



June 2010 Newsletter

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Upcoming Events

JUNE NETWORKING EVENT – THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 2010 – 5:00-7:00PM



Come join your ASCE YMG friends for our June Networking Event on Thursday, June 10th at the Old Chicago located at 145 Union Boulevard, Lakewood, CO 80228. We have had some good turn outs this year and we would like to keep that going. If you work in the area or maybe not come out and meet some new people and old friends. There will be some free appetizers provided by ASCE YMG. For more

information about the place go to www.oldchicago.com. If you have questions, get lost, or cannot find the group, feel free to call Jason Igo at 720-938-3790.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY – SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 2010 – 9:00AM-4:30PM

The Colorado ASCE YMG will be volunteering with Habitat for Humanity on June 19, 2010.

When: June 19th from 9 am to 4:30 pm. Volunteers are required to be there on time and work the whole day.

Where: Bails townhome project near I-25 and Evans (address is: 4350 E. Bails Place/80222)

Lunch: You must provide your own lunch.

What to wear: Old clothes, closed shoes, work gloves, sunscreen, cap. Do not wear open-toed shoes.

Please contact Matt Schneider at mschneider@martinmartin.com if you will be attending so that he can get you additional information, and we can provided Habitat with an accurate head count.

ASCE DITCH DIGGERS VOLLEYBALL – WEDNESDAYS, MAY - AUGUST

The ASCE YMG would like to invite you for a fun filled summer of Designer League Volleyball. This league is made up mostly of Engineers, Architects and Contractors. We play in the coed 6v6 recreation league. All skill levels and ages are more than welcome to come out and play. Everybody get a turn to play and we barely keep score. The league begins Wednesday, May 5th and runs until the end of August. The league runs every Wednesday starting at 5:45pm in Washington Park at the corner of Downing & Virginia. The fields are set up in the northwest corner and usually there is an orange safety vest hanging on the net we are playing on. You are welcome to participate in as many nights as your schedule allows. Significant others are also welcome play. If you would like to be placed on the email list for the 2010 ASCE Ditch Diggers Volleyball Team or if you have any questions, please contact Brian Bern at Brian_Bern@matrixdesigngroup.com. Otherwise we hope to see you there.

9TH ANNUAL GOLF TOURNEY – JULY 29TH, 2010

The annual golf tournament is just around the corner.



9th Annual ASCE Golf Tourney

Where: Arrowhead Golf Club, Littleton, CO

When: Thursday, July 29th, 2010 7:30 am shotgun start, registration and breakfast at 6:30am.

Registration and sponsorship forms can be found at:

<http://www.ascecoloradoymg.org/Events/AnnualGolfTournament/tabid/147/Default.aspx>.

We will be playing at Arrowhead Golf Club in Littleton Colorado. If you want to check out or learn more about the course go to www.arrowheadcolorado.com.

We are looking for people to participate in the tournament and people willing to help out with the festivities. The money raised from the tournament goes to fund competitive scholarships awarded to college students from University of Colorado Boulder, University of Colorado Denver, Metro State University, Colorado School of Mines, Colorado State University-Fort Collins, Colorado State University-Pueblo, and the Air Force Academy.

For more information about registration, volunteering, or sponsorship please contact the golf committee chair, Jaryd Takushi at Jaryd@npreco.com.

ASCE ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC – AUGUST 21, 2010

This is a reminder about our Annual picnic on August 21st! It will be held in the usual spot in Sloans Lake at the picnic area at 26th Avenue & Tennyson. We will be grilling up an early dinner of burgers and hot dogs in addition to some chips and dip, and beer provided by the YMG. We will provide volleyball, corn-hole, and frisbee as well. Significant others and family pets are also welcome to join us. If you are interested in helping with the planning of the event contact Serkan Sengal at serkans@groundeng.com.

EWB SAND SCULPTURE CONTEST – SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2010



Engineers Without Borders (EWB) is looking for some teams interested in participating in their annual Sand Sculpture fundraiser. The fundraiser raises money for EWB Denver projects in Madagascar, Togo, and Ecuador. To see pictures of last years contestants, learn more about it, or to download a registration form go to www.ewbdenver.org/sand or contact Jason Igo at igo.jason@gmail.com.

EWB GENERAL MEETING – TUESDAY, JUNE 8, 2010 – 7:00-9:00PM

Ever wondered what Engineer Without Borders is all about? The general meeting is the time to learn about the different projects that they participate in and what the organization is all about. The general meeting is located at University of Denver Engineering Building (Knudson Hall) room 309, [Click here for a map](#). For more information go to www.ewbdenver.org.

Past Events

PAST NETWORKING EVENT – THURSDAY, MAY 13, 2010



The networking event at Candlelight Tavern was not our best turn out. Even though the amount of people was a little low it still was not a total loss with some new faces. We hope to turn the lack of people around for this next networking event. We are always happy to meet new faces and say hi to old friends so come out to June Networking Event.

NATIONAL TRAIL DAYS – SATURDAY, JUNE 5, 2010

Unfortunately not many ASCE members showed up for the event. Yet overall there were about 72 people that had volunteered. This was not the 120 that they were hoping for but we accomplished more than what was expected and was able to stop early due to the progress that we made. Unfortunately none of us won the REI gear that was raffled off at the end of the day. Yet two Bronco's players did come and shake our hands to thank us for all our good work and free Frisbees, carabineers, footballs, 25% coupons off one item at REI, and the food made up for our bad luck. Overall a good time had by all and something to look forward to next year.

Officer Positions Available

We are always looking for new officers and chairs. Each year, every officer position is up for election. Specific vacancies expected this year are YMG President and Community Outreach Co-Chair. If you would like to get more involved in ASCE, please contact Brian Bern at Brian_Bern@matrixdesigngroup.com. Elections for positions currently occupied will be held during the Annual Summer Picnic to be held on August 21st.

Membership Postings and ASCE information

2010 NOMINATIONS FOR YOUNGER MEMBER EMPLOYER RECOGNITION AWARD

The Committee on Younger Members is seeking nominations for the 2010 Younger Member Employer Recognition Award.

The Employer Recognition Award was created to recognize employers who support young engineers and assist with their personal development. CYM also awards two Superior Employer Recognition Awards (one public, one private) to the nominees who best display exemplary support of young engineers in their organizations. A list of winning organizations will be submitted for publication in ASCE News and included in the Younger Member Newsletter.

Nominations must be postmarked by August 1, 2010. The nomination form, which describes the award in detail, is attached or available for download on FTP site at ftp://gsd.asce.org/Younger_Members/2010%20ASCE%20CYM%20Employer%20Recognition%20Application.doc

ASCE Membership Information

Want to find out more about what's going on with other ASCE Younger Member Groups? Check out the Committee on Younger Members Winter Newsletter

<http://now.eloqua.com/es.asp?s=1360&e=2202&elq=2195c07da2e34998bd7e20ad4fc56aab>

PE &EIT Corner

Hey all Civil Engineers who have taken the PE or EIT. I am looking for advice, anecdotes or stories about taking the PE exam. I will post the best submission in the next PE Corner for all the future PE takers to see. Please send submissions to Jason Igo at igo.jason@gmail.com.

Job Listings

Is your company looking to hire an engineer 35 and under? Do you want your listing to go out to hundreds of young engineers in the Denver Metropolitan Area? If so, please contact Jason Igo at igo.jason@gmail.com with a brief description with some contact information and the dates you would like to have it posted, and we will get it included in the next newsletter and posted to the ASCE Colorado YMG website.

NEED INTERNS? WE CAN HELP

If your office is interested in hiring interns, the YMG has the contacts you are looking for. ASCE Student Chapters at various Universities have expressed interest in locating internships for their students. If you need internships for Structural, Roadway, Traffic, Water, or any other discipline, please contact our College Outreach Chair, Matt Schneider at mschneider@martinmartin.com and he will put you in touch with the Student Chapter Presidents.

Member Postings

JETS - Co-ADVISOR POSITION AVAILABLE

The ASCE Younger Member Group is currently looking for a couple of volunteers to assist with the Civil Engineering course that we teach as part of the Junior Engineers and Tomorrows Scientists program (JETS) offered by the Colorado Association of Black Professional Engineers and Scientists (CABPES). Classes will be held from September through April on Tuesday nights from 6-8 PM.

The class consists of 10-12 students ranging from 8th to 10th grade and focuses on the basic principles of Civil Engineering. No teaching experience is required to volunteer, only an interest in the subject of Civil Engineering and a passion to work with kids. John Weekley is currently the class advisor and would like to find someone to be a co-advisor. We currently have guest lecturers lined up for the majority of the classes that teach each class, but it is the role of the class co-advisors to serve as the point of contact and face of the civil engineering class. If you are interested in volunteering to become a co-advisor, or if you have any questions, please contact John Weekley at john.weekley@jacobs.com or Brian Bern at brian_bern@martixdesigngroup.com.

CABPES- MATH TUTORING POSITIONS AVAILABLE

CABPES – The Colorado Association of Black Professional Engineers & Scientists is always interested in accommodating new tutors to assist youth students with high school and college prep math. Tutors give a minimum of two hours on any Monday and/or Wednesday evening between 6pm and 8pm at CABPES offices which are conveniently located near the intersection of Colorado Blvd and Colfax Ave in Denver.

Among the many benefits of being a CABPES tutor is that tutors make a commitment to provide tutoring according to their schedule demands. CABPES tutors are free to give as much or as little time as they are able for as short or long a period they can. Tutors truly make a difference in the academic lives of our students as measured by the improvement in student test scores post tutoring at CABPES.

Tutors are recognized quarterly for outstanding volunteerism at CABPES Tutor Meetings with gift cards, certificates of recognition and letters from students. CABPES tutors receive special invitations to private CABPES functions, professional networking events and our annual banquet.

To sign up to become a tutor at CABPES, write to cabpestutors@cabpes.com or call 303-329-3929. Please note all CABPES tutors must pass a criminal background screening. Thank you so much for your interest in volunteering at CABPES!

Newsletter Submission

The Younger Members Newsletter is published electronically and on the web within the first few days of the month. Information you would like to be included in the next month's newsletter should be emailed to Jason Igo at igo.jason@gmail.com by 5 p.m. on the last Thursday of the current month.

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