



WEST CENTRAL FLORIDA SAFETY ALLIANCE

Meeting Notes

February 12, 2010, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Offices of Lanier Upshaw

Lakeland, Florida

Our thanks to Lanier Upshaw for hosting our meeting and providing lunch!

ATTENDEES: Ernie Harben (Facilitator) Steve Wicorek (Host, Lanier Upshaw)
Gene Campbell (Speaker)
Patty Fernandez, Joan Spencer, Jose Ralat, David Anderson, Delores Westfall,
Mark Naberhaws, Jeffery L. Dyer, Denise Dodenhoff, Jim Ulseth

OPENING PRESENTATION:

- Crane/Hoist Safety by Gene Campbell, Advanced Overhead Systems
- Basics of crane use and safety
- Inspection, Safe Use, Maintenance, etc.
- Please contact Darren Williams, Advanced Overhead Systems at 863-667-3757 for copies of the presentation, to schedule training, or if you have questions

BUSINESS MEETING:

- New directors elected at January meeting: Carl York, Jody Ciccarello, and Luke Vaughn
- Day of month for 2010 meetings?
 - Fridays were agreed to be best
 - 3rd and 2nd Friday of month are not good for some members
 - Suggestions?
 - 4th Friday was chosen for future meetings (beginning March 26th)
- Pre-Planning for future meetings
 - At our last meeting we agreed to develop a schedule of speakers and/or activities for 2010; members should bring back recommendations.
 - In addition, members were encouraged to contact the recommended speaker to insure their willingness to address our alliance and when they would be available.

- Jody Ciccarello recommended these topics:
 - Hurricane Safety (around start of hurricane season)
 - Work Zone Awareness Week (April) – Patty will look into getting a speaker.
 - Arc Flash – David Simmons: Patty will speak to him.
 - Ergonomics
 - OSHA Rule Making on Slip / Fall
 - Forklifts and Powered Industrial Trucks: Ernie to explore getting a field person to speak
 - AED's:
 - Lockout/Tag Out Programs
 - Machine Guarding and Controls
 - Fall Protection (Jody can bring in a vendor “drop truck”)
 - Emergency Eyewash and PPE (Jodie)
 - Accident Investigation (Ernie)
- WSFSA Embroidered Shirts
 - Call Jody Ciccarello, Safety Products Inc., at 863-665-8224, Extension 640
 - She will provide prices and ordering information
- Open Discussions:
 - Joan Spencer: Career openings at the Tampa OSHA office
 - Tritium Exit sign disposal and safety
- LinkedIn.com Web Site
 - Mark Ligon has set up a user group on LinkedIn.com
 - Please visit the site and register:
http://www.linkedin.com/group?gid=2416180&trk=myg_ugrp_ovr
 - Ernie posted a request on the LinkedIn.com site for a March 26th speaker and actually got a successful hit! (see below)
- **NEXT MEETING:**
 - Date and Time: March 26th, 2010 at 11:00 AM **(Please be on time)**
 - Location: Spine Pain and Orthopedic Injury Center, 3165 McMullen Booth Road, Bldg. B, Clearwater, FL 33761 (just south of the Mease Countryside Hospital)



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- Presentation Topic: Musculo-Skeletal and Pain Management Advice for Risk Managers / Safety Professionals by Dr. Lee Ann Brown, DO
- Lunch will be provided by Dr. Brown so **PLEASE RSVP** to Patty Fernandez at TASCPatty@AOL.com no later than **Monday March 22, 2010** so we can plan accordingly.