

a New England Chapter of the AFS Group on LinkedIn, the social networking site for business men and women. I have sent out invitations to everyone on our list. If you did not receive one or if it was kicked into your spam file, send me your e-mail address and I will issue another invitation. We are using this site to publish meeting notices and generate topics of interest.


As always we encourage your participation. The chapter only remains strong through the efforts of our members. Please direct suggestions and inquiries, or interest in joining the board, to myself at emarczyszak@burndy.com.

Finally our best wishes to Board Member, Valerie Armstrong, who is recovering from a skiing accident that requires surgery. We hope to see you up on your feet soon.

Ed Marczyszak
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*"If we always do
what we've always
done, we will get
what we've
always got."*
- Adam Urbanski

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**MARCH 2011
& BEYOND**

Finally we can see the light! The snow is almost all melted and soon we move the clocks

forward an hour. Winter has been a challenge this year but the members of the New England Chapter of the American Foundry Society are up to the challenge.

We will be holding a meeting in April in CT. I am challenging my fellow nutmeggers to step up to the plate and come to a local meeting. For some of you it's practically outside your door.

The meeting is Tuesday, April 5, 2011 and the speaker is CT State Police Lt. Vance. His presentation will be "General Information for Employers" and will include Workplace Violence. As this is an imperative current event topic, I would urge all New England foundrymen and members to attend. The meeting will be held at The Holiday Inn Express, located at 260 Main St., East Windsor, CT. The presentation will begin at 5:00 P.M. and there will be a buffet dinner afterwards. The cost of the

dinner is free to members and \$25.00 to non-members and guests. Please contact me: Ed Marczyszak 203-792-1115 x2030 or emarczyszak@burndy.com to confirm your attendance. Don't be left out in the cold. (Brrr)

On Tuesday, May 10, 2011 Greg Barber of Inductotherm will present "Induction Melting Safety & Techniques" at the Publick House in Sturbridge, Mass. Another great topic and meeting worth attending.

In June we will have our annual golf outing and details to follow soon. Always a great time and popular event. Hopefully the snow will be gone by then!

The new website is up and running and we encourage you to visit at www.newenglandafs.com. Our webmaster is doing a great job and looking for suggestions. Kudos to Webmaster Tom Vecchiarelli of Yankee Casting for his hard work and efforts.

As noted in last month's newsletter, we are looking to grow the chapter not only in membership but in our presentations and our ability to communicate to our members. I created

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