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Our President's Message



Mike Perloski, P.E.

The ASHE year has come to an end. Summer is fast approaching and our free time (what little we have) is beginning to wonder to other activities. Our last function will be our annual banquet on May 13th at Liberty Forge. We will be honoring all of our Past Presidents and announcing our member of the award winner. We hope to see all of you there.

The ASHE Board has accomplished many things this year. They include the annual golf outing, the picnic with ASCE and PSPE, two adopt-a-highway litter pick up outings, awarding six scholarship winners, the first annual District 8-0/ASHE Conference, a photo contest, participation in the Patriot-News Capital Area Science and Engineering Fair at Dickinson College, preparing to host the 2008 ASHE National Conference, seven monthly dinner meetings with guest speakers, a monthly news letter, maintaining a web site, supporting a charity each month, participation on the Central Pennsylvania Engineers Week Council, recruitment, regional ASHE activities, and many others.

I am very fortunate to have worked with a very dedicated and hard working board. They make the position of President a very enjoyable and relatively easy task. They support each other well and have lots of fun providing the activities they do for the membership. If you get a chance, take the time and thank them for all their hard work. This organization would not be as successful with out every one of them. If you are interested in becoming a board member or just becoming more involved, contact me at mperloski@jdeckmaninc.com.

Once the Banquet is complete, we will start planning the golf outing, which is set for Friday August 5th. Have a great summer and thank you for your support of ASHE-Harrisburg.



ENJOY THE SUMMER!

**ASHE Harrisburg
would like to thank all Century
Club Members for another year
of great effort!**

Century Club Members to be Recognized

Annual certificates will be presented to all of our 2004-2005 Century Club members at the ASHE Harrisburg 2005 Annual Banquet. A certificate frame will also be provided to organizations that have joined the Century Club during the past three years, including Applied Research Associates, Inc., Arora and Associates, Inc., Century Engineering, Inc., JBC Associates, Inc., J. D. Eckman, Inc., Navarro & Wright Consulting Engineering, Inc., SAI Consulting Engineering, Inc., Site-Blauvelt Engineers, and So-Deep, Inc. If your organization has never received a certificate frame from ASHE and would like to have one for displaying your Century Club certificate, please e-mail John Becker at jbecker@pavement.com.

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Steve Koser	LaConie Jackson
Dave Kapura	Mike Ryan
John Becker	Nominating
Scholarship	Chuck Allwein
Kathy Weiser	Website
Mark Greenholt	Catharine Miller
Legislative Report	John Becker
Brian Fraley	Steve Roman
Mike Ryan	Charity Events
Budget	Kathy Weiser
Chuck Allwein	LaConie Jackson
Membership	Jenni Woodworth
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Scholarship Winners

At the April 4th dinner meeting, we presented scholarship awards to six very deserving students from the Central Pennsylvania area. Each student received a \$1,500.00 check to put towards his or her education in engineering. The money for the scholarships is raised each year by our section through the annual golf outing, the 50/50 raffle at our monthly meetings, and personal donations made by members of our section.

Our Scholarship Committee was chaired this year by Kathy Weiser and included Chuck Allwein and Doug George. We appreciate the time they spent reading the applications and choosing the scholarship recipients. The Scholarship Committee and the ASHE Board would like to thank the membership for their continued support of the Scholarship Program. Without your contributions, this would not be possible.

This year's winners are:

Theresa Andrejack - *Drexel University*

Paul Blascovich - *Central Dauphin East High School*

Kelly Donmoyer - *Warwick High School*

Kyle Horst - *Lancaster Mennonite School*

Matthew McKeehan - *Carlisle High School*

Christopher Morris - *Pennsylvania State University*

Best wishes to them in all of their future engineering endeavors!

Contact Info Updates

If your contact information changes, please contact Jenni Woodworth, Section Administrator for ASHE Harrisburg:

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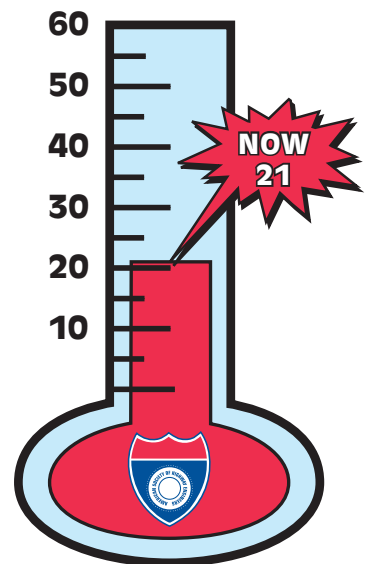
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Ad Hoc Committees

Historian	ASHE/PSPE/ASCE Picnic
Mark Greenholt	Doug George
	Drew Bitner
Contractor & Government Involvement	Annual Golf Outing
Brian Fraley	Drew Bitner
Steven Koser	Douglas George

2008 National Conference
 Sandi Loy-Bell
 Sandy Ivory

2004-2005 ASHE Membership Drive



April's Dinner Meeting Photo Gallery



Doug George with speakers Sandra K. Basehore and Richard M. Coleman.



Doug George and Kathy Weiser stand with the 2005 Scholarship Winners.

**2004-05 CALENDAR
ASHE HARRISBURG**

**Annual Banquet
May 13, 2005**

“Shoes for Tots” Program Benefits Iraqi Children

(Harrisburg, Pa.) A “Shoes for Tots” program has collected more than 3,000 pairs of shoes for children in Iraq. Gannett Fleming, an international planning, design, and construction management firm, organized the drive and recently shipped more than 220 boxes of donations to the Dahuk, Iraq, region.

Gannett Fleming employees were asked to donate supplies following a request from Timothy Flaherty, a geologist with the Louisville District, USA Corps of Engineers. Currently volunteering in Iraq, Flaherty is disturbed by the conditions of some of the poorest villages near where he is stationed. He enlisted the help of his friend David Wilson, manager of Gannett Fleming’s Earth Sciences and Hydraulics Practice, and asked for 100 pairs of shoes.

“Gannett Fleming employees answered a call to help those less fortunate with overwhelming generosity,” stated Ronald J. Drnevich, P.E., chairman and CEO. “I am proud to be associated with such a compassionate group.”

More than 23 of the firm’s regional offices responded to the drive with donations of shoes, socks, clothing, games, toiletries, art supplies, toys, school supplies, football and soccer balls, and stuffed animals. These supplies, numbering more than 30 times Flaherty’s original request, will be distributed to children in Iraq.

District 8-0 Anticipated April 2005 - May 2005 Lettings

County	State Route	Section	Title	ECMS #	Programmed Cost	Let Date
Districtwide		RPM	Dist. 2005 RPM Contract	72168	\$380,000	4/7/2005
Districtwide			2005 Districtwide GR	67874	\$2,314,000	5/19/2005
Adams	4008	013	Opossum Creek Bridge	18053	\$1,156,000	4/7/2005
Cumberland	81	000	Emergency Brg Work 81 SB	73335	\$250,000	4/7/2005
Cumberland	3008	006	Pine Grove Road Bridge	61663	\$496,000	4/7/2005
Cumberland	1017	002	Enola Drive	66442	\$862,000	5/19/2005
Dauphin	1021	003	Church Street Bridge	19114	\$1,368,000	4/21/2005
Dauphin	22	031	US 22 Walnut Street	71132	\$1,100,000	5/19/2005
Dauphin	225	015	Market Street - North	61628	\$2,025,000	4/7/2005
Dauphin	743	016	Hershey/Elizabethtown Rd	63656	\$1,927,000	4/7/2005
Dauphin	0	ENH	Millersburg Train Station	65942	\$230,000	4/29/2005
Franklin	9900	RDW	Montgomery Alley	47874	\$2,563,000	4/18/2005
Franklin	11	034	Molly Pitcher Highway	66434	\$1,774,000	5/5/2005
Franklin	16	022	Mercersburg Signals	66578	\$310,000	5/19/2005
Lancaster	501	008	PA-501 Spot Widening	59661	\$1,466,000	4/6/2005
Lancaster	441	010	Third St./Lancaster Ave	62001	\$2,390,000	5/19/2005
Lancaster		ENH	RR Museum of PA Exhibits	59506	\$219,000	4/29/2005
Lancaster		ENH	RR Museum Ent Renovate I	66395	\$303,000	4/29/2005
York	624	004	Long Level Road	71136	\$1,035,000	5/19/2005
York	216	008	Blooming Grove Road	61938	\$1,969,000	4/21/2005

NEW ASHE MEMBERS

NAME	SPONSOR	MEMBERSHIP STATUS
Daniel J. Hacker	Drew Bitner	Senior Member
Simeon B. Suter	Drew Bitner	Senior Member
Randolph A. Shearer	Drew Bitner	Senior Member
Jennifer L. Dormer	Drew Bitner	Associate Membership
Jason C. Bewley	Steven Moore	Senior Member
Tamra L. Scanlon	Todd Morris	Senior Member

ASHE Harrisburg in Local Science and Engineering Fair

On March 14th, Chuck Allwein and Drew Bitner represented ASHE Harrisburg as Special Awards judges at the Patriot-News Capital Area Science and Engineering Fair at Dickinson College. The Science and Engineering Fair is a yearly event that encourages local middle and high school students to create and submit a project that uses the scientific method to explore an area of science or engineering. This is the second year that the Harrisburg Section has presented four Special Awards at this worthy function. The judges found the students exhibits to be well thought out and constructed.

ASHE presented the following students with Awards for their efforts:

SENIOR DIVISION – 1st PLACE - \$200

Lauren Hummel - Fairfield High School

SENIOR DIVISION – 2nd PLACE - \$100

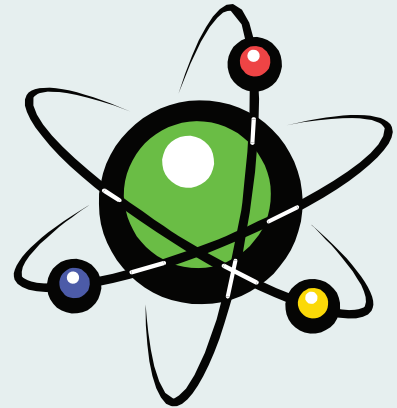
Ian Johnson - Susquenita High School

JUNIOR DIVISION – 1st PLACE - \$100

Glenn Stouffer - Swatara High School

JUNIOR DIVISION – 2nd PLACE - \$50

Matthew Adams - Susquenita Middle School



The Award Winners and their parents, or guardians, were invited to the April 4th Dinner Meeting.

LaConie Jackson represented ASHE Harrisburg at this function as a Category judge with the Central Penn Engineering Week Council.

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Please review the list of candidates and commend them for their willingness to donate their time and efforts to serve our ASHE Section. If you wish to nominate a candidate other those listed above, you must provide a petition containing 10 % of the eligible voting members of the Section (approximately 42 signatures), accompanied by a letter from the nominee indicating his/her acceptance of the nomination. The petition and the letter must be received no later than 60 days from the publication of this Newsletter.

Volunteers Needed for 2008 National Conference Committees

The 2008 ASHE National Conference will mark the 50th anniversary of ASHE. Region 4, which includes the Harrisburg and Altoona sections, will be responsible for hosting the event. In order to make the conference a success, Region 4 is currently seeking approximately 50 volunteers to begin the planning process. Please contact Sandy Ivory (sivory@keller.nb.net) or Sandi Loy Bell (sloy-bell@skellyloy.com) if you are interested in serving on one of the following committees:

- **Registration/Reception**
- **Entertainment**
- **Exhibits**
- **Finance**
- **Technical**
- **Golf**
- **Advertising**
- **PR/Publicity**
- **Transportation**
- **Guest Programs**



THE ASHE CENTURY CLUB

The ASHE Harrisburg Section wishes to thank the following Century Club members for their support during 2004-2005.

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The Century Club is an excellent opportunity to gain recognition among your colleagues, while actively supporting ASHE. Call Jenni Woodworth of Pennoni Associates, Inc. at 717-975-6481, to make your pledge.