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SARNIA SECTION

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ROBOTICS Demonstration

2014 EVENTS

Meetings Sarnia Golf & Curling Club
September 29, 2014 and November 24, 2014
ISA Table Top Show April 14, 2015 Holliday Inn Pt. Edward
Annual Awards Night May 25, 2015
(member & Spouse)
Sarnia/Lambton Science Fair at Lambton College April, 2015
District 13 DLC - May 1,2,3, 2015 - Montreal
Sarnia ISA Golf Tournament - June 5, 2015

DINNER MEETING NOTICE

MONDAY September 29, 2014

SARNIA GOLF & CURLING CLUB

500 ERROL ROAD WEST, SARNIA PHONE: (519) 336-2201

COCKTAILS 5:00 PM ►►► DINNER AT 6:00 PM

PRESENTATION

Topic of the Month

David Woodill and the FRC team with Jeff Laucke who runs the Sarnia Regional FLL Tournament

MENU

**Ceasar's Salad
Chicken Supreme
with Spinach and wine glazed
Raspberry Panna Cotta**

**MEMBERS \$15
GUESTS \$25**

Reservations before Thursday, September 26, 2014. Call Terri Bell at Intertec at 519-337-2773; Fax: 519-337-1522, Email: terri.bell@intertec-inst.com For special dietary needs contact the SGCC three days prior to the meeting, Phone: 519-336-2201

NOTE: All Members and Guests are requested to reserve in advance



September Speaker

Presenter: Dave Woodill

Employed as a Sr. Instrument/Electrical/Controls Engineer at Langtree Controls Limited. I have been with the company for almost 20 yrs working on DCS and PLC systems as well as leading many Process Control/Automation projects for many different clients. I have experience in the beer brewing process, to making plastic and to forming pipe insulation.

I have been involved in FIRST programs since 2006, starting with FLL and now with FRC. I have been both a Coach and a Technical Judge at different levels within the FLL system over the last 8 years. I had the privilege this year to be a Technical Judge for the Canadian World Invitational where teams from all over the world who competed at U of T.

It has been a very rewarding experience mentoring these students and seeing all the amazing things they can accomplish.

NOTICES

Remember to renew your membership!... ISA Sarnia Section members who join or renew their memberships are entered in a draw for a free book.

Have you renewed your membership? You may have received a notice stating your membership is now due or you happen to be in a grace period. **Don't let it lapse** It becomes a hassle. Please re-apply and avoid losing your membership status.



For information about the Guide or to add your advertisement page, please call:

Grafiks Marketing and Communication at 1-519-336-5230

2014 Reference Guides is available for distribution and can be pick up at the following locations:

Pick-up in Sarnia at: *Lakeside Controls*, 581 Vidal St. S.
Wika, 1355 Confederation St.
Provincial Controls, 864 Philips St. E.



President's Message



September's Message

Greeting everyone

I welcome all to our sixty-seventh year of our Section's existence. As you may be aware, we receive our charter as a Section in September 1947 and here we are still seeking new members and Executive positions. It is hard to believe that through all of that time we remain as loyal as the first day we were formulated as a Section. Our goals haven't changed and our way of doing business still stands the test of time itself. I believe the key to our success still as always is you our Section members. All of you with your dedication, the common interest and belief in our field of expertise are what is special to us. Instrumentation is still what it is all about. We add the new buzz word Automation but we all know that the working instruments measuring the appropriate variables are what makes a good automated system. This has provided a good livelihood for all of our members and will continue to do so.

It is my pleasure to be your President for another term. I believe that we had a very good productive last year, cleaning up a lot of loose ends and working for another very productive show year. We will continue to maintain our section at a very comprehensive level so that we may maintain our future. We have a dedicated Executive and we are always looking for assistance. If you have spare time and a keen interest in your Instrumentation career you should be part of us. If you have any ideas for topics for speakers to assist our Program Chair Phil Luppke fill the dinner meetings step up and let us know.

We have now a "New Governance Model" which should allow our Society to be much more assessable, as we continue to be challenged by ever changing member and business requirements.

Also note that ISA has put a lot of dollars into upgrading our Web Presence to move forward into the future and as I write I know that we are continuing to make changes as required. Be sure to inform ISA Services if you encounter any problems when you are accessing the web page.

On another note, Kalpen Vachharajani is running for an Executive Board position at ISA RTP and would appreciate your vote when you get notified. This is an individual member vote, everyone can vote once. When you get the notice please give him your support with your vote.

This is our show year so mark your calendars for April 14, 2015. We always intend to produce excellent table tops for vendors and users alike. As you noticed we moved away from the winter months for a better venue. See you all there.

With all of your dedication we will look forward to another productive year. As always any ideas, comments or concerns to enable us to better serve you please let your Executive know.

Thank you

ISA Sarnia Section President

Mike Murray

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Section website

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