September Meeting Agenda

AFS Hawkeye Chapter Meeting

Date: April 18, 2017

Location: Irv Warren Golf Course
1000 Fletcher Avenue
Waterloo, IA 50701

Time: 5:30-6:00 Social
6:00-6:30 Dinner
6:30-7:30 Speaker
7:30 Raffle

Cost: $20 per plate
$25 per plant non- AFS members

Menu: Pot Roast
Potato
Green Beans
Salad and Rolls
Dessert

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Deadline: April 14, 2017

Presentation:
Tony Thompson, Sheriff of Black Hawk County

Sheriff Tony Thompson took office January 1, 2009 and was re-elected in November of 2012 with nearly 70% of the vote. He joined the US Army as a military police officer in December of 1988 and retired from the Iowa Army National Guard with just over 21 years following his election as Sheriff. His career with the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office began in March of 1994 and he has worked in the Jail, Special Services and Patrol Divisions. His prior assignments include: Drug Education Officer, Community Services Coordinator, Computer Crimes Investigator, Patrol Officer, Public Information Officer, and SWAT Team leader prior to taking command of the Black Hawk County Sheriff's Office. He lives with his family on a hobby farm in rural Cedar Falls.


Sheriff Thompson also teaches Criminal Justice oriented classes for Upper Iowa University, University of Northern Iowa, and Simpson College as an adjunct professor.

Elected: November 4th, 2008

Took Office: January 1st, 2009 (Re-elected in 2012 and 2016)

Wife: Janel Sons: Brady (Studying at UNI and member of the Iowa Army National Guard) and Bryce (Junior in High School)
In Case you missed it...

Tour of American Colloid

The world's largest producer and supplier of green sand bond solutions for ferrous castings. Rick Dunkel, Plant Manager, gave us a tour of the Shell Rock, IA plant and we were shown the blending process, process controls and shipping and receiving department. Rick is very proud of his plant and very well should be.

Announcements

Please check out our new and improved website http://afshawkeye.wixsite.com/afshawkeye . Thanks to Joe Kuebler for all the work he did to get our website back up and looking great. You will find meeting notices and special events for our chapter.

121st Metalcasting Congress

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Metalcasting Congress is your chance to connect with suppliers, peers and customers and catch new ideas to excel at your job and improve your business. This year, take advantage of the heralded technical and management sessions PLUS Institute courses, keynote speaker Harry Moser, special interest group meetings, and the AFS Hub on the show floor.

Silica Exposure Control Workshop

Foundries must begin actively planning their compliance strategy to be ready for the new regulations on respirable silica.

This workshop will focus on controlling silica exposure levels in the foundry, including equipment and procedures associated with the sand system process operation and maintenance, material handling, ventilation and housekeeping. The workshop will feature case studies and foundry experiences in controlling silica exposure hazards.

A friendly reminder:

When you RSVP to a Hawkeye Chapter event, we add your name to an ongoing list. At the end of the RSVP period, we give that list to the event center, and that is how they plan the amount of food to buy. There is a percentage of extra food that is added as a safety stock so we do not run out. The AFS Hawkeye Chapter has to pay for the number of guests that we RSVP for whether or not you actually show up. We do take into account uncontrollable circumstances such as illnesses and we plan accordingly. So please make sure that when you RSVP, you make every attempt possible to show up to the event or you let us know as soon as possible.

Thank you,

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