May Newsletter

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CHAPTER SAFETY PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR

Paula Jones, ASP, CSP, CIT

Paula Jones, ASP, CSP, CIT was chosen as the 2020 SPY award winner by the officers of the Chapter, the Regional Director, the State Director, the National President and the National Director of Education. 

Paula is an exceptional Chapter officer as well as a great volunteer officer in the Safety profession. Her commitment and leadership are never faltering and her presence is always a presence.

Paula has served as an exceptional ambassador for the Oregon safety profession. Paula has served on the ASSP Oregon Executive Committee for the past two years and has taken on several roles within the Oregon Chapter. Paula is currently serving as the Chapter President-Elect and is a consistent blood donor, Captain of the Chapter’s Safety Committee, and is a member of the Oregon Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Update. At this meeting we also signed the Partnership Agreement between the Oregon Chapter, Oregon OSHA, and the Oregon State Fire Marshal’s Office.

PRESIDENT’S LETTER

In this chapter year, we have been able to work together on the web and have been able to improve our communication with our members. We have also been able to work on several projects that have benefited our members.

The chapter was able to host several events throughout the year, including the ASSP Regional Conference, the Oregon State Fire Marshal’s Office Kickoff Conference, and the Oregon Safety and Health Association’s (OSHA) Update. The chapter also hosted several webinars throughout the year, including a webinar on the latest developments in the Oregon OSHA Update.

We would like to thank all of our members for their support throughout the year. We look forward to continuing our work in the future and working even more closely with our members.

At the 2023 GOSH Conference, we were able to present a new webinar on the latest developments in the Oregon OSHA Update.

TOPIC: DRONES

Drone Technology, Real Life Uses of Drones, and Ways to Fly Your Employees from Dangerous Areas

This overview covers drone technology, real life uses of drones, and ways to fly your employees from dangerous areas.

Drone Technology

Drones are a fantastic tool. They allow access to difficult or inaccessible areas and can be used in a variety of industries. Drones can be used in industries such as construction, agriculture, and search and rescue.

Real Life Uses of Drones

Drones have been used in several industries. They can be used in construction to survey areas and can also be used in agriculture to monitor crops.

Ways to Fly Your Employees from Dangerous Areas

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situation unfolds. Here are some tips for taking care during this difficult time:

- It's important to manage anxiety, cope with uncertainty, and stay grounded in truth as the COVID-19 pandemic continues.
- If you are 21 or younger and want support for any problem, big or small, please call the Senior Loneliness Line at 503-200-1633.
- Avoid sensational news reports. Consult trusted sources for the best information - we recommend our partners, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and our website.
- Connect with peers in the ASSP Community like COVID-19 Education and Resources.
- Please visit our website regularly for new information.

OFFICER INSTALLATION BANQUET SURVEY

COVID-19: Taking Care During Crisis

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Mental Health Resources

- hot lines for life / behind the lines

2019/2020 Chapter Year Venue Change

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MOBILE ELEVATED WORK PLATFORMS PDC

Update: Due to COVID-19, this PDC is being pushed back to a future date. More information will be available soon.

Genie® Lift Pro™ Operator Training Courses are designed to help prepare participants in the safe and proper use of mobile elevating work platforms (MEWPs).

Participants will receive the latest training curriculum required for operator qualification. This course requires the completion of Genie Lift Pro Operator Training Course and ANSI A92.24-2018 and CSA B354:17. Participants are required to receive Genie Lift Pro™ Operator Training Course and have successfully completed the course. Your training recognition will be recorded in the Genie Lift Pro™ Operator Training Course database.

Participants will receive a certificate of completion and a Genie Lift Pro™ Operator card. Classes are instructed at your facility with an eight-person minimum requirement. Genie Lift Pro™ Operator Training classes are four hours in length. Participants may elect to attend only one product family if desired.

Price:
- User W/ Train the Trainer (8-hours) | $600

When:
New Date TBD

Meeting:
7:00 am – 4:00 pm

Where:
Sunbelt Rental Yard
7626 NE Killingsworth Street
Portland, OR 97218

Instructor:
Scott Owyen
Senior Training Manager
Terex Aerial Work Platforms

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OREGON CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SUICIDE PREVENTION TASK FORCE

Oregon Construction Industry Suicide Prevention Task Force

The Oregon Construction Industry Suicide Prevention Task Force is a group of construction professionals who are working to address the rising rates of suicide in the construction industry. The task force is made up of representatives from various organizations within the construction industry.

The task force meets on a quarterly basis to discuss strategies and initiatives to reduce suicide rates within the construction industry. They aim to provide support and resources to those affected by suicide, and to promote mental health awareness and well-being in the workplace.

The task force works closely with the Oregon Suicide Prevention Task Force, a broader task force focused on suicide prevention in Oregon in general.

The Oregon Construction Industry Suicide Prevention Task Force is proud to announce the following initiatives:

- Education and training programs for construction workers on mental health and suicide prevention
- Mental health resources and support for construction workers
- Advocacy for policy changes to address suicide in the construction industry

Upcoming events and meetings will be posted on the task force’s website and through various communication channels.

Contact:
Suicide Prevention Task Force
Oregon Construction Industry Suicide Prevention Task Force

OREGON CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY SUICIDE PREVENTION TASK FORCE

Ass PDC Mobile Elevated Work Platform PDC
Need to renew your membership?

[Click to view renewal page]

Due to the current health situation with COVID-19, the Region X VPPPA has cancelled the 2020 event in Boise.

Mark your calendar for the next Northwest Safety & Health Summit on May 18-20, 2021 in Ellensburg on Friday, May 7, 2021.

Our top priority is protecting the health and well-being of ASSP members in our region. ASSP presents Safety 2020: Virtual, a unique learning experience during extraordinary times. ASSP has partnered with a best-in-class platform provider to develop a robust virtual conference, creating, please continue to follow the latest guidance from organizations like Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, as well as our local communities. As we all adapt to the new realities this situation is presenting, our leadership team and the Puget Sound PDC Planning Committee have made the decision to reschedule the 2020 Puget Sound ASSP PDC. While we looked forward to welcoming everyone to Ellensburg, protecting the health of meeting attendees and their families is paramount.

In response to the rapidly changing circumstances associated with COVID-19, the ASSP Region 10 VPPPA has cancelled the 2020 Puget Sound ASSP PDC. While we looked forward to welcoming everyone to Ellensburg, protecting the health of meeting attendees and their families is paramount.

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The 4th Tuesday of each month | Construction Safety Summit

May 12 - Santiam Section Meeting | ASSP Region X VPPPA

May 14 - Chapter Meeting | ASSP Region X VPPPA

May 18-20, 2021 | May 7, 2021 | Ellensburg, WA

May 18-20, 2020 | Vocabulary & Communication in Industry - Terry Day

May 21 - Mt. St. Helens Section Meeting | ASSP Region X VPPPA

May 23 - Chapter Meeting | ASSP Region X VPPPA

May 26 - Oregon Construction Industry Suicide Prevention Task Force

June 23 - RESCHEDULED - Workplace Aggression: Preventing relational aggression - Troy DeYoung

June 23-25 - Safety in Construction and Agriculture - Todd Etzel & Randy Stiel

June 23-25 - Washington DOSH

Safety 2020 Professional Development Conference & Exposition

May 10-12, 2010

The annual Puget Sound PDC has been rescheduled to Friday, May 7, 2021. The annual Puget Sound PDC has been rescheduled to Friday, May 7, 2021.

ASSP presents Safety 2020. What is Safety 2020? What’s the benefit? How do I know if Safety 2020 is right for me? Here’s a summary: Safety 2020 is a one-of-a-kind opportunity for ASSP members to get the latest tools and information to their jobs faster, better & more cost-effectively. What is Safety 2020’s goal? Its goal is to help ASSP members get the information they need to keep workers safe and improve your organization’s performance. We have partnered with a best-in-class platform provider to develop a robust virtual conference, creating, please continue to follow the latest guidance from organizations like Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, as well as our local communities. As we all adapt to the new realities this situation is presenting, our leadership team and the Puget Sound PDC Planning Committee have made the decision to reschedule the 2020 Puget Sound ASSP PDC. While we looked forward to welcoming everyone to Ellensburg, protecting the health of meeting attendees and their families is paramount.

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Share the Value of an ASSP Membership
Refer 2 Friends: Receive FREE Annual Membership Renewal

You know that being a member of ASSP can be a game changer in a safety professional’s career. For this month only, we are increasing the rewards for referring your friends or colleagues to ASSP through our Member-Get-A-Member program.

When you refer two of your peers in the month of February*, you’ll receive a one-year membership renewal when they join ASSP as a full member.

Use our Refer-A-Friend tool to invite them today and help them connect with a community of great people who provide great resources. The more members you recruit, the more rewards you can earn!

Refer A Friend Today

LOG-IN TO ASSP COMMUNITIES

Members from around the world are logging into the ASSP Community and starting to generate discussions on a variety of OSH-related topics. ASSP Community allows you to establish yourself as a digital thought leader at a society-wide level. This is your opportunity to share relevant content to the safety community, participate in groups within your interest and industry, and grow your connections. Log in today and join the conversation!

To log-in:
1. Log-in with your ASSP website username and password
2. Upload a profile picture so other safety professionals know who you are
3. Check that all the information is current on your profile and update it as needed
4. Visit the How to Use ASSP Community for helpful tips and tutorials

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