-239-4116 or email him at jniedermeyer@laporte-insurance.com

- June 19th - 3:00 PM - Lake Oswego - Kruse Oaks Conf Cntr (5300 Meadows Rd)

ARE YOU INSTALLING RESIDENTIAL SPRINKLERS?

FREE WEBINAR ON NFPA 13D FOR ORPHCC MEMEBERS. Plumbers protecting the health of the nation takes on new meaning. More and more plumbing contractors are installing residential fire sprinkler systems in compliance with NFPA 13D. Tom Keefe, a licensed plumber in Massachusetts and New Hampshire with more than 30 years of experience in the industry, will discuss the requirements of NFPA 13D, material selection and approvals, installation considerations and system design.

<https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/350099826>

NEW OSHA HAZARD COMMUNICATION STANDARDS: FEDERATED IS READY TO HELP YOU COMPLY

OSHA has adopted the Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals as the new standard for hazard communication. Effective December 1, 2013, employers must ensure that employees are trained on the new labeling elements and Safety Data Sheet formats. Click on the link below to download more information from Federated.

<http://www.orphcc.com/memberresources/pipeline.html>

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY ENERGY BOARD MEETING JUNE 26

The CIEB will hold a meeting on June 26 to review the 2014 OREGON ENERGY EFFICIENCY SPECIALTY CODE. The meeting will be at the BCD office in West Salem beginning at 9:30 am in conference room A. For more information, contact Mark Heizer at (503) 373-0205. Click here for the notice:

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/boards/energy/board_pack/2013/Energy_062613_additional_letter.pdf

BOILER CLASS 3A LICENSE RULEMAKING ADVISORY COMMITTEE TO MEET JUNE 17

The Boiler Class 3A License Rulemaking Advisory Committee will meet June 17th beginning at 1:30 pm in conference room A at the BCD office in West Salem. Click below for the agenda:

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/committees/boiler_class_3A_license/20130617/Agenda_061713.pdf

DEQ COMMISSION MEETING INCLUDES INNOVATIONS IN WATER QUALITY PROTECTION

This month's DEQ Commission meeting in Corvallis on June 19th will include an informational hearing on innovations in water quality protection and treatment. Click on the link below for more information and to download the report memorandum.

<http://www.oregon.gov/deq/EQC/Pages/EQCAgendas2013/EQCJune2013Agenda.aspx>

2010 OSSA ADA UPDATE - COMPARISON OF SINGLE-USER RESTROOMS

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/programs/structural/notices/2010_ADA_Update_Comparison_Single_User_Restrooms_050813.pdf

OREGON FIRE CODE CHANGES COMING

The Office of State Fire Marshal intends to amend Oregon Administration Rule 837 Division 040 to: (1) Adopt the 2012 International Fire Code with Oregon amendments (2014 Oregon Fire Code), with an effective date of April 1, 2014; (2) Remove mid-cycle Oregon amendments to the 2010 Oregon Fire Code; and (3) Change the edition dates of the Oregon Structural Specialty Code and Oregon Mechanical Code from 2010 to 2014.

A public hearing is scheduled: June 18, 2013 / 9:00 A.M. at the Office of State Fire Marshal, 4760 Portland Rd NE, Salem, OR 97305. The last day for public comment is June 18, 2013 at 5:00 P.M. If you

have questions about the rule content, please contact Deputy State Fire Marshal John Caul at (503) 934-8269 or email him at john.caul@state.or.us

COLUMBIA (PORTLAND AREA) & WILLAMETTE (SALEM AREA) CHAPTER MEETINGS

Both the Columbia and Willamette Chapters have started their summer hiatus. Mark your calendar for our first fall meetings on September 10th (Salem) and September 17 (Portland). It will be our goal to have BCD's new Chief Plumbing inspector at these first meetings.

THE LIST OF LOCAL JURISDICTIONS INCREASING FEES....

...is steadily growing. Click here to learn more:

http://www.bcd.oregon.gov/jurisdictions/fee_changes.html

2013 DEQ HAZARDOUS WASTE MANAGEMENT CLASSES

Here is a link to DEQ Hazardous Waste Management classes available around the state.

<http://www.deq.state.or.us/lq/pubs/docs/hw/hwtraining.pdf>

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.

LINK FOR ORPHCC CALENDAR

<http://www.orphcc.com/memberresources/calendar.html>

BUILDING CODES DIVISION NEWSLETTER

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 National PHCC website. Take a few minutes to look around!

<http://www.phccweb.org>

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