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Letter From The President

Monthly Meetings

Well the summer sure has gone fast and it's that time again to get into the swing of our monthly ASPE meetings for this season. Tom McGing has been working hard to fill the dates with speakers and we have some very interesting topics coming up - stay tuned!

If anyone would know of or have a project that ASPE could tour, for one of our meetings, let Tom know so that he can schedule this also.

Be sure to look at the schedule for this year and mark them on your calendar. We are scheduled to have two meetings downtown Chicago this year so be sure to note the location changes. We are in the process of updating the web site to reflect this season meetings and locations. Invites will also be

Date:

Thursday, Sept 17,
2015

Time:

5:30 Registration
and Networking

6:15 Dinner

7:00 Program

Where:

Barbakoa
1341 Butterfield Rd
Downers Grove, IL

Cost:

\$40 Cash at door

[Register Here](#)

What's on the Burner**ASPE Central Plains
Fall Regional**

Conference will be in
Indianapolis on October
2nd & 3rd.

[Click Here for all the
details](#)

**Mel Cowen
Central Plains
Governor**



sent for this.

We Need Volunteers!

- We are looking for 5 members to have a brief talk on an estimating topic prior to our main topic at the monthly meetings.
- We are looking for a couple members to secure a scholarship fund or funds that our chapter can donate to this year. We will be budgeting for this year soon.

Please let me know if you would have an interest so we can schedule accordingly.

National Summit 2015

I'm proud to let you know that Chicago Chapter 7 brought home the Chapter Recognition Award from the 2015 National Summit this year in San Diego. Thanks to all of you for being a part of this, it was an honor to represent this chapter. The program changes to the overall Summit proved to be one of the best yet with great speakers and entertainment at the top of the list. I hope that all of you would be able to attend at least one of these in the future.

Goal

One of our top priorities for this year is to Add members. If you could invite at least one new person to the meetings this year I'm sure we would end up with at least 5 new members for the year.

[Thanks and look forward to seeing you September 17 at Barbakoa!! Presentation by 14 Fathoms!](#)

Dave Westfall,
CPE, DBIA
American Society of Professional Estimators
President, Chapter 7, Chicago

Member Benefits:

Be sure to check out the benefits that are available to all members. Free estimating software, discounts on estimating programs etc.

[Check them all out here!!](#)

As one member and CPE shared "My whole professional outlook has changed. The support you get from other CPE's is profound".

Be sure to check out the "links" above to learn more about becoming a member of ASPE where you will find more information about our professional organization and how to earn your Certified Professional Estimator status.

Hope to hear from you soon.

Sincerely,
Dave Westfall, CPE



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