

SAN FRANCISCO BAY SECTION

California Water Environment Association



May 2011

GREETINGS FROM THE PRESIDENT...

Another year, another successful Annual Conference. Those that were able to attend were treated to a great line-up of presentations, tours and social events. As SF Bay Section President, I had the honor of presenting a check for \$2,000 towards the Kirt Brooks Scholarship Fund on behalf of the SF Bay Section. Another one of my presidential duties was to attend the Northern Regional Committee meeting as well as the Joint Northern and Southern Committee meeting, which consists of representatives of each of the 17 CWEA local sections. Being a part of those meetings makes you really appreciate how many people there are working and how much is going on not only at the local level, but also at the state level. The effort and commitment represented by the CWEA is indicative of our industry as a whole. Some of the outstanding professionals and organizations in it were recognized with state level CWEA awards, which were presented at the conference. I'm proud to say the San Francisco Bay Section had a fantastic showing, including the following:

2010 CWEA Award Winners

- Outstanding Young Professional of the Year - Meg Herston, Fairfield-Suisun SD
- Collection System of the Year (Medium) - Oro Loma SD
- Collection System Person of the Year - Mark McGrath, City of Hayward
- Gimmicks and Gadgets - Leonard Pompa, Delta Diablo SD
- Film Festival - Semiprofessional - Michael Scahill, CCCSD
- PICK Awards - Mark McGrath City of Hayward, Gordon Times West County SD

- Supervisor of the Year - Joaquin Gonzales, Delta Diablo SD
- Plant Safety Award (Large) - Union Sanitary District
- Research Achievement Award - SFPUC

WEF Awards:

- Arthur Sidney Bedell - Darren Greenwood, City of Livermore
- George W. Burke Award - Union Sanitary District
- WEF Quarter Century Operators Club - Paul Louis, retired

Please join me in congratulating these outstanding representatives from our own San Francisco Bay Section.

Finally, we have some exciting events coming up, including a joint SF Bay Section and Santa Clara Valley Section meeting on May 19th in Foster City. Also we will once again be teaming up with the Redwood Empire Section on a Joint Baseball Outing at AT&T Park on June 4th. There are also some great seminars coming up from the Collection Systems and Professional Development Committees.

I hope to see you around.

Mark Takemoto, 2011 SFBS President

Important Stuff:

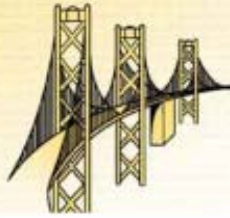
Important Stuff:

May 11, PDC/CSC Seminar – Leadership, San Ramon

May 19, SCVS/SFBS Dinner Training Meeting – FogBusters, Foster City

May 19, Energy Efficiency Seminar

June 4, SFBS/RES Annual Picnic/Baseball Game, ATT Park



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Collection Systems Committee &
Professional Development Committee Jointly Present

CWEA SEMINAR



LEADERSHIP: PEOPLE. PROCESS. RESULTS.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Engineers, Operators, Managers, Students, and others interested in developing their career, learning about what it takes to be a successful leader, or becoming a better leader.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- Increase your leadership capacity
- Implement skills and strategies from any position within your organization
- Understand key leadership insight from experienced and proven leaders
- Enhance your career development

SPEAKERS

- **Maura Bonnarens**, EBMUD
CWEA Past President
- **Rich Cunningham**, City of Albany,
Public Works Director
- **Jason Dow**, Central Marin Sanitation Agency,
General Manager
- **Lani Good**, CWEA Student and Young
Professionals Past Chair
- **John Larson**, Larson Consulting, Principal
- **Milan Moravec**, Moravec and Associates /
Former UC Berkeley Leadership Instructor
- **Elaine Schmitz**, The Consulting Team

DATE: Wednesday, May 11, 2011

TIME: 7:30 - 8:00 am: Registration
8:00 am - 2:30 pm: Seminar

LOCATION: San Ramon Golf Club
Wedgewood Banquet Ctr.
9430 Fircrest Lane
San Ramon, CA 94583
925-828-6258



RESERVATIONS

Contact Patricia DeRouen, Restoration Management
pderouen@restorationmanagement.com or
510-377-1855

Reservation Deadline: May 6, 2011

FOR MORE INFO

Elliott Johnson, Elliott@cvsan.org
Brad Leidecker, Bradley.Leidecker@hdrinc.com

EARN UP TO 5.5 CWEA CONTACT HOURS!

Registration Form for Leadership Seminar



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

Name: _____

Agency/Firm: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Fax #: _____

E-mail Address: _____ Check Number: _____ Please copy this completed form for your records.

Do you require special accommodations? (please describe): _____

Make check payable to: **CWEA-SFBS**

Cost:
\$60 for CWEA Members and \$90 for Non-Members
\$10 for Full-Time Students*
Continental Breakfast and Lunch included.

Email or Mail to:
Patricia DeRouen, Restoration Management
535 Getty Court, Suite A&B
Benicia, CA 94610
Phone: 510-377-1855

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* Only applies to the first 10 students. Must provide proof of attendance at a college or university and be enrolled in a minimum of 9 units.



CALIFORNIA WATER ENVIRONMENT ASSOCIATION
SANTA CLARA VALLEY SECTION
TRAINING MEETING – May 19, 2011

Topic: "FogBusters", Oil-Water Separation Technology
Speakers: Bradley C. Mart, Chairman & CEO
 Stephen S. Edelson, President & CFO

Please join the members of the CWEA Santa Clara Valley Section as we welcome "FogBusters", a commercial-stage "cleantech" company with a revolutionary oil-water separation technology. FogBusters is chemical-free, compact and has no internal moving parts. The technology achieves rapid separation using a moderate hydraulic pressure generated by the downward flow of oil/water mixtures through a series of chambers with particular precise geometries. Currently the company is selling into the restaurant and food processing industry. There are a wide number of additional applications including petroleum, surfactants and any application where there are two immiscible liquids with enough difference in specific gravity. FogBusters will have a tabletop unit available to demonstrate its separation capabilities."

Date & Time: Thursday, May 19, 2011
 5:00-6:00 pm Social/Networking Hour
 6:00-7:00 pm Dinner
 7:00-8:00 pm Presentation

Location: Crowne Plaza Foster City, 1221 Chess Drive,
 Foster City, CA 94404 ([MAP](#) here)

Cost:

CWEA Members	\$35
Non-Members	\$40
Students & Retired Members	\$15

Menu: Choice of: Dinner will be served Buffet style

Reservations: Reservations are due by **Thursday, May 12, 2011 at 4:00 pm.**
Reservation requests received after that time cannot be guaranteed.

To reserve a spot, contact Tim Costello at timc@samcleanswater.org or
 (650) 726-0124 x308

✓ Your name ✓ Your dinner choice ✓ Whether or not you would like a
 contact hour certificate ✓ Whether or not you need a receipt

Please remember that a reservation is a financial commitment.

ENERGY EFFICIENCY

For the Wastewater Industry

CWEA SEMINAR



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THURSDAY, MAY 19, 2011

8:00am Registration
 8:30am - 3:45pm Seminar



VENUE
 Hs. Lordships Restaurant
 199 Seawall Drive
 Berkeley, CA
 510-843-2733

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

Engineers, operators, managers, and others who are interested in learning the latest developments in energy efficiency for the wastewater industry.

For more information, please contact:

Arvind Akela / CDM 925-296-8078 akelaak@cdm.com
 Dolly Yu Chen / HDR 925-974-2502 dolly.chen@hdrinc.com

Earn up to 6 CWEA contact hours.

SPEAKERS & TOPICS

- Glen d'Eon**, Philadelphia Mixing Solutions - CFD Modeling for Digester Mixing
- Dr. Michael Falk**, HDR - Striking a Balance Between Nutrient Removal & Sustainability: Is there a Tipping Point?
- Jackie Kepke**, CH2M Hill - Update on Energy Policy in California
- Dr. Harold Leverenz**, University of California, Davis - Wastewater as a Resource, not Disposal
- Dr. David Parry**, CDM - Integrated Water Biosolids, Solid Waste, and Transportation Energy Solutions
- Jason Warner**, Oro Loma Sanitary District - Energy Self-Sufficiency at Oro Loma Sanitary District
- Bhavani Yerrapotu**, San Jose Water Pollution Control Plant - Pumping & Mixed Liquor Mixing Optimization



REGISTRATION FORM - Energy Efficiency Seminar

For the Wastewater Industry

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 completed 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 BACWA members
 \$110 for non-members
 \$10 for full-time students
 Includes continental breakfast, lunch, and refreshments

MAIL TO:

Linda Leong
 SFPUC/Wastewater Enterprise
 750 Phelps Street, Bldg 850
 San Francisco, CA 94124

Do you want seminar proceedings*: Electronically on flash drive
 Hard copy
 None

Do you want contact hours?* Yes
 No

* Required Information

EMAIL: lleong@sflower.org
 PHONE: 415-920-4919





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Protecting our water environment through education and training.



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Annual Picnic/ Baseball Game



Saturday, June 4, 2011

GIANTS vs. ROCKIES

June 4, 2011
Picnic Tailgate 11:00 am
Game 1:00 pm

- Tailgate in Lot D (see attached map pdf)
- Lunch and soft drinks provided by Section
- Cost \$30
- Tickets are limited and available on a first come, first served basis
- Parking is not included and is limited at park
- Please use public transportation

RESERVATIONS:

Contact Veronica Gummo:

Via email, vgummo@cityofamericancanyon.org
(put "baseball game" in subject line)
or call (707) 647-4540

Cost is \$30.00 per person for CWEA members and family
(provide membership number, list Section SF Bay or Redwood)
\$40.00 for non-members

Mail payment to:

Veronica Gummo
151 Mezzetta Ct.
American Canyon, CA 94503

RSVP is due by May 16th, 2011 and is an obligation to pay.

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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. Cool, trash & recycle bins are provided in all lots.



SFBS CALENDAR

MAY 2011	
11	PDC and CSC Joint Seminar – Leadership: People. Process. Results, San Ramon Golf Club, San Ramon
17	Methods Update Rule and 12 Essential QC Elements for the Top Ten Procedures in Wastewater Labs, San Ramon
19	CWEA SCVS/SFBS Dinner Training Meeting – FogBusters, Crowne Plaza, Foster City
19	CWEA Energy Efficiency Seminar – Hs. Lordships Restaurant, Berkeley
22-25	WEF: Residuals and Biosolids 2011 – Sacramento Convention Center
24	Plant Maintenance: Safety, Reliability and Compliance, Elk Grove
31	Summer TCP Exam Application Deadline
JUNE 2011	
TBA	SFBS Dinner Meeting, Location TBA
4	SFBS/RES Joint Annual Picnic/Baseball Game, Giants vs. Rockies, ATT Park
JULY 2011	
TBA	SFBS Golf Tournament, Location TBA

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