

SAN FRANCISCO BAY SECTION

California Water Environment Association

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June 2010

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT...

My goodness it's June already, half of the year has gone by. Summer is almost here and it's time for Dads and grads, picnics, and all the summer sports leagues for the kids. Oh yeah and vacations!

Back to business. I wanted to address a few items from the Annual Conference. The SFBS would like to congratulate the Joint Collection System Committee (SFBS/SCV) who received a PICK at the 2010 Annual Conference. Congratulations to Andy Morrison, Vince Falzon, Patricia DeRouen, Dan Stevenson, Kristina Hammer and Rick Horne on your recognition. My apologies for the incomplete list in last month's newsletter.

Our newest 5S members are Fran Burlingham and Tom Herlihy. And lastly the Bay Section presented a \$3,000 contribution to the Kirt Brook's Scholarship Fund.

Just to let you know Cassie Prudhel was honored as Employee of the Year for 2009 at the South San Francisco City's Employee Recognition Luncheon. Cassie received the award in part for her tireless service to the City as well as to the California Water Environment Association. Congratulations Cassie!

San Francisco Bay section is only as good as the hard-working volunteers on its various standing committees, the SFBS Board has elected to once again host its Annual Committee Appreciation function, to honor these dedicated folks who give so generously of their time and effort. The function will be held at McCovey's Restaurant in Walnut Creek on July 22. Committee members, please contact your individual committee chairperson for more details.

Here is a quick rundown of the upcoming training and social events. Please see the flyers included in this newsletter and the SFBS and CWEA web sites for additional details.

The SFBS PDC Committee will be hosting an all day [Nutrient Management Seminar](#) on June 4, 2010 at Central Contra Costa Sanitary District in Martinez

The SFBS O&M Committee will be hosting a [Hands On Seminar](#) on June 23, 2010 from 8:00 am to 3:30 pm at Union Sanitary District in Union City.

[RES/SFBS Joint Baseball Outing](#) The Redwood Empire Section and San Francisco Bay Section will be hosting a [Joint Baseball Outing](#) to the Giants Vs. Dodgers game on Sunday, July 31, 2010 at 1:00 PM. Seating is in Section 142 (Left field bleachers). The cost is \$35 including a tailgate lunch, which will be provided before the game. Tickets are limited. To reserve your spot contact Barry Pomeroy at bpomeroy573@yahoo.com (put "Baseball Game" in subject line).

Our SFBS annual Golf Tournament is coming to a golf course near you...This year's event will again be sponsored by the Collection System Committee and will be held in July at Monarch Bay Golf Club in San Leandro...Look for more information to come in upcoming announcements and please save that date and hope to see you out on the links.

The next SFBS dinner meeting is on June 3rd at Zio Fraedo's in Pleasant Hill. I hope to see you there.

Polly Villarreal, 2010 SFBS President

Important Stuff:

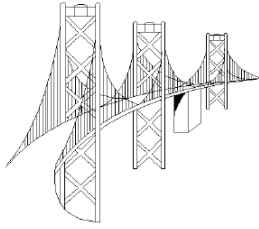
Important Stuff:

June 3, SFBS Dinner Meeting, Zio Fraedo's – Pleasant Hill

June 4, PDC Committee Nutrient Mgmt Seminar, CCCSD, Martinez

June 23, O&M Committee Hands on Seminar, Union Sanitary District

July 31, SFBS & RES Annual Baseball Game and Picnic – LA Dodgers vs. San Francisco Giants



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CWEA San Francisco Bay Section Thursday, June 3, 2010 Dinner Meeting

Featuring: Speaker to be announced at the meeting

Topic not finalized - will be related to an O&M topic or energy efficiency.

Where: Zio Fraedo's
611 Gregory Lane
Pleasant Hill CA 94523
(925) 933-9091

Directions: From 24, take Pleasant Hill Road exit north to Gregory Lane (left on Gregory) – venue is ½ block on the left

From 680 heading south, take Gregory Ln exit west. From 680 heading north, take Treat Blvd exit then cross west over 680 to north on Contra Costa Blvd then left on Gregory Ln

When: **Thursday, June 3, 2010**
5:00 – SFBS Board Meeting
6:00 – Social Hour
7:00 – Dinner
8:00 – Presentation

Dinner Cost: \$30.00 CWEA Members
\$45.00 Non-CWEA Members
\$15.00 Students

Menu Choices: Appetizer & Salad; choice 1 of:
New York Steak
Chicken Toscana
Grilled Salmon
Pasta Primavera (veg)
Dessert & Coffee

Contact: Tom Hendrey of Whitley Burchett & Associates at cweasfbs@aol.com for dinner reservations. Please include your name, menu selection and agency or company affiliation. If you require special accommodations, please provide a written description of your needs.

Reservation deadline for Dinner Meeting is Tuesday, June 1, 2010 at noon.

REMEMBER – a reservation is a commitment to pay.

Directions: See “Where” above or Google the address.



NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?
Engineers, planners, managers, operators, regulators, and others who are interested in learning about nutrient management alternatives and potential future regulatory requirements in California.

WHEN:
Friday, June 4th, 2010
Registration: 8:00am
Seminar: 8:30am – 3:30pm
Continental breakfast and lunch included.

SPEAKERS:
Kenneth Abraham – Black & Veatch
Glen Daigger – CH2M HILL
Tom Grovhoug – Larry Walker Associates
Matthew Kuzma – Ostara
Denny Parker – Brown and Caldwell

WHERE:
Central Contra Costa Sanitary District
Multi-Purpose Conference Room
5019 Imhoff Place
Martinez, California 94553
925.228.9500

- TOPICS INCLUDE:**
- ◆ Nutrient regulations in California
 - ◆ Biological nutrient removal
 - ◆ Chemical phosphorous removal
 - ◆ Nitrification technologies
 - ◆ Selector technologies
 - ◆ Nutrient recovery
 - ◆ Alternative carbon sources in denitrification filters



For more information, please contact:
Jenny Reina – CH2M HILL
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by phone: 510.587.7778

Continuing Education
Earn up to 0.6 CEUs or 6 contact hours for full day (specify on registration form, below)

REGISTRATION FORM

CWEA NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT SEMINAR



Early registration is encouraged due to space limitations. Seminar topics and speakers are subject to change without prior notice.

NAME: _____

AGENCY/FIRM: _____

ADDRESS: _____

DAYTIME PHONE: _____ FAX: _____

EMAIL: _____ CHECK NUMBER: _____ *Please make a copy of this filled-in form for your records.*

DO YOU REQUIRE SPECIAL ACCOMMODATIONS? (Please describe): _____

ENCLOSE CHECK PAYABLE TO: **S.F. BAY SECTION, CWEA**

COST:
\$80 for CWEA and CA-NV AWWA members
\$100 for non-members
\$40 for full-time students
Includes continental breakfast, lunch, and refreshments.
Please check if you want: CEUs contact hours

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PLANT OPERATIONS & MAINTENANCE (O&M) COMMITTEE

Presents a

HANDS-ON SEMINAR

Wednesday, June 23, 2010

8:00 am – 8:30 am: Registration & Coffee

8:30 am – 3:30 pm: Hands-On Seminar

at

Union Sanitary District (USD)

Registration is \$40 (CWEA members); \$55 (non-members)

Lunch and Refreshments Provided

Attendance is limited to 60 participants – RSVP by June 16, 2010

REGISTER: email (preferred) keely.nelson@lee-ro.com
or call Keely Nelson at (925) 627-3387

Note: If you are unable to attend, please cancel by June 16th, or send a substitute.

OVERVIEW: Participants will attend five 50-minute hands-on sessions during this day-long training seminar. **A total of 5.5 contact hours are available.** The following equipment and topics will be covered:

- **SLUDGE AND SCUM PUMPING USING PROGRESSIVE CAVITY AND ROTARY LOBE PUMPS.**
- **SLUDGE THICKENING WITH GRAVITY BELT THICKENERS.**
- **SLUDGE DEWATERING WITH CENTRIFUGES.**
- **POLYMER BLENDING UNITS AND POLYMER CHOICE**
- **INSTRUMENTATION IN SOLIDS HANDLING APPLICATIONS.**

DIRECTIONS:

Going south on Interstate 880: Exit at Whipple Road (before the large shopping center marquees). At the end of the ramp, continue straight through the intersection (west) on Whipple Road. Turn left on Union City Blvd. Turn right on Bettencourt Way and continue until it dead ends. Turn left on Whipple Road. Follow it around the curve and it turns into Benson Road. Continue straight into the visitor parking lot.

Going north on Interstate 880: Take Interstate 880 north to Union City. Exit at Alvarado Niles Road and go right at the end of the off-ramp (west). The road narrows down and turns into Smith Street. Turn right on Union City Blvd. Turn left on Bettencourt Way (first stoplight) and continue until it dead ends. Turn left on Whipple Road. Follow it around the curve and it turns into Benson Road. Continue straight into the visitor parking lot.

Union Sanitary District
Wastewater Treatment Plant and Administration Building
5072 Benson Road
Union City, CA 94587-2508

Door Prizes!

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Annual Picnic/ Baseball Game



Saturday, July 31, 2010

GIANTS VS. DODGERS

July 31, 2010

Picnic Tailgate 11:00 a.m.

Game 1:00 p.m.

TAILGATE – LOT D

(see map on reverse)

Lunch and soft drinks
provided by Section

Cost \$35

Tickets are limited

Parking is NOT included and is limited at park.

Please use public transportation.

RESERVATIONS:

Contact Barry Pomeroy:

Via email, bpomeroy573@yahoo.com

(put "Baseball Game" in subject line) or call (707) 333-5391.

Cost is \$35.00 per person for CWEA members and family (provide membership number, list Section SF Bay or Redwood),

\$45.00 for non-members.

Mail payment to:

Foster Flow Control

155 Oakpoint Ct.

Pittsburg, CA 94565

ATTN: Picnic/Baseball

RSVP by June 30, 2010
A RSVP is an obligation to pay

2010 GIANTS PARKING LOTS: TAILGATE PARTIES



LOCATION:

Giants Lot D - highlighted yellow (from the ballpark, Lot D is adjacent to 3rd St., one block away from the ballpark on your right hand side).

HOURS:

Giants Lot D opens 4 hours prior to game time for caterers & set-up, tailgaters allowed access 3 hours prior to game time.

COST:

\$300 per tailgate space. Contact your Sales Executive or the Giants Executive Sales Office at 415-972-2298 to make additional reservations.

AREA:

Rental Space can accommodate up to 100 people per space, 2 cars are permitted to park in each tailgate area (parking passes will be issued for the 2 cars by the Giants Executive Sales Office).

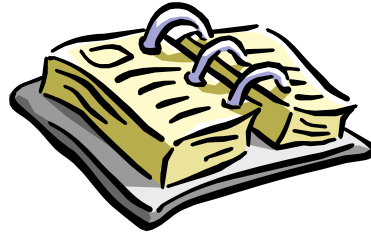
RESTRICTIONS:

Buses are not permitted to park in Giants Lot D.
 Bus parking can be found adjacent to Giants Lot A.



You may purchase bus parking passes (\$50 each) in advance by contacting your Sales Executive or the Giants Executive Sales Office at 415-972-2298.

Tailgaters are required to clean up their party area. Coal, trash & recycle bins are provided in all lots.



SFBS CALENDAR

JUNE 2010	
3	SFBS Dinner Meeting, Zio Fraedo's, Pleasant Hill
4	PDC, Nutrient Management Seminar, CCCSD, Martinez
6-9	WEF Specialty Conference – Membrane Applications, Anaheim, California
13-16	WEF Collection Systems Conference – Phoenix Arizona
16	CWEA Collection System Workshop and Vendor Fair, Fresno, California
23	O&M Committee Hands on Seminar, Union Sanitary District
JULY 2010	
TBA	SFBS Dinner Golf Tournament, Monarch Bay
22	SFBS Volunteer Appreciation Lunch, McCovey's restaurant at 1444 N. California in Walnut Creek
31	SFBS & RES Annual Baseball Game and Picnic – LA Dodgers vs. San Francisco Giants
AUGUST 2010	
TBA	SFBS Dinner Meeting, Location TBA
15-18	WEF/IWA Biofilm Reactor Technology Conference 2010, Portland, Oregon

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