



Saginaw Valley Quality Source

Saginaw Valley Section 1004 Newsletter

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May 2002

Dinner Meeting Notice

Date: Wednesday, May 8, 2002
Location: Horizons Conference Center
6200 State St., Saginaw

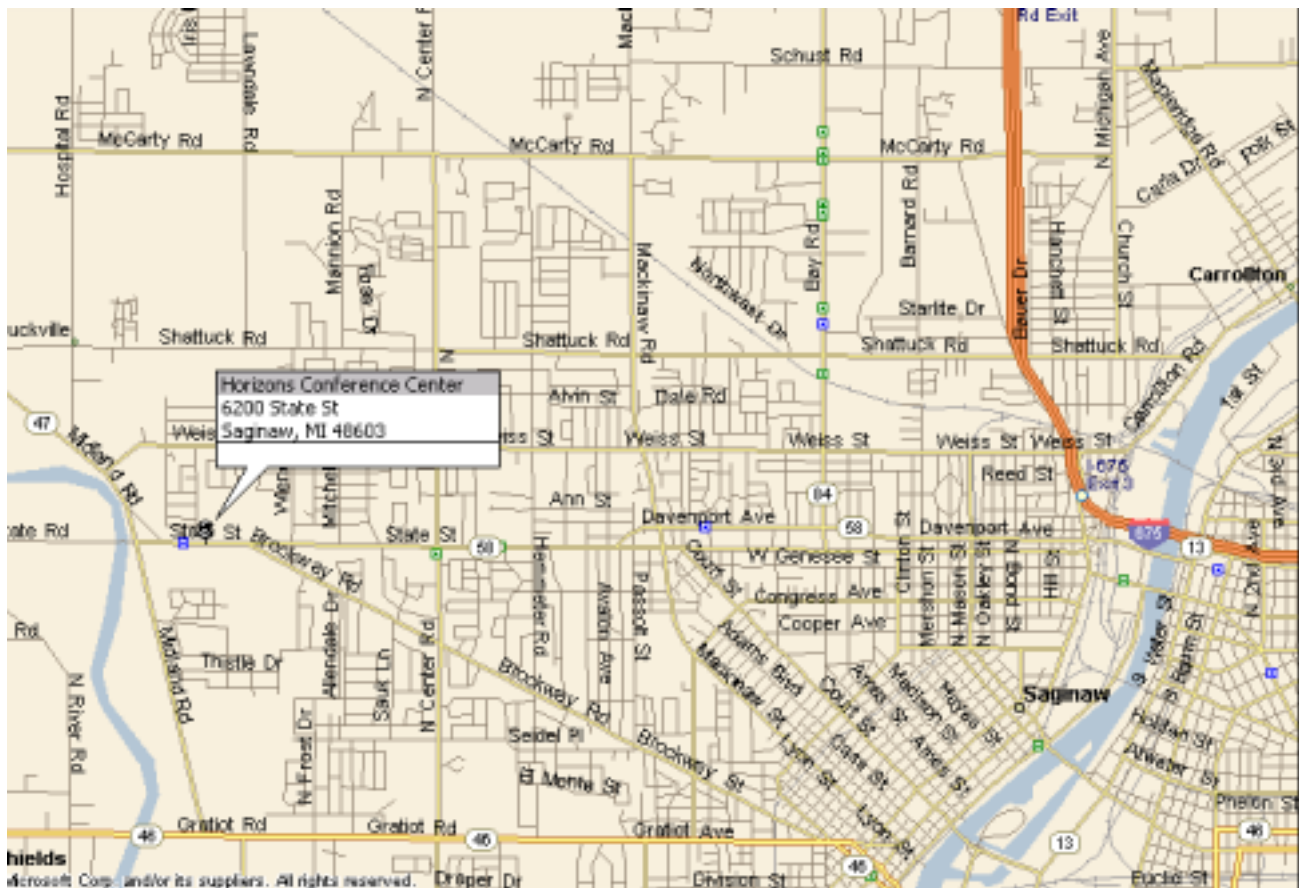
Agenda: 6:00 PM Social Time
6:30 PM Dinner
7:00 Casino
8:00 Auction

There will be a cash bar available from 6:00 to 6:30.

Dinner will be: Buffet stations, including:
Carving Station – Beef tenderloin and turkey breast with accompaniments
French Station – Escargot, brie and caviar
Sweets Station – Assorted

Cost is \$20.00 flat fee with RSVP. RSVP is required to attend. **Only the first 60 reservations will be honored so don't wait to RSVP!!!**

Call Barb Amberg at (989) 757-4645 for Dinner RSVP.



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Finally It's Here!

Casino Night – you've heard about it all year, now the time has finally come. The May dinner meeting will be a hands-on, interactive probability problem-solving event.

How do you get chips?

Refer to the point grid on the website – we're using the honor system. To make it easier at the door – there will be a minimum amount of chips given to each ASQ member.

What can I play?

There will be roulette, craps, Let-It-Ride Poker and Blackjack.

What do I do with my winnings?

There is a silent auction immediately following the gaming. See list of prizes available.

What about dinner and refreshments?

There are three buffet stations and a cash bar. There is a carving station, a French station and a Sweets station.

What does it cost?

The dinner meeting fee of \$20.

Note: Dealers are volunteers – go easy on them!

Prizes

18 Holes of Golf	Tree Tops	4 x 18 holes; plus lodging
Mackinaw Island	Mission Point	1 night stay
18 Holes of Golf	The Fortress	4 x 18 holes
ASQ Golf Balls		
ASQ golf shirts	10	
ASQ Windbreaker	2	
Cooler/Party Pack	1	
Camping Pack	1	
Fishing Pack	1	
Harley Pack/Picnic	1	
Golf Discount Cards	5	
Dinner for 2	1	
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6 Games:		
Monopoly, Pictionary, Battle of Sexes, Trivia Pursuit, Chinese Checkers, 7 Game Combo		

Please see our ASQ website, for card game rules. <http://www.asq1004.org>

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The following is a listing of the Executive Committee members for the 2001-2002 fiscal year. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact any committee member.

Section 1004 Executive Committee 2001-2002

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From the Webmaster/Membership Chair:

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Also available at our website is a link under **Your Membership** where you can update your address (and e-mail options) information and a link under **Dinner Meetings** for making reservations online!

Any questions can be sent to webmaster@asq1004.org.
Thanks!

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MS Degree in Continuous Improvement (Quality) Methods

Join other professionals in post-graduate study culminating in an MS degree with a major in Quality. The program is currently offered in Ypsilanti, Livonia, and on-line via the Internet. It has also been offered at other public sites in Michigan and at dedicated corporate locations. Please call for further information if a corporate site better suit your needs.

Our students are typically mid-career individuals with quality-related responsibilities in areas such as manufacturing, social services, education, construction, food services, finance, government, healthcare and printing. The curriculum consists of 30 semester hours and includes: Value Analysis, Cost of Quality, Human Factors in Continuous Improvement, Lean Practices, Customer Satisfaction, Quality Systems: Practice & Theory (TQM), Quality Planning, Operational Auditing, Statistical Process Control (SPC), Design of Experiments, Geometric Dimensioning & Tolerancing, Reliability, Research Methods, and a capstone research project or thesis. The program can be tailored to meet the diverse needs of any organization seeking to improve. Those applying to the program must have a baccalaureate degree with an overall grade point average of 2.5. Note that individual courses may be taken prior to admission to the graduate degree program.

For further information, send e-mail to Bob Chapman at: CHAPHOOK@AOL.COM, or call the Department of Industrial Technology at: 734-487-2040.

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ISO 9001:2000 Transition Training

Sponsored by Saginaw Valley Section, American Society for Quality

Date: Tuesday, May 21, 2002

Time: 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Location: Horizons Conference Center
6200 State Street
Saginaw, MI 48603

Price: ASQ members \$175
Non-members \$195

Now you can obtain the training you need to facilitate your company's transition to the ISO 9001:2000 Quality Management System Standard right here in the Saginaw Valley, presented by an authority in this field.

What You Will Learn:

- The changed philosophy in ISO 9001:2000 with emphasis on:
 - Customer Focus
 - Management Involvement
 - Process Orientation
- The 8 Quality Principles
- Content of ISO 9001:2000 – clause by clause description
- Implications on auditing Techniques
- Guidance on Transitioning to the Revised Standard

Who Should Attend:

Quality Managers
ISO Management Representatives
Audit Team Leaders
First- and second-party auditors
Company Managers and Supervisors

Instructor:

This seminar will be presented by Rudolf (Rudy) M. Salinger, Ph.D., Principal Consultant for Salinger Quality Consultants, LLC, of Midland MI.

Dr. Salinger is a RAB accredited QMS Lead Auditor, an ASQ CQA and CQE, and a registered Professional Engineer. He has been Corporate ISO Program Manager at a local major industrial company with experience in obtaining and maintaining ISO 9001, 9002, and QS-9000 registrations for numerous plants as well as providing training and management for a corporate internal ISO audit program.. He is a co-author of "ISO 9001:2000 Guidelines for the Chemical and Process Industries", published by ASQ's Quality Press.

If you would like to attend, please call Barb Amberg at (989) 757-4645. Registration deadline is Tuesday, May 7, 2002.



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