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“Alive @ 75 and Still Going Strong”

On February 5, 2009, Safety Center Incorporated held its 14th Annual Occupational & Regulatory Symposium on Safety & Health in Sacramento, California. This year’s Symposium kicked off a year of activities and events celebrating Safety Center’s 75th Anniversary and Safetyville USA’s 25th birthday.

The symposium opened to a warm welcome from Safety Center’s President & CEO, Liz McClatchy. Attendees then participated in a Cal/OSHA Update session led by representatives from Cal/OSHA consultation. Following the Cal/OSHA Update session, participants attended a variety of safety classes, ranging from the Certified Safety Management Specialist prep review to Supervisors Short Topics on Confined Space Awareness, Nail Gun Safety, Electrical Safety and Fall Protection Awareness. These classes were designed for safety professionals, managers, supervisors, workers, and trainers.

The highlight of the day was the annual Excellence in Safety Awards Luncheon. Terry Polvado, Vice President of Safetyville USA presented Safetyville USA’s Citizen of the Year Award to Bryan Jackson, Program Director of KYMX Mix 96.1 FM and KZZO 100.5, The ZONE . It

was noted that the support received from Jackson and Mix 96 has helped Safetyville lose its status as a “mystery spot” and become a “destination.” Mix 96 has run more than 100 public-service announcements for Safetyville, collaborated with Safety Center on events and has, over the years, contributed more than \$700,000 in air time. McClatchy noted, “In general, they have been and continue to be one of the best media sponsors a nonprofit can have.”



Safetyville USA’s Citrizen of the Year

The Safety Professional of the Year award was presented to Chris Boylan, Safety Manager for the civil engineering firm of Winzler & Kelly, based in Santa Rosa, California. Boylan started his organization’s safety program, established an Injury and Illness Prevention Program, and introduced ergonomic evaluations and interventions both in-house and in the field. He

developed an emergency evacuation policy, regulatory compliance safety and security training and safety audits in all operations. Boylan also authors quarterly safety articles, maintains the organization’s safety intranet and manages the firm’s fleet program.



Safety Professional of the Year

Safety Center Incorporated’s Chairman’s Award of Merit was presented by Safety Center Board Chair, Ralph Sugimoto, to Herrero Contractors, Inc. headquartered in San Francisco, California. Maureen Gadiet, Safety Manager for Herrero accepted the award. Herrero Contractors, Inc., a family-run business, “has a reputation for constructing high-quality commercial projects; on schedule and within cost constraints” said Sugimoto. The company’s record reveals “no lost-time incidents” since March 2004. Herrero is also working to achieve Star status in the Voluntary Protection Program.

Key elements in Herrero's safety program include:

- a working commitment to open communication
- an active safety committee
- A daily pre-task assignment sheet to identify hazards and means to control them before work begins
- A "stretch and bend" program

Congratulations to all of our 2009 award recipients!



Chairman's Award of Merit

SAFETY FORUM, OF THE INLAND EMPIRE

Meetings are the third Tuesday of each month from 7:30-9:30am. Please call (909) 625-9650, for more details and information, or visit www.safetyforuminlandempire.org. The SFIE is sponsored by Safety Center Incorporated.

Members *Only*

Welcome New Members!

Matheson Trucking, Inc.
Diane Hinson - Central Contra Costa Sanitary District
Danilo Hernandez - U.S. Mint
David P. Zinnel
Tesoro Refining & Marketing Company

Member of the Month

Bronco Wine Company

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Open Enrollment March, April & May 2009

March 2009		Mem	Non	May 2009		Mem	Non
16-17	Two Day Express Counterbalanced Forklift Trainer Certification	945	995	5	Establishing a Successful Safety Program	230	265
18	Rough Terrain Upgrade	445	495	6	Industrial Hygiene	230	265
19	Competent Person Fall Protection	130	155	7	Selling Safety	230	265
20	Competent Person Excavation	130	155	7	Fall Protection Awareness (Southern CA)	75	95
26	Confined Space Awareness TTT	325	37	8	OSHA Recordkeeping (Southern CA)	230	265
27	Defensive Driving Course 4-Hour	50	65	9-10	Cal/OSHA 8 Commercial Construction TTT (Southern CA)	695	765
April 2009				11-14	4-Day Premium Forklift Trainer Certification	1,200	1,250
2	First Aid/CPR	55	70	14	Competent Person Excavation (Southern CA)	130	155
2-3	MEDIC CPR/FA AED Instructor (Southern CA)	385	435	15	Competent Person Excavation	130	155
6-7	Two Day Express Counterbalanced Forklift Trainer Certification	945	995	15	IVES Trainer Recertification	230	265
8	Defensive Driving Course 4-Hour (Southern CA)	50	65	18-19	Defensive Driving Instructor 4-Hour	50	65
9	WorkZone Safety TTC & Flagging	75	95	18-19	Two Day Express Counterbalanced Forklift (Southern CA)	130	155
14-16	Training Programs and Presentations	690	825	19-21	Confined Space Awareness	75	95
16	Competent Person Excavation (Southern CA)	130	155	21	4-Hour Heat Illness Workshop (Southern CA)	75	95
17	Competent Person Excavation	130	155	27	Scaffold Awareness	75	95
20-23	MEDIC CPR/FA AED Instructor	425	480	29	Defensive Driving Course 4-Hour	50	65
24	Defensive Driving Course 4-Hour	50	65	June 2009			
28	Confined Space Awareness	130	155	2	Heat Illness Workshop 4-hr (Southern CA)	75	95
28	Cal/OSHA 8 Commercial Construction	100	150	8-10	Cal/OSHA 8 Commercial Construction TTT	695	765
29-30	Fed OSHA 10-Hour Construction (Southern CA)	175	185	9	MEDIC CPR/FA AED (Southern CA)	60	75

Please visit our website www.safetycenter.org for updates and course descriptions⁴

All courses are held at Safety Center's Sacramento Campus, 3909 Bradshaw Road, Sacramento, CA 95827 except those noted with (Southern CA) for Southern California courses. Please contact Gayleen Grigoreas, (909) 625-9650, to enroll in Southern California courses.