January Meeting Agenda

AFS Hawkeye Chapter Meeting

Date: January 19, 2016

Location: The Supervisors’ Club
3265 Dewitt Road
Waterloo, IA 50701

Time:
5:00 – 6:00 PM Social
6:00 – 6:30 PM Dinner
6:30 – 7:30 PM Speaker
7:30 PM Raffle

Presentations: “Blast Equipment Seminar” – Jim Jazwinski

Jim began working with shot blast equipment in 1991 with Castalloy Corporation or Badger Products; a company out of Waukesha, WI that provided shot blast replacement parts, service and new shot blast equipment. Jim was based in Grand Rapids, MI and covered Michigan, Indiana and Central Illinois where he spent the majority of his time in foundries. Through an acquisition of Castalloy, he worked for Wheelabrator until 2001. He left Wheelabrator, and for a short period sold fabrication equipment only; returning to shot blast one year later with a regional blast equipment repair company in Muskegon MI. In 2012, he joined Ervin Industries and relocated to Dubuque, IA.

Throughout his career, Jim has helped foundries troubleshoot blast machines, engineer equipment upgrades, and performed preventative maintenance audits of equipment. Most recently for Ervin Industries his responsibilities include shot conservation, equipment audits, blast equipment seminars, shot recommendations and blast machine troubleshooting.

He will be presenting a condensed version of Ervin’s blast equipment seminar which includes the casting of steel shot, shot size selection and blast machine basics.
In Case you missed it...

November Meeting
Green Sand Additives and Clays- Rick Budmayr

On Tuesday November 17th, 2015, Rick Budmayr of Imerys presented about green sand additives and clays. Rick’s focus is working directly with Green Sand Foundries providing mineral based value enhancing solutions.

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