

Refrigeration Up-Date

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Special points of interest:

- FOUR EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS
- PRODUCT PREVIEWS FROM AN ARRAY OF VENDORS
- GOLF TOURNAMENT
- DOOR PRIZES
- NETWORKING OPPORTUNITIES

2008 Up-Date Scheduled

We are very excited about this year's Up-Date. Much thought has been put into bringing you a program that will help keep you up-to-date on the latest products and technologies for the HVAC/R contractor.

The Up-Date is your one stop resource to being more profitable and successful in your business. In just one day you will have the opportunity to see, touch and compare many of the new products and technologies on the market today. You will explore new business ideas and networking opportunities.

This year's educational programs are designed to cover many aspects of the industry. Jason Stash with Inficon, Inc. will lead a discussion on leak detection followed by a ses-

sion with Janie Sutton, State Property Plan Review Section, NC Department of Insurance, on the NC Me-



chanical Code with special emphasis on the codes pertaining to refrigeration.

“Why Compressors Fail” presented by Rich

D'Adersa of Emerson Climate Technology will be combined with a compressor breakdown class. Students will actually tear down a compressor to trouble shoot the compressor problems. Running simultaneously with



these three sessions will be a session on hoist safety specifically designed for the refrigeration construction industry followed by an OSH

update. Session leaders will be Tom Bricker, District Sales Manager for Coffing Hoists, and Rebecca Israel, Safety Compliance Office with the NC Department of Labor—OSH Division.

This year's exhibit area will display an array of vendors on hand to demonstrate their products and services. A list of vendors is located on page 4.

Additionally, this year a golf tournament has been planned for March 11th, the day prior to the Up-Date. The tournament will be held at Rock Barn Golf and Spa, host of The Champions Tour—Greater Hickory Classic. Each team will consist of four players with prizes to be awarded for longest drive, closest to the pin, pre-round putting competition and low net. The cost for the tournament is \$240.00 per team/\$60.00 per individual which includes green fees, cart, drinks and lunch. Single players are welcome and will be assigned to a team. Firms wishing to sponsor an event at the tournament should contact

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Don Cornwell at 336-462-0498 or golf@acrsupply.com. A registration form for the golf tournament may be found below.

The Up-Date is scheduled for Wednesday, March 12, 2008 at the Park Inn Gateway Conference Center, 909 Highway 70 SW, in Hickory, NC. A block of rooms has been reserved for the evening of March 11 and individuals are responsible for

making their own room reservations by calling the hotel direct at 800-789-0686.

Registration is free for both the workshops and exhibit area. We expect a large crowd for this event and would appreciate your pre-registering. By pre-registering, you will receive your name tag and information brochure prior to the Up-Date. A registration form may be found on page 3.

Board Happenings

Governor Michael F. Easley has appointed Clarence L. Smith, Jr. to the Board for a term expiring 12/31/2010.

Dr. Smith is a Lecturer and Assistant Head of the Edward P. Fitts Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering, NC State University.

Dr. Smith replaces David E. Klett as the member from an engineering school of the University of North Carolina.

The Board would like to express its gratitude to Dr. Klett for his service. He was appointed to the Board by Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. and served from 1999 to 2007.

During his tenure on the Board he was instrumental in the revision of the scholarship program, furthering the annual Up-Date and helping develop the computer testing.

David gave freely of his time and resources. His experience and expertise in the industry was of great benefit to the Board.

His dedication and hard work will always be appreciated.

Golf Tournament Registration

Please register the following for the Golf Tournament at Rock Barn Golf and Spa on Tuesday, March 11, 2008.
Additional forms may be copied as needed

Check for \$ _____ is enclosed. (Team—\$240; Individual—\$60.00)

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Confirm To:

Name _____

Company Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

One form per team. Checks payable to SBRE and mailed to: 893 Highway 70 W., Suite 208, Garner, NC 27529. Make additional registration forms as needed.

UP-DATE SCHEDULE

Tuesday, March 11, 2008

10:30 a.m. Golf Tournament—Rock Barn Golf and Spa

Wednesday, March 12, 2008

8:00 a.m. Exhibits Open

8:30 a.m. Seminar, Leak Detection, Jason Stash, Inficon, Inc.

8:30 a.m. Seminar, Hoist Safety and OSH Up-Date, Tom Bricker, Coffing Hoists and Rebecca Israel, NC Department of Labor, OSH Division

9:30 a.m. Door Prize Drawing

10:00 a.m. Seminar, Refrigeration Code Up-Date, Janie Sutton, State Property Plan Review Section, NC Department of Insurance

11:00 a.m. Door Prize Drawing

11:30 a.m. Why Compressors Fail, Rich D'Adersa, Emerson Climate Control

12:30 a.m. Door Prize Drawing

1:00 p.m. Exhibits Close

1:30 p.m. Compressor Break-down Class, Rich D'Adersa, Emerson Climate Control



UP-DATE REGISTRATION FORM

Please register the following for Up-Date 2008. Additional forms may be copied as needed

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Company Name _____

Mailing Address _____

Phone _____

Return to: SBRE, 893 Highway 70 W., Suite 208, Garner, NC 27529 (mail)
sbre1@bellsouth.net (e-mail) or
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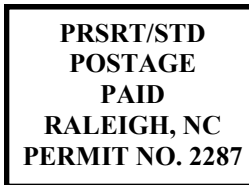
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2008 Up-Date Exhibitors

Each year the exhibitors make it possible for the Board to bring you the Up-Date at no cost to you or your employees.

As of February 12, 2008, the following companies have agreed to participate in Refrigeration Up-Date 2008:

- ACR Supply Co.
- ARNEG USA
- Bitzer US
- Cannon Marketing, Inc.
- C. C. Dickson Co.
- Chadwick & Associates, Inc.
- Cliplight Manufacturing Co.
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- Coffing Hoists
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- Johnstone Supply
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- Milwaukee Electric Tool Corporation
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- Ref-Tec
- Spectronics Corporation
- Steve Lee & Associates
- Supermarket Systems, Inc.
- Testo, Inc.
- The Flora Group
- Tuttle Company
- United Components
- United Refrigeration