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Spring 2009 Programs Announced

Wednesday, January 21, 2009 6:00 PM

"Quality in the Design of Automotive Audio"

Shaling Starr

Mechanical Engineer, Rolls-Royce, Indianapolis

Preclinic: "5S" - Henry Peresie

Wednesday, February 18, 2009 6:00 PM

"TBD"

Wednesday, March 18, 2009 6:00 PM

"Design of Experiments"

Dr. Rebecca Pierce – Ball State University

Wednesday, April 15, 2009 6:00 PM

"Student Night Presentations"

from Purdue's College of Technology at Anderson

Wednesday, May 20, 2009 6:00 PM

Annual Scholarship Night – at Ivy Tech

"Beech Grove School's Improvement Program"

Paul Kaiser, Superintendent of Schools, Beech Grove, IN

Pre-Clinic:

6:00 PM - Selected Topics

Dinner:

6:30 PM Meal Cost: Pay Restaurant

Program:

7:30 PM - Featured Speaker

Meetings – except for May - will be held at:

Sirloin Stockade

4949 W. Hessler Rd., Muncie, IN Phone:(765) 287-9051

Bad Weather! – Call the Restaurant Directions on Page 4

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ASQ Meetings are open to the Public

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Section 0904 Calendar

2008 – 2009

September 17	Dinner & Program
September 25	Board Meeting
October 3	Deadline: Dec. Cert. Exam
October 15	Dinner & Program
October 18	Certification Exams
October 23	Board Meeting
November 19	Dinner & Program
December 4	Board Meeting
December 6	Certification Exams
December 17	Tour – Ball Hospital
January 8, 2009	Board Meeting
January 11	Deadline: March Cert. Exam
January 21	Dinner & Program
January 29	Board Meeting
February 18	Dinner & Program Election of Officers
February 26	Board Meeting
March 7	Certification Exams
March 18	Dinner & Program
March 26	Board Meeting
April 10	Deadline: June Cert. Exam
April 15	Dinner and Program
April 23	Board Meeting
May 20	Dinner & Program
May 28	Board Meeting
June 6	Certification Exams
June 13	Officer Training - Indy
June 25	Board Meeting

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Contact: Bob Cooper – Newsletter Editor

Chat from the Chair:

January 6, 2009

Welcome to a new year! Hopefully this year will be better than last year. With a new year we look to a new beginning.

I have 3 things I would like to focus on this year:

- 1) Recruiting members to our leadership committee. Several of our leadership members are filling several different positions and we currently have 2 positions open, recertification chair and arrangements chair.
- 2) Recruiting new members to our section. We need to expand our membership base to include more health care and student members. With so many manufacturing businesses closing in our section it has taken a toll on our membership. I hope this trend will be reversed this year however it is important to let people know that ASQ is for more than just manufacturing.
- 3) Help on getting speakers for our technical meetings (both main and pre-clinic speakers). We on the leadership committee are running out of contacts for speakers. If you know anyone who would be willing to speak to our members please let us know.

I will need your help in achieving these goals.

Please keep in mind our Scholarship banquet in May. Even if you are not interested in attending the banquet please consider either buying a ticket anyway or contributing to the scholarship fund. All money we get for the banquet after expenses goes to the scholarship fund. Help us keep this scholarship going. If you think your company would be willing to contribute to the scholarship please let us know. Also if you know of a senior in high school who is in need of \$500 towards tuition please let them know about our scholarship. More information can be found on our website.

Finally I would ask you to go to <http://www.asq.org/mr/09-sect-sat.html> and fill out the survey for our section. This will help us to improve your experience with ASQ and our section. ASQ has purchased survey software that each section can use. We need to have a section member who would be interested in working with ASQ in using this software for our section. If you are interested please let me know.

Let's work together to make your ASQ membership more beneficial for 2009!

Allen Fuller

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From Anderson: Follow I69 North to SR332 (Exit 41). Follow 332 into Muncie. Turn LEFT onto Morrison Road.

From Marion: Follow I69 South to SR332 (Exit 41). From there it's the same as the Anderson instructions.

From Richmond: Follow US35 North to the Muncie Bypass (SR3 & US35). Follow the Bypass North to the first traffic light and turn LEFT on McGalliard Road (SR332). Follow the Muncie directions.

From Hartford City: Follow SR3 South to the Muncie Bypass and continue to the first traffic light (McGalliard Road). Turn RIGHT on McGalliard Road (SR332). Follow the Muncie directions above.

From Portland: Follow SR67 South to the Muncie Bypass (SR3 & US35). Continue south to the first traffic light (McGalliard Road). Turn RIGHT on McGalliard Road (SR332). Follow the Muncie directions above.

Congratulation to:
Karen Wegman
 recipient of ASQ Section 0904's second annual Halmond Parks Scholarship. Karen is a 2008 graduate of the Wegman Academy and is attending Indiana Wesleyan University

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Our Section proctors the ASQ Certification exams given in the East Central Indiana area.

**Ivy Tech Muncie Campus
North Building - Room 533
4301 South Cowan Road
Muncie, IN 47302**

Contact Steve Zylka for more information.

Our website has a map

Future exam dates and deadlines:

**CQT, CQI, CRE, CQManager,
CQA-Biomedical, SSBB
March 7, 2009** (January 9, 2009)

**CQE, CQA, CSQE, CQIA, CCT
June 6, 2009** (April 10, 2009)

Congratulations:

Jim Cree – CSSBB – Oct 2008

ASQ Section 0904 Scholarship:

The Leadership Committee of Section 0904 is implementing a scholarship in the name of Halmond Parks, the founder and first Chair of Section 0904 in 1949. The scholarship will be in the amount of \$500.00 for a graduating high school senior from the Section 0904 geographic region. I would like to ask all members to consider donating \$5.00 to the scholarship fund. If every member of the section donates \$5.00 we will be able to fund this worthwhile project. To donate send a check payable to ASQ Section 0904 to :

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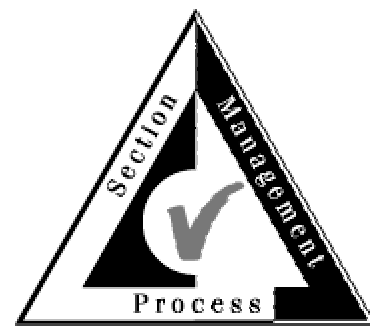
Richard Ruh, MS, MBA richruh@sbcglobal.net

Welcome New Members

**January 2009 – No New Members
December 2008 – No New Members**

**November 2008
Jason Crouse - Emerson Climate
Technologies - Anderson
Robert Mack - ELSA Corp LLC -
Frankton
Rena F. McIntyre - BI Ind - Anderson**

**October 2008
Jerry Oler - TBK America - Richmond
Tim Adney - Renaissance Specialty
Hospital - Muncie**



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