

Monthly Chapter Meeting

Chapter History 2000 – 2001 Our 79th Year



This year's president is Judith Dimitriu started the year off with a bang and a road trip to Penetanguishene Correctional Facility. This was a bus tour which was sold out and a tour of the almost finished jail in northern Ontario. The evening speakers were Reg Callahan and Jim Lowden on the design and planning of the centre. Dinner was held at the Brooklea Golf & Country Club on the way back from the tour.

November meeting was held at the Novotel Hotel, in North York, where Robert A. Dunn P.Eng., discussed the challenges facing the water industry, and the tragic situation at Walkerton. As well we awarded the past years Research Contributors for their investments in Research.

The December meeting held in the Gibson Room of the Novotel Hotel, in North York and was small due to the weather. However Bill McCartney and Hugh Crowther went over ASHRAE Society and how things work in the long chain, and how technical committees work, three Life members were presented with their certificates, Ken Trodd, Jim Johnstone and John Parker.

The January meeting was held at the Novotel Hotel, in North York and David Underwood talked on HVAC Commissioning. We also had RVC Chapter Programs Wilfred Laman talk about setting up the chapter program schedule.

February is Student Night and the Novotel Hotel was getting ready for the students. The dinner speaker Robert M. Gardner Manager of Mechanical Products at Knauf Fiber Glass, Shelbyville Indiana, discussed "Fiber Glass Air Handling Insulation Products"

March is Refrigeration Night at the Novotel Hotel, the dinner speaker was to be Alex Cavadias of Environment Canada who addressed the Ozone Protection Plan, however he could not make it due to weather. Bengt Sormon stepped in and went over the Ontario Operating Engineers Act.

April found us on the road to Markham and a plant tour of Steelcase Canada Ltd., where we went on a tour of the whole plant. We had a dinner discussion by Steelcase President Jim Mitchell who enlightened us on how the plant works.

The new list of Governors were announced and names were taken from the floor, with no new names were brought forward.

The May meeting was held at the Novotel Hotel, in North York, where the dinner topic was Ontario Electrical Power Deregulation, as presented by Dan Pastoric Vice President of Ontario Hydro Energy's Business-to-Business Group.

The new members were inducted into the Board of Governors to the following year with Leo Borges at the president.

The June meeting was held at the Glen Cedars Golf Course and the course was full of ASHRAE members and guests. As usual money was made for ASHRAE RESEARCH.

