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# <u>LAKE COUNTY SAFETY COUNCIL ROUNDTABLE —</u> BEST PRACTICES FROM AWARD-WINNING COMPANIES

#### **The Regular Monthly Program Features:**

The fourth installment of the safety council's roundtable discussion regarding successful safety programs and procedures presented by award-winning local companies.

- The "best practices" program panel includes:
- ⇒ Scott Cole—Lake County Department of Utilities
- $\Rightarrow$  Jeff Lyden—Avery Dennison
- $\Rightarrow$  Dave Verbic—Accurate Metal Sawing
- ⇒ Cliff Smith—Component Repair Technologies

**TIME:** 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., registration @ 11:15 a.m. **DATE:** Friday, Jan.18th

- SITE: Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites LaMalfa @ Route 2 and Heisley Road
- **RSVP**: Call 440-255-0877 by Friday, Jan. 11th To make your reservations
- COST: \$18 reporting members, \$20 non-members

## **2007 Safety Council Dates/Topics**

Friday, Jan. 18thSafety Council Roundtable<br/>(Award-Winning Safety Programs)Friday, Feb. 15thBehavior-Based Safety<br/>Programs & ProceduresFriday, March 14thIdentity TheftFriday, April 18thAwards Banquet and "Builders<br/>& Destroyers" Seminar

### **BWC Offers Clasess for Ohio Workers**

The Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation Division of Safety & Hygiene Training Center offers more than five dozen occupational safety, health and ergonomic courses in 12 locations statewide; and severn online.

All courses are offered at no additional cost to Ohio employers who pay into the Ohio workers' compensation insurance fund.

Courses are designed to emphasize practical application of safety principles, to help develop a safety culture and to provide current and proposed standards for regulatory compliance.

The courses at the BWC Garfield Heights Service Office cover a wide variety of subject matter and range in length from half a day to a week long. Some of the courses begin this week.

There are courses on controlling workers' compensation costs, accident analysis, hazard communication, measuring safety performance and wellness in the workplace, to list just a few. For more information call 1-800-OHIOBWC or visit the learning center web site ww.bwclearningcenter.com.

**January Meeting Sponsors** 

Lake Hospital System And Express Personnel Services

## Lake Hospital Svstem

# Lake Hospital System Provides "One-Stop-Shopping" For Employers

Lake Hospital System's Occupational Health Department has multiple facilities to meet area companies' needs. The walk-in centers located in Willowick, Mentor, Madison and Chardon offer seven-day-a-week coverage with expanded hours of operations. LakeEast and LakeWest emergency rooms provide 24/7 injury care when the walk-in centers are closed.

Lake Hospital System is the optimum resource for occupational health throughout Lake County and the surrounding area. Lake Hospital System is a non-profit BWC Workers' Compensation provider for the BWC Drug Free Workplace Program. Lake Hospital System offers Employee Assistance Programs and referral services. The system's Occupational Health Services group offers a full range of examinations, screenings, rehabilitation services and wellness programs to meet companies' health care needs.

#### **Occupational Health Services include:**

Local MRO Services **DOT** Consortium

Twenty-Four Hour Injury Care Drug & Alcohol Abuse Testing **DOT** Physicals On-Site Mobile Audio Testing DOT Drug & Alcohol Testing Random Substance Abuse Testing Flu Shots

**Pre-Placement Physicals & WebCheck** Random Drug Pull Program Wellness Screenings & Programs

For Companies: Occupational Health Services & Wellness Screenings/Programs are available on-site.....call Chris Brill-Packard@ 440-354-1933.

# Thank You to January Meeting Sponsors Lake Hospital System & Express Personnel Services



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Friday, Dec. 14th LCSC Meeting A.J. Goulder Electric Co. Able Contracting Accurate Metal Sawing Active Plumbing Advocare Aexcel Corp. Allied Door Systems Altercare of Mayfield Altercare of Mentor American Controls American Guard American Red Cross Animal Hospital, Inc. Apollo Welding & Fabricating Aqua Ohio Arcola Building Company Around the Clock Astro Manufacturing Avery Dennison Beachwood Schools Bescast Bodycote Thermal Brotzman's Nursery Career Tech Cast Nylons Chardon Metal Products Cities of Eastlake and Mayfield Heights City of Mentor-on-the-Lake City of Painesville-Fire, Water and WPCP Depts. City of Willoughby Hills Classic Auto Group Cleveland Crystals Clinical Health Laboratories Cohara Corp. Com-Corp Industries Cometic Gasket Commercial Siding & Maintenance Co. Component Repair Technologies Concord Township Core Systems Cres Cor Damon Morgan Corp. De Nora Tech (ELTECH) Dependable Cleaning Contractors Diskcopy Dyson Corporation EA Group Environmental Conditioning Systems Equistar Chemical ESCO TT Extrudex Eye Lighting Flow Polymers Fredon Corporation Gateway Manor Gateway Retirement Community Grande Pointe Hadrian, Inc. Hambden Building Products High Tech Performance Trailers Holden Arboretum Home Care of Lake County HzW Environmental Consultants Infinity Resources Interlake Stamping Jr. Properties Kemper House Kennington Electric Kerr Lakeside Kirtland Schools Kline Construction Kucera International KW Lang Mechanical Lake County Emergency Management Agency Lake County Plating Lake County Dept. of Utilities Lake Hospital System Lake Humane Society Lake Metroparks Lakeland Community College

**Dec. 14th Meeting (Continued)** Laketran Lantern of Madison Leroy Township Lew's Reliable Heat Libra Industries Lincoln Electric Madison Schools and Madison Township Mayfield City Schools MC Sign McNeil Industries Mentor Fire Department Mentor Lumber Mentor Public Library Mentor Public Schools Mentor Television Mentor Way Nursing & Rehab Center Mid-West Materials Miltronics & Skye Modern Employment Modern International Graphics Morley Library MT Heat Treating Neff-Perkins North American Coating Lab. North Perry Village Northeast Masonry NOVA Chemicals, Inc. Ohio Associated Enterprises Ohio Moulding, Inc. OMNI Cart Pace Engineering Painesville Board of Education Painesville Electric Plant Painesville and Perry Townships Perfection Corp. Perry Joint Fire District PET Processors Polychem Corporation Preformed Line Products Quality Assurance Supported Living RT&T Machining Radix Wire Company Ranpack Corp. Regal Diamond Products Reserves Network Robert's Roofing Co. Roll-Kraft **Roval Plastics** Salida Woods-Life Services Sawyer Technical Materials Servpro of Mentor SFI Electrical Contractors Sheet Metal Products South Shore Controls Star Precision Products STERIS Corp. Sticker Corporation Summerville of Mentor The News-Herald Team Wendy Tom Schaefer Plumbing Trailer Component Manufacturing Transfer Express Trust Technologies Universal Metal Products US Endoscopy USM Precision Products VL Chapman Electric Villages of Fairport Harbor and Waite Hill Visiting Angels Volk Optical Waste Management West Geauga Local Schools Wickliffe Country Place Willo Security Willoughby-Eastlake Public Library Willoughby-Eastlake Schools Woodhawk Club Condo Association Your Gardener & Company Yours Truly-Mayfield & Hudson

Meeting Reminder, Friday, Jan. 18, 2008	
Program Topic:	Safety Council Roundtable"Best Practices" and Safety Suggestions
Speaker(s):	Award-Winning Lake County Safety Council Members
Location:	Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites LaMalfa
Cost/Reservations:	\$18 for members, \$20 for non-MembersReservation Line (440) 255-0877
Time:	Registration Begins 11:15 a.mMeeting 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Sponsors:	Express Personnel Services & Lake Hospital System
Meeting Reminder, Friday, Feb. xx, 2008	
Program Topic:	Behavior-Based Safety "Enhancing Workplace Safety Thru Behavior Based Safety Implementation"
Speaker:	Ray Kovacs, NOVA Chemicals, Responsible Care Specialist
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## Lake County Safety Council Semi-Annual Reports Due by January 18th

Safety campaign semi-annual report forms for the second half of 2007 have been mailed. If you are a reporting member of the Lake County Safety Council and have not received this form, call Mark at 440-255-1616. Complete this report with your company's accident statistics for the time frame of July 1, 2007 through December 31, 2007. The semi-annual report is very important, it is one of the savings incentive program requirements. By completing this form your company will continue to meet the reporting requirements of the safety campaign. Companies with excellent or improved safety records are honored by the BWC at the Lake County Safety Council's annual awards banquet. Please fax the completed forms to 440-255-1717 by Friday January 18th.

Please remember to make a reservation. We appreciate it. The caterer does too. Thanks!



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