

Central Pennsylvania Chapter

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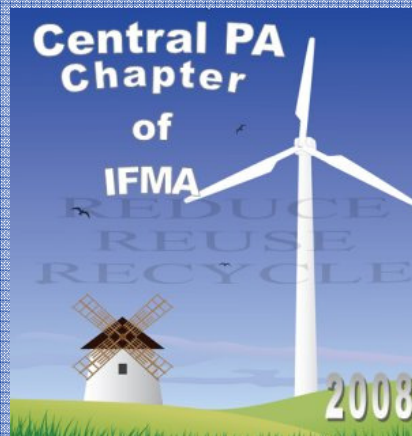
Central PA Chapter Members,

The Central PA Chapter of IFMA is seeking articles for the 4th Quarter Newsletter! If you have interesting facility related news, informational regarding recent facilities activities, or anything that will you feel would interest our Central PA Chapter readers, please send it as an attachment to Danelle Watson.

Your submissions should be informative or educational and relative to facilities management. You can visit our previous newsletters on our web site: ifmacpa@ifmacentralpa.org

The deadline for submission is Friday, December 5, 2008.

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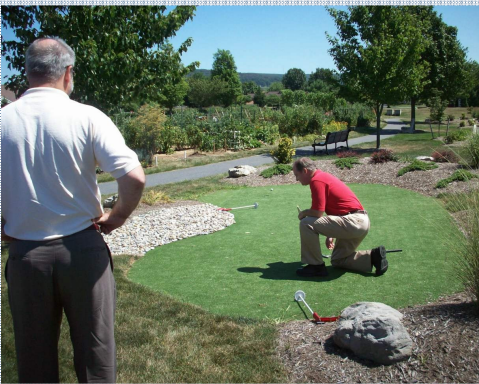
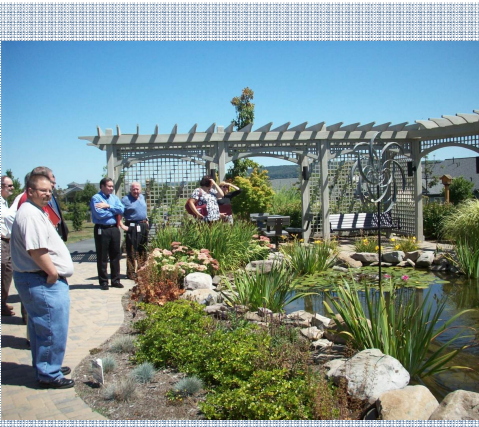


Winning Pin Submitted by
Randy Groff,
Four Seasons Produce

Central PA Chapter of August 2008 Monthly Meeting

The Central PA Chapter of IFMA held the August Meeting at Garden Spot Village 433 South Kinzer Avenue New Holland, PA. The topic was "Campus Landscape - Design, Implementation and Long Term Maintenance". Mark Johnson from RGS Associates was the keynote speaker. Mark talked about the evolution of the campus landscape at this 100+ acre retirement community which has evolved substantially from its initial vision to its current conditions. He explained that there were valuable lessons learned along the way by both the designer and owner that continue to shape the future of this growing community. The Landscape Architect (RGS Associates) responsible for much of the overall campus design and the Director of Campus Services shared their successes, failures and strategies for sustaining and maintaining the investment this community has made in their environment. We explored some of the site design details, material selection, ongoing maintenance challenges and successes, and then took a tour of the campus.

Thank you to the Garden Spot Village staff for hosting the event and providing lunch in their cafeteria. The food, networking and tour was enjoyed by all in attendance!



The Central Pennsylvania Chapter of IFMA Welcomes the 3rd Quarter New Members

Edward A. Brown, Jr.
Assistant Director of Maintenance
Mennonite Home Communities

Ruben R. Gomez, General Manager
ARAMARK

James R. Hedges Shift, Engineer
Organization of American States

Susan A. Hunter, Space Planning Analyst
Penn State University

Richard C. Michaelian, Vice President
Relocation Consulting & Management, Inc.

Andrew M. Croftcheck, Account Manager - Direct Sales
The Trane Company

Terry C. Kile, Vice President Sales and Marketing
Horst Construction

Randy R. Leaman, Secretary/Treasurer
ACIA

Angela M. Lewis, Student

Jason G. Schubert, Account Development Representative
Humanscale

Chapter Annual Recognition Award Winners for 2008

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- ❖ **Advocate of the Year:**
Jack Christensen, CFM
- ❖ **Associate of the Year:**
Lynn DeSantis
- ❖ **Facility Manager of the Year:**
Tom Hewitt, CFM
- ❖ **Committee of the Year:**
Professional
Development/Programs
Committee

Mission Statement:

The Central Pa Chapter of IFMA will provide quality-learning experiences, excellent networking opportunities, and serve our membership to enhance their personal and professional development.

World Workplace 2008 is Near

As World Workplace 2008 approaches, there is much excitement to participate in this amazing expo. If you have an opportunity to attend WWP 2008, please consider sharing your experience to be published in the 4th Quarter Chapter newsletter.

We look forward to you hearing about your experience at this year's World Workplace event.

Current Officers and Committee Members

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- Secretary** - Michele Sinadinos, CFM

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