

# The Central New Yorker

## ASHRAE Newsletter

The CNY Chapter of the American Society of  
Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers

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Welcome to a new year of CNY ASHRAE programs and events. We have our year's program schedule set and it is listed in this newsletter. Please look at the programs and plan to attend those of interest to you and let people in your organizations know about them as well. While we encourage membership you do not have to be a member to attend programs and dinner.

I am proud to be serving as President of the CNY Chapter this year. The Board members this year represent all sectors of our industry including engineers from several CNY Design firms, Owner Facility Managers, Manufacturers, Researchers and Manufacturer's Representatives.

The history and tradition of our chapter was evident at the induction ceremony last year; there were eight Past Presidents and one National President attending the program. It is great to see that kind of support and involvement from those who have been a part of ASHRAE over the years.

This month's program is ASHRAE's Director of Development, Bert W. Huffman, MPA, CFRE, will be discussing ASHRAE's Foundation. While this is not a technical program, it will shed light on an important aspect of ASHRAE's commitment to research, supporting those who want to enter our field, and advancing our industry and its goals. This program may be of interest to those in your organization in charge of charitable donations as a way to support the only organization representing and advancing the HVAC industry.

**We have a new website address:** <http://www.cnyashrae.org>, this can be used to make reservations and chapter information.

Hope to see you at the programs and other ASHRAE events this year.

*Rae Butler, CNY Chapter President*

### ASHRAE Monthly Meetings: Meeting Date is October 13

Location: Doubletree Hotel Syracuse  
6302 State Route 298, Carrier Parkway East, Syracuse, NY 12205

Times: 5:30 – 6:00 p.m. Social Hour (cash bar)  
6:00 – 6:30 p.m. Dinner  
6:30 – 6:45 p.m. ASHRAE Business  
6:45 – 8:00 p.m. Main Program

Cost: \$25.00 per person.

Reservations: [www.cnyashrae.org](http://www.cnyashrae.org)

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# 2010/2011 CNY ASHRAE Programs

We will begin the year on October 13 with an overview of the ASHRAE Foundation by Bert Huffman, Director of Development at ASHRAE. The Foundation was established in 1994 by a dedicated group of long-time ASHRAE members to support the needs of the HVAC&R industry. The ASHRAE Foundation is an endowed trust that provides funding for professional development and research programs, supplies qualified engineering students with much needed scholarship assistance, and ensures that ASHRAE will continue to have sufficient resources to sustain and expand the Society's vital work. At this meeting you will Learn about ASHRAE Foundation, its history, current projects it supports, and how you can make a difference. The presentation will also include overviews of many charitable planning options including Charitable Remainder Trusts, bequests, gift annuities and more.

The full schedule for the year can be found below. All meetings will be at the Doubletree Hotel, on the second Wednesday of the month, unless otherwise indicated.

## **October 13, 2010**

ASHRAE Foundation: An Overview, Bert W. Huffman, MPA, CFRE, Director of Development, ASHRAE

## **November 10, 2010**

High Performance Buildings - What are They & What does it Take to Achieve Them. Gordon Holness, ASHRAE Distinguished Lecturer

## **December 8, 2010**

Holiday Party

## **January 12, 2011**

Tour of King & King, Architects LLP. Dinner at the Dinosaur Bar-B-Que, Willow Room.

## **February 9, 2011**

Energy Audits in Commercial Buildings, Ian Shapiro, Taitem Engineering

## **March 10, 2011 (Thursday)**

Announce slate of officers

ASHRAE Historical Committee, Jerry Groff

Modeling a Sustainable World, Lynn Bellenger, ASHRAE President

## **April 13, 2011**

Elect Officers

Variable Refrigerant Flow Systems, Julian de Bullet, ASHRAE Distinguished Lecturer

## **May 11, 2011**

Install Officers

Tour of Fulton Boilers, Dinner at the River House

## **June, 2011**

Clambake and Golf Tournament

# *In Memorium*

Central New Chapter Member Matthew Ryan, 86, passed away on August 27, 2010. He was born in Timmins, Ontario, received an engineering degree from the University of Toronto, and had a P.E. license in Ontario, Canada. During WWII he served in the Canadian Navy patrolling the North Atlantic. After emigrating to the United States, he settled in Central New York and worked in several engineering positions for Carrier Corporation in Syracuse. Matt joined ASHRAE in 1966 and was a Life Member. My favorite recollection of Matt is as an official witness for my hole-in-one at Drumlins last year when we were team-mates in the Senior Golf League.

*Canton Professor and HVAC Leader Harry King passed away*

Here is the link to our tribute to Harry King at:  
<http://www.canton.edu/news/index.php/2010/07/harry-king/>

Paul Britton, *Historian*

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# Research Promotion

**A**s the incoming 2010-2011 RP Chair, I'm excited about the prospect of helping our Chapter in any way I can. Please always feel free to contact me and I look forward to meeting our members.

Please also join me in welcoming Bert W. Huffman as he visits us at the October Meeting. Mr. Huffman is an MPA, CFRE and Director of Development for the ASHRAE Foundation and although not a featured speaker, he will be mingling with attendees and providing insight as to the work of the Foundation and what it can do for ASHRAE.

New Membership efforts are ongoing and critical to sustaining the strength of our Chapter. We encourage you to "bring a friend" to a meeting and help increase our membership.

We are currently evaluating a date for Donor Recognition Night and hope to make an announcement at the October Meeting. Honorees names will be posted in next month's CNY ASHRAE Newsletter so each can make plans to attend and be recognized by their peers. If you are a past donor, we again thank you and kindly ask you consider a repeat donation this year to help ensure the development of new technologies in our industry... every little bit helps.

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## New Members!

**Congratulations** to the *seven* new members who joined the Central New York ASHRAE chapter between June 1 and September 24, 2010. When you see these individuals, please join me in extending them a warm ASHRAE welcome.

If you or anyone that you know is interested in joining ASHRAE, please have them sign-up at: [www.ashrae.org](http://www.ashrae.org). Or, if they would like to sign-up in person, the local chapter website: (<http://centralnewyork.ashraechapters.org>) is a great place to find meeting times and locations.

John Mix  
ASHRAE New Membership Chair

### NEW MEMBERS

Name	Membership Type
Fontaine Brian	Associate
Gramet Samuel B	Associate
Price Fred J. M.	Associate
Ryan Elmer D	Associate
Joncas Walter C	Member
Demetriou Dustin	Student
Izadi Mahmood	Student

# NEW MEMBER REMINDERS

## NOVEMBER IS MEMBERSHIP PROMOTION MONTH

The November meeting is the official “Membership Promotion Meeting”. If you know someone who is interested in joining ASHRAE, interested in finding out how ASHRAE can benefit them or is new to the HVAC industry, please encourage them to attend.

## WHY BE AN ASHRAE MEMBER?

It’s really quite simple. For approximately \$200/year, you can continue to benefit from all the resources ASHRAE provides as the world’s leading organization of HVAC&R professionals.

*Chapter Meetings* – each month, all over the world, ASHRAE chapters convene for an informational program featuring a speaker or topic that is key to professionals in the industry. Meet with your peers, share ideas and learn about other aspects of the HVAC industry.

ASHRAE members stay abreast of the latest industry news and information by receiving the following as part of their membership :

- ❑ *ASHRAE Handbook* – this reference manual is the most widely cited reference for HVAC&R technology in the world. Each year one of the four volume Handbooks is updated and delivered to members to add to their library and knowledge base.
- ❑ *ASHRAE Journal* – a monthly magazine that brings current trends and information to your desk in your choice of print or digital format.
- ❑ *ASHRAE E-newsletters* – delivered to your desk in print and digital form, these publications help you keep on top of what is going on in the Society and the industry, all over the world! Discounts on ASHRAE publications – ASHRAE members earn 15% off publications through [www.ashrae.org/bookstore](http://www.ashrae.org/bookstore). More than 300 titles are available including the ASHRAE Standards and more than 300 of the industry’s leading technical publications
- ❑ *ASHRAE Certification* – earn your certification and put the letters behind your name that show that you have the knowledge you need to succeed in the industry.
- ❑ *ASHRAE Learning Institute Courses* – earn your PDHs online or at the ASHRAE Winter and Annual Conferences. Courses are offered all year long, giving you many opportunities to learn and grow.

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS/FORMS

The easiest and quickest way to join ASHRAE and to renew/pay dues is to go online. If needed, you can also download PDF versions of the application forms and mail them or fax them. Members, Associates and Affiliates all share the same application form; students have a separate application form. Use the link below to connect directly to instructions for how to access the online application:

[http://www.ashrae.org/docLib/20091015\\_joinashraeonline.pdf](http://www.ashrae.org/docLib/20091015_joinashraeonline.pdf)

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