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Awards !

This has been a productive year for our chapter. Earlier this year we won the student organization Peak Performance Award for excellence in procedures and processes (turning our paperwork in on time, and complete).

This semester we won our national Silver Award for meeting the requirements of IIE, and accumulating enough points to meet those requirements. In addition, we received a check in the amount of \$95 (\$4 from each of the student member dues) from headquarters, the first time in three years (because we had not met the requirements).

So, lets improve upon last year and go for the Gold!

Paintball War !

This summer (July 28th) we had our first paint ball war with PUCCO. Between our IIE/SME/SAE members we were able to round up 9 players to defeat the PUCCO team of 9. There is another event scheduled for Saturday, October 20th. Please check our web site for the latest information.

<http://axp.calumet.purdue.edu/~iie/events.html>



Above: IIE/SME/SAE Team



Below: PUCCO Team

IIE Chapter 822 Fall 2001 Officers:

Professor Susan Scachitti
Faculty Advisor

Wes Bushby, CMfgT
President

Ken Porter
Secretary

Juan Salinas
Treasurer

Events:

October

Monday, 8th: General chapter meeting. IIE and SME chapter officer nominations.

Saturday, 20th: Paint ball war, IIE/SME/SAE against PUCCO.

November

Monday, 12th: General chapter meeting. IIE and SME chapter officer elections.

December

Monday, 10th: Finals week and general chapter meeting.

Saturday, 15th: Newly elected chapter officers take office.

UPS Tour A Success! *(by Jay Gruber)*

On Monday OCT 1st in Hodgkin's, IL, our IIE chapter hosted a tour for all interested. The attending students and professionals were from several local chapters that included: IIE student Chapter 822, IIE Senior Chapter 25, IIE Senior Chapter 180 and our own SME Senior Chapter 112. In all, 14 people were in attendance. The tour consisted of a short briefing with pizza and pop provided by UPS. The tour followed, which took us through the Chicago area Consolidation Hub (CACH) facility.

The 240-acre site processes over one million packages a day. Over 65 miles of belting, 30 plus miles of conveyors, and over 10,000 electric motors move the packages at an amazing rate and efficiency. The "WAR GAMES" like control room was also impressive. Communications are key in a facility of this size (approximately 12,000 employees), and UPS handles this with 50-communication boards located strategically throughout the facility. Information booths, UPS newsletters and Targetvision (the internal UPS television), also help with communications.

A thanks goes out to UPS for hosting the tour and providing refreshments. Those individuals involved in the planning also deserve our thanks. I encourage all students and professionals alike to take part in as many upcoming events as possible. The learning experience is worth the time and effort!



UPS Tour Attendees: Wes Bushby, Jay Gruber, Juan Salinas, Yuthama Kusumpa, Randall Steger, Jim Preston, Roy Hunter, Gary Peterson, Chuck Besler, Steve Bing, Gene Naucas, Larry Bennett, Iliov (from Siemens), A.J. Petryna (We apologize if we have misspelled some names.)

We have an Office!

We have been given office space in the library building, SFLC-324-A. We share space with SWE and IEEE.

Because we act as a cooperative organization with SME and SAE, we will be sharing our IIE space with them. Soon we will be organized and open for business. We invite everyone to come visit. We will have student applications, flyers, publications and whatever else we can get out hands on, available for you to use.

In the mean time, we will give an IIE cap to the first IIE member who can E-mail us back and tell us what is on the room window! E-mail to:

iie@axp.calumet.purdue.edu

Student Organization Fair – Rush Week

The student organization fair took place the week of September 10th. Our IIE, SME and SAE chapters were represented, and were setup at the south end of SFLC. We had a great display! What caught everybody's eye, of course, was our SAE Mini Baja Car. The fun part for us was pushing the car around SFLC!



Free Membership !

Did I here right - did someone say free!!!!!!! Yes, you heard right! Driven by the hysterical demand of the masses (to quote Dimitrios), the free membership drive continues!

If you're having doubts of making a commitment to IIE , SME, or SAE for the first time, then don't call the Love Line - call us!

First-time membership to IIE, SME or SAE will be payed by our illustrious METS department (with the exception of seniors - sorry but you missed your opportunity).

We also have a special deal for incoming freshman who have declared majors in Industrial Engineering Technology and Mechanical Engineering Technology - you can join ALL THREE organizations for free!

So, don't hesitate, apply now! Contact Juan Salinas, your recruiting representative if you want to join: playera_juan@hotmail.com (*Renewals are left up to you.*)

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