

CLEVELAND ASHRAE Newsletter

September, 2004

SEPTEMBER MEETING

Monday September 20, 2004

Time: 4:15 - 5:30 PM Board of Governors Meeting

5:30 - 6:30 PM Attitude Adjustment

5:30 PM Mini-Seminar-Hospital Filtration

6:30 PM Dinner

7:30 PM Main Presentation:

Topic: Medical Environment of the Future

and the Future Diagnostics of your

personal health

Speaker: Charles Minor

See page 3 for his Bio

Location: Harry's Steakhouse Route 21

Independence

R.S.V.P. To Sally at (216) 251-3094 by 12:00 Noon on Friday, September 17th for Reservations Dress Attire is NOW Business Causal

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Welcome Back!

I would like to welcome all of our Cleveland chapter members back from what many of us would agree has been an unusual Cleveland summer, from excessive rain to cool fall-like temperatures to the real deal, hot and humid – Global warming! **No** it's Cleveland!!!

It is an honor for me to begin this 2004 ASHRAE year as the president of our Cleveland chapter. Many thanks go out to Dale van Lehn for all of his hard work as president last year.

Where did the summer go?

- I'm pleased to say that we had a number of new people step up to join our local ASHRAE committees. We continue to need more help to enable our chapter to grow! I'd like to personally thank all of the new chairmen and cochairs along with the existing committee chairmen who have volunteered to become or stay active in our chapter. Many other chapters struggle to get volunteers for committees and all of our committee chairmen should be commended for their admirable participation within our chapter.
- ➤ Cleveland hosted the first National Engineering Green Building (EGB) conference with the major sponsor and host being our own local based HPAC magazine. Close to three hundred people showed up for the 2 day EGB conference, which is indicative of the interest with Green Building sustainable design and LEED certified buildings. HPAC and Cleveland Green Building Coalition along with some other local venders who were present should be applauded for sponsoring such an inspiring event. Michael Ivanovich, Editor-in-Chief of HPAC magazine along with his staff, skillfully made the EGB conference a big success and deserves a big kudos for putting Cleveland in the limelight. As Cleveland has done with medical technology and is doing with fuel cells, Cleveland needs to strive to be at the forefront of "Green Design Engineering"!
- Last month, many of the Cleveland chapter officers and committee chairmen attended the yearly Chapter Regional Conference (CRC) in Frankenmuth, Michigan where many of the changes within ASHRAE both regionally and nationally were discussed. Thanks to all who devoted their time to make the trip to Frankenmuth; (Dale Van Lehn, Brian Chambers, Ken Borah, Rick Zbin, Fred Hollman, Matt Nelson, Ken Wissner, Chuck Nachman, Frank Eisenhower, Scott Jordan, Rob Laneve, Mike Moats and Bill Kodosky). Our chapter received many awards, which Fred Hollman will be handing out at our first meeting in September 20th. I am very proud to say that out of all 13 chapters represented at Frankenmuth, Cleveland won the BiB award, which recognizes Cleveland as the chapter who sent the most attendees to the yearly Chapter Regional Conference (CRC). Perhaps the breweries and quality in German beer in Frankenmuth helped entice this sense of duty, but I'd like to think that the camaraderie and commitment to our local chapter is at the heart of such a great turnout. Thanks again to all attendees.

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Indeed, much has happened this summer, but what will this year look like for our Cleveland ASHRAE chapter?

ASHRAE SAYS GET A THEME FOR THE YEAR!

Times are very different than 5 or 10 years ago. I see more stress in our work-place with typically more to do and less time to do it. We all seem to have more commitments in our personal lives too. We all can use a break to have some "FUN" and that's what I'd like our ASHRAE chapter to embrace for all of our meetings this year. Many thanks go out to Ken Borah and Lou Bentzen for starting the *FUN* this summer with an excellent job of running our golf outings.

QUESTION – How can we get more attendance at meetings? FUN at our yearly tour in October or our Las Vegas night for the December Social. Next year we will have some *FUN* with a Jeopardy night!!! We also will have a couple of panel discussion meetings, which always seems to invoke some?.......FUN entertainment! Additionally, we have some other outstanding technical speakers chosen who not only are the top experts in the industry but are also very entertaining speakers. This month's speaker Mr. Charles Minor offers one of the most entertaining presentations regarding our medical future we've seen in years. I encourage your suggestions for improving attendance. Please call me!!!

Another **theme** I have given thought to is finding ways to bring new blood into our businesses. A few years ago we received donations from the Sal Traina scholarship fund and the Gardiner Foundation for scholarships at CSU. Today we have a very active student ASHRAE chapter at Fenn College with approximately 15 members. ALL of us as an industry need to be more proactive in guiding the youth into our construction industry. How many of us really talk to high school or college kids about our industry? It's somewhat sad that when I talk to the friends of my two high school kids they say – I wouldn't want to have to study the calculus or chemistry needed to be an engineer! What is the future of our construction industry? I will be discussing more on this issue along with some other upcoming Cleveland ASHRAE monthly events next month.

To help disseminate Local or National ASHRAE information and current technical data, beginning next month, I will direct the President's Corner into two distinct areas;

"Chapter Operations" and "Technical Issues".

I look forward to seeing many of you at this month's meeting!

Until next month,

Richard Long, P.E.

Cleveland Chapter President 2004/2005

Biographical Sketch of Charles B. Miner

Charles B. Miner joined Meridia Health System in 1992 as President of Meridia Hillcrest Hospital. In 1993, he assumed the additional responsibility of Meridia Huron Hospital, and in 1995 was named President and Chief Executive Officer of Meridia Health System. In 1997, Mr. Miner assumed the title of President and Chief Executive Officer of the Cleveland Clinic Health System-Eastern Region.

CCHS-Eastern region consists of five acute-care hospitals known as Ashtabula, Euclid, Hillcrest, Huron and South Pointe. The System employs over 5,000 Cleveland area residents and serves as the health system for over 1,000 physicians. In 1997, Meridia Health System became part of the Cleveland Clinic Health System, serving the greater Cleveland area.

Charles Miner first came to Cleveland in 1979 as President of Automatic Sprinkler Corporation of America, a division of Figgie International. In 1982, he became a vice president of the Corporation, and in 1987, became a Group Officer in charge of a variety of manufacturing and service divisions operating worldwide. Divisions coming under his responsibility included Cardinal Insurance Company, Colony Insurance Company, Snorkel Equipment Company, Badger Equipment Company, Huber, Inc., American LaFrance, the Figgie Properties, Logan Manufacturing of UK, Talon PTY, Australia and Taylor Instrument Company. During this time he served on a variety of industry association boards and labor relations councils. In 1979, he worked closely with then Mayor George Voinovich and Governor Richard Celeste to return Figgie International to Cleveland from Richmond, Virginia. He was responsible for the negotiations with the City of Cleveland for the Chagrin Highlands project.

Charlie and his wife Meg make their home in Hudson, Ohio. They have two sons, Curtis and Jason, both graduates of law school. He serves on the Board of Industrial Transport Corporation, the Center for Health Affairs and Premier AEIX Insurance. He also serves on numerous task forces associated with the Center for Health Affairs and the Ohio Hospital Association. He is a member of the 1997-98 Class of Leadership in Cleveland. Mr. Miner teaches a Medical Management/Leadership class at Baldwin-Wallace College in Berea. He is a past president and member of the Hudson Board of Education and Board of the Hudson Economic Development Corporation.

He is a graduate in Chemical Engineering from the University of Rochester and holds a Professional Engineering license.

CHAPTERS' REGIONAL CONFERENCE (CRC) AWARDS

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PRESIDENTIAL AWARD OF EXCELLENCE (PAOE)

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CATEGORY	POINTS	CRC RANK	LAST YEAR
CHAPTER PAID MEMBERS	348 4TH	2ND/327	
MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION	845	1ST	3RD/820
STUDENT ACTIVITES	1015	3RD	3RD/1144
CHAPTER PROGRAMS	800	4TH	10TH/150
RESOURCE PROMOTION	862	1ST	1ST/1075
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HISTORY	225	4TH/TIE	6TH/225
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-1ST PLACE, LEVEL 3

-CERTIFICATE

CHAPTER OFFICERS

*FULL CIRCLE AWARD
-PATCH FOR BANNER
CHAPTER DONATION

-SILVER RIBBON FOR AWARDS BANNER

OLIVERI ATTENDANCE AWARD (BIB TROPHY-BALD IS BEAUTIFUL)

-CLEVELAND CHAPTER WITH (13) PARTICIPANTS

FRED HOLLMAN,

CHAIR - HONORS AND AWARDS

NEXT CRC AT MERRILLVILLE, IN. (SOUTH OF GARY, ROUTE 65) AUGUST 13-15, 2005



Happy Labor Day

Chapter Calendar:

Oct 18, 2004 Tour TBA

Nov15, 2004 Panel Discussion on OSFC

with Heapy Engineering and

School Owners

Location: Harry's Steakhouse

Joint meeting with Akron

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Dec 20th, 2004 ASHRAE Social TBA

August Golf Outing



TEC's low score of 9 under at Columbia Hills Country Club was enough to win them this years ASHRAE scramble. The TEC team was made up of Joel Atland, Rick Zbin, Mark Biekman and Alan Ambuske? Congratulations to the winners!

June Golf Outing



This year the Gardiner Cup was won by Lou Joseph of Brewer Garrett on June 11th at Tanglewood Country Club. WOW – someone who can golf par!! A big congratulations goes out to Lou for a wonderful round.



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