



## July 2013 & Beyond

Once again Mark Johnson did a great job with the Chapter Golf Outing... Even the torrential rains and monsoons that struck the Heritage Country Club in Charlton Massachusetts that day couldn't deter the brave and courageous foundrymen from hitting the links! A hearty congratulations to Mark for his hard work and efforts! Mark also won the award for the longest drive of the day, which I thought was a gimme for me having driven all the way from Bethel, CT, but evidently it has something to do with hitting the golf ball the farthest and not the distance covered in a motor vehicle. Go figure!

Our chapter will be taking the summer months off to either enjoy with our families or bail out our basements dependent on where you live and how much rain you are encountering. Hopefully the sun will once again shine over our area.

The next chapter meeting will take place at 7pm on Wednesday September 11, 2013 and will be held at The Steelyard 27 Sims Ave, Providence RI. This meeting will consist of a presentation and tour of the Steelyard. Dinner will not be included, we recommend stopping at anyone of a number of excellent restaurants in the Providence area to dine prior to the tour. If you need directions to the site you can click on this link for the address and directions:

<http://thesteelyard.org/contact>

Also here is a list of a few restaurants in the area to dine at prior to the meeting.

Trinity Brew House is a very casual setting that has good assortment of beer and food. [www.trinitybrewhouse.com](http://www.trinitybrewhouse.com)

For a much more casual setting, Cuban Revolution might be an option. It is located just around the corner from the Steel Yard.

<http://www.thecubanrevolution.com/#!locations/c58w>

Federal Hill is famous for its restaurants and it is just blocks from the Steel Yard. There is the Blue Grotto <http://www.bluegrottorestaurant.com/>.

The Steelyard is a non-profit organization founded in 2001 to teach the industrial arts to a wide array of people in the community. It sits on the site of the former Providence Steel and Iron Complex and serves as a catalyst in the creative revitalization of the Industrial Valley District of Providence RI. The working facilities at the Steel Yard are ceramics, bronze casting, glass casting, metal work, and blacksmithing. The Steel Yard is engaged in providing young people the opportunity to learn the industrial arts and develop life skills necessary to become successful adults.

I am looking forward to this tour and hope to see many of you there. I want to personally challenge the Ocean Staters to attend. One of my goals is to move the meetings around the various geographic areas of the New England Chapter in hopes this will result in greater participation.

While there will be no charge for the tour and presentation, we would like a headcount to present to The Steelyard prior to our visit.

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As always we encourage your suggestions for meeting topics. The chapter remains strong through the efforts of our members. Anyone interested in joining the board please e-mail me at [emarczyszak@burndy.com](mailto:emarczyszak@burndy.com) as we welcome your interest and participation.

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Thanks for your continued support,  
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