

NEWSLETTER OF THE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN MILITARY ENGINEERS SPACE COAST POST

3RD QUARTER 2012

2013 SAME SCP Elections

The Post holds an election every year for the purpose of electing the following:

<u>Post Officers:</u> <u>5 Elected Directors:</u>

President Assistant Sec./Treas.

1st Vice PresidentMembership2nd Vice PresidentScholarshipSecretaryAwardsTreasurerPrograms

Be on the lookout for blank ballots in September and October. Sustaining members interested in one of these roles should nominate themselves or another <u>highly motivated</u> and <u>energetic</u> candidate. Upon nomination, all candidates will be provided the duties and meeting commitments required of the position they are nominated for. Official voting ballots will be distributed in November and new officers/directors will begin their role January 1, 2013.

The SAME Mission

"To promote and facilitate engineering support for national security by developing and enhancing relationships and competencies among uniformed services, public- and private-sector engineers and related professionals, and by developing future engineers through outreach and mentoring."

The SAME Vision

"To be a premier global engineering organization leading the professional and personal growth of all members in support of military readiness and development of solutions to national security challenges."

Scholarship News

A core purpose of the Space Coast Post is the distribution of scholarships. Within this realm, nothing is more satisfying than knowing future lives are positively affected through this generous contribution. The Scholarship Committee works with various college and high school organizations to publicize the availability of the scholarship and encourage participation.

The Space Coast Post offers scholarships to both high school and college age students. The selection criteria is published with the applications. This information can be found on the SAME web site in February for college students and in April/May for high school students.

The Scholarship Chair has established a subcommittee to explore, among other things, how to improve student participation in our program, our partnership relations and the selection criteria.

Your help and contribution to our Post is allowing us to continue to engage young minds to enter and succeed in our honored professions.

News from your Post



EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND HOMELAND SECURITY GETS A NEW NAME

EP and HS is now Emergency Preparedness and Contingency Operations in a decision by the SAME Board of Directors in April 2012. The Board felt that resilience of infrastructure after natural or other disasters better described the SAME mission. However, this doesn't decrease its importance.

From its very beginning the Society has focused on "the collective knowledge and the cooperation between the public and private sectors" during emergencies as a fundamental part of its mission. For example, in the early 1980's many posts developed Fast Start plans for getting information concerning engineering resources into the hands of public officials for dealing with events such as hurricanes, earthquakes, and failure of structures.

Our Emergency Preparedness Committee Chair is Lou Martinez, who will be undertaking further development of our capability during 2012 and 2013. We also want to congratulate Lou who was recently named a SAME Fellow (F.SAME). Under Lou's guidance, the committee will be writing a Fast Start plan, briefing county, municipal, and military officials, and increasing our Post's expertise through members who are qualified by the Emergency Management Institute at Frederick College, Maryland in the FEMA Incident Command System. The courses and tests are on the FEMA website.

Our goal is to have at least three members qualified at the IS-100 level (a three hour course) and to have at least three members who have completed eight hours of training by January 1, 2013. These courses are good for some continuing education credit for professional licensing. The combination of this training, as well as the meetings above, will qualify our post for a streamer in 2013.

If anyone has completed one or both of the following types of training

- IS-100.a training within the past three years; or
- Eight hours of IS-200.a or IS-700 training in 2012,

or is interested in being part of this committee, please contact Lou Martinez, F.SAME and Post Emergency Preparedness Chair, at lou.martinez@martinez@martinezmgt.net.

NEW POST OFFICERS

Congratulations and special thanks to our newly elected post Secretary, John Constantinide of Alpha MRC and Assistant Secretary/Treasurer, Mike Ferry of Archangel Construction and The Integration Factory. We also have a new Golf Tournament Social Chair, Kent Boulicault of Singhofen & Associates, Inc. who's first task will be to organize the social for the Post's Golf Tournament sponsors. Congratulations to John, Mike and Kent and special thanks for stepping up.





SAI

Singhofen & Associates, Inc.

12th Annual Golf Tournament



Our 12th Annual SAME Golf Tournament is just around the corner. Registration for golf is still open but is filling up very quickly. If you'd like to volunteer (non golfers) for the day of the tournament, please email Roger Sevigny at rsevigny@alleneng.com. Any SAME member that wants to supply items (215) for the "goody bags" should email Chet Wendrzyk at chet.wendrzyk@atkinsglobal.com.

Calling all **GOLD Sponsors** – please complete your registration forms and return them as soon as you can. We'd like to make sure you are included in the program and receive special recognition during the awards ceremony.

For any out of town golfers looking for a place to stay, the Comfort Inn in Cocoa Beach has offered a room rate discount. Mention VIP 20% off rate or the SAME golf tournament and ask for Mari McTaggart.



3901 N. Atlantic Ave., Cocoa Beach, FL, US, 32931 Phone: (321) 783-2221 www.comfortinncocoabeach.com

Membership Update

Carol Klinko has been doing a fabulous job increasing the membership of our SAME Space Coast Post. To date, here is our membership census:

STAINING MEMBER FIRMS: 79
INDIVIDUALS: 145
SUSTAINING MEMBER REPS: 292
TOTAL 437 (on roster)

If you are interested in becoming a member or giving a Sustaining Member Spotlight at one of our monthly meetings, contact Carol at cklincko@mriarchitects.com.

Upcoming Events

Mark your calendars for the following upcoming events:

Monthly Meeting:

Location: Lobster Shanty

Date: Third Thursday

of every month

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Holiday Social:

Location: TBD

Date: Thursday, December 6, 2012

Time: 5:30 – 8:30 p.m.

Check the website for more information. http://posts.same.org/spacecoast/

2012 SAME Summer Social

About 40 SAME friends and guests attended this year's Summer Social held at Jack Baker's Lobster Shanty. It was nice to get together, sit back and relax.

Thank you again to our raffle prize sponsors; Alpha MRC,

AMEC, Frazier Engineering, Ground Hound Detection Services, Martinez Engineering & Management Services,

R.C. Stevens Construction and Signature Systems of Florida.

Plan to join us in December for our Holiday Social.





Do you have news to share? If so, send it to Michelle Shoultz, Publicity Chairperson mshoultz@fraziereng.com.



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SCHOLARSHIP GOLF TOURNAMENT

Contact Name:

Space Coast POST -OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

WHEN: FRIDAY -NOVEMBER 9, 2012

Check in time – 7:00 AM "SHOTGUN START" – 8:30AM

WHERE: Cocoa Beach Country Club

Cocoa Beach, Florida



Tournament Underwriters:

- □ \$10,000 -Food & Beverages [-option-2 at \$5,000.00 each]
- S8,000 Tournament Shirts
 [option-2 at \$4,000.00 each]
- ☐ \$6,000 Golf and Carts Sponsor
- ☐ \$4,500 Raffle Gifts Sponsor
- ☐ \$4,500 Golf Tournament Prizes

Sponsorship Levels:

GOLD Sponsor \$750 – Includes one 4 man team, four lunches, program recognition and special recognition at the post-tournament awards ceremony.

(\$790.00 with Mulligan)

SILVER Sponsor and program recognition. (\$550 – Includes one "two some", two lunches, (\$590.00 with Mulligan)

BRONZE Sponsor \$350 – Includes one player, one lunch,

and program recognition. (\$390.00 with Mulligan)

□PATRON Sponsor \$250 – For non-golfers, includes program recognition

HOLE Sponsor \$100 - Company name on one golf hole

Individual Players \$75 (Military/DOD/SAME Members)- one player and lunch



Soft Spikes Only

Mail this ENTRY FORM with

checks to: SAME
C/O Allen Engineering, Inc.
P.O. Box 321321

Cocoa Beach, FL. 32932-1321

Attn: Roger Sevigny 1-321-783-7443

FAX-321-783-5902

Make checks payable to SAME

For Reservations: <u>ALL CHECKS</u>
<u>MUST BE RECEIVED BY</u>
<u>OCT. 15th.</u>

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Company:		
Phone:		
Email:		

Participants:	4 Person Scramble
1	
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	Ball- \$40.00 - (one per team)

Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place.







Longest Drive