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**SARNIA SECTION** 

### **NOVEMBER 2020 ISSUE**

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### 2020 - 2021 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

General Meetings at the Sarnia Golf & Curling Club November 30, 2020 | January 25, 2021 | March 29, 2021

ISA Sarnia Table Top Show Location and Date - TBD

Annual Awards Night May 31, 2021

Annual Golf Tournament June 4, 2021

* Sarnia Golf & Curling Club COVID-19 Protocol *	
• All Guests must wear a mask when entering the club, and anytime not seated at	
your table.	
• A hand sanitizer station has been set up at the door, please use it when entering.	
· All Guests will register with Ken Armitage upon arrival and confirm contact	
info (name/phone number) for contact tracing purposes if required.	
• Please do everything possible to ensure social distancing (2 metres) when not	
seated at the table.	
· Bar service is not available. An SGCC staff member will take your drink order	
once you are seated, and serve you at your table.	

# **DINNER MEETING NOTICE**

## MONDAY, November 30<sup>th</sup> 2020 SARNIA GOLF & CURLING CLUB\* 500 ERROL ROAD WEST, SARNIA | PHONE: 519.336.2201

COCKTAILS 5:00 PM ►►► DINNER 6:00 PM

### Virtual Guest Speaker Bob Poteet

Director of Application Specialist - WIKA

**Topic: New Tubeskin Brings Process Paybacks** 

**Dinner** Menu

Grilled Salmon Fillet with Strawberry Lime Salsa & Ginger Crème Fraiche Crème Brulee Coffee and Tea

> MEMBERS \$15 GUESTS \$25

Please RSVP before THURSDAY, November 26<sup>th</sup> 2020 by contacting Lisa Pereira at 519.333.2800 or email lisa.pereira@intertec-inst.com

For special dietary needs, contact the Sarnia Golf & Curling Club three days prior to the meeting.

NOTE: ALL Members and Guests are requested to reserve in advanced.







#### **BIO OF BOB POTEET**

Bob has over 35 years' experience in selling to the energy industries. Bob is one of the pioneers in Radial Temperature Profiling and is listed on two patents and one patent pending that relate to Temperature profiling of reactors. Bob joined Gayesco-WIKA in 2010 and is currently serving as Director over Application Specialist for temperature for WIKA globally. Before joining Gayesco-WIKA, he was Vice President of Sales for Daily Thermetrics. He is a 1982 graduate of Texas A&M University in Industrial Distribution.

**TOPIC:** New tubeskin brings process paybacks

- WIKA has built a world class test furnace, every detail taken to make readings believable
- WIKA hired a heat transfer expert who supported various Shell sites as their Fired Heater Specialist globally
- In the R&D, we developed a new tube skin that offers:
  - Higher accuracy
  - Accuracy that varies less with fire side and process side conditions
- We will give examples of what this means to profitability



### **NOTICES**



#### Why Join the ISA Executive Committee?

Are you looking for an activity to meet the Continuing Professional Development (CPD) requirements of your O.A.C.E.T.T or P.E.O. membership? Volunteering your time, in a Technical Association or Society such as ISA will meet these requirements. As a member of the ISA Sarnia executive you would be using your professional knowledge to improve and enhance the membership of our local chapter. Talk to one of the executive to ask about the benefits of volunteering your time.

Check out ISA Connect; a members-only online community to engage in technical conversations and share best practices [connect.isa.org]; Also check out the new and updated isa.org website.

Re: Reference Guide; Vendor package for your participation in our Reference Guide for 2021 has been sent out. If you know of anyone who has not received a package and is interested please let any of your Executive know and we will contact them. We are always looking for as many vendors as we can get. It is truly a



valuable production

2020 Reference Guide is available for distribution and can be picked up at the following locations:

Kevin Noon | Emerson | 581 Vidal St. South | 519.331.7679 Lakeside Process Controls | 581 Vidal St. South | 519.332.2300 Provincial Controls | 864 Phillips St. | 519.336.7301

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

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### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**





Hello to all of you Sarnia ISA members;

On behalf of your ISA Sarnia Executive I wanted to say thanks for all of our Sarnia ISA members who have stayed with us through these troubled times.

Just as a quick update we are still attempting to stay on our section plan. We have managed to have two executive meetings and one member dinner meeting so far following all of the guidelines set out by the SGCC as per the virus. Our next member dinner meeting is at the end of the month and we are hoping to see a good turnout. We have signed up for an email list serve to better communicate with all of you. As you are all aware we continue to maintain our website and of course ISA has

updated their website and pushed out ISA Connect for the membership. If you have a minute take a look.

As the president I want to say again thank you to all of the ISA Sarnia Section members, vendors and suppliers that support our Section. As you may be aware this is our seventy third year. Congratulations to all of you for without all of you we would not be in existence. Our section was chartered on September 1, 1947. As I have stated previously this truly will be a totally different year but we will attempt to meet all of the challenges.

To all of our vendors I am sure that you have received your vendor package for your participation in our Reference Guide for 2021. If you know of anyone who has not received a package and is interested please let any of your Executive know and we will contact them. We are always looking for as many vendors as we can get. It is truly a valuable production.

We have to continue to lay a path to maintain our section for the 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 field you should be part of our section. Our struggles continue to find new members and therefore new executive members. If you have working friends let us know and we will get our membership chair to reach out to them.

If you have any topic ideas for speakers please forward to our program chair. He can use any assistance in providing an interesting, current and enjoyable speaker to fill the dinner meetings, step up and let us know. We are looking forward to a good year.

Looking forward to seeing you at the November 30th member dinner meeting. Be safe.

Thank you,

Mike Murray ISA Sarnia Section President November 2, 2020



### **PHOTOS FROM PREVIOUS DINNER**





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