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NORIMAC NEWS

NORTHERN OHIO RIVER INDUSTRIAL MUTUAL AID COUNCIL

"Our safety bridge between Industry and Emergency Services"

MARCH

2015

Chairman's View from the Bridge



Dear NORIMAC Members, Associates and Friends,

Great to see all of you at the first monthly meeting of 2015, as you arrived you all got to see the new NORIMAC brand with our new banners and magnetic signs for vehicles. We chose the "Bridge" logo because it

magnetic signs for vehicles. We chose the Bridge logo because it correctly represents the Safety Bridge between Industry and Emergency Services and our membership is also joined together by two real bridges at Moundsville and New Martinsville. So the Bridge creates a visual reminder to the what, where and why that NORIMAC represents.

As we go forward this year we will be alternating where we meet to better balance the geography of our region and we will alternate our guest speakers so that we switch between an Industry speaker and an Emergency Services speaker, I am delighted that Tad Greene from Wetzel County Hospital has agreed to speak at the March meeting which will be held at Hannibal Industrial Park.

We all enjoyed listening to Gary Landrio share his personal insights into Railroad safety of years past and the culture of change that is reflected in the safety of today, his revelation that today more people are lost due to trespassing on railroad tracks rather than at grade crossings is shocking. Gary told me that there is a belief that the advent of the 'walkman' and the 'iPod' has a lot to do with this, today there are folks that are 'plugged in' to their music and unaware of train whistles or any ambient noise coming their way. This is a safety concern that we should all be vigilant for in the man and machine interface - anyone that has ear buds on - is minus an important safety sense - ambient sound!

Spring is coming and by the March meeting it will officially be Spring.

See you soon - Be Safe
David

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT



Bayer MaterialScience



The Bayer MaterialScience New Martinsville Site was founded in 1954 and was developed as a joint venture between Monsanto and Bayer. It was the first polyurethane manufacturing plant in North America. This site currently employs approximately 275 employees. Bayer MaterialScience LLC is one of the leading producers of polymers and high-performance plastics in North America and is part of the global Bayer MaterialScience business with approximately 14,100 employees at 30 production sites around the world and 2014 sales of 11.7 billion euros. Bayer MaterialScience's 2014 sales in North America were \$3.5 billion. The company manufactures high-tech polymer materials and develops innovative solutions for products used in many areas of daily life. The main segments served are the automotive, electrical and electronics, construction, medical, and sports and leisure industries. Sustainability is central to Bayer MaterialScience LLC's business and is based around the key areas of innovation, product stewardship, excellence in corporate management, social responsibility and respect for the environment.

UPCOMING IN NORIMAC

MARCH NORIMAC MEETING

DATE: Wednesday, March 25th, 2015

LOCATION: Hannibal Industrial Park, Hannibal, OH

TIME: Lunch at 11:30 a.m., Meeting at Noon

GUEST SPEAKER: TAD GREENE JD

"Dealing with an emergency from the local Hospital Perspective"

Tad Greene JD. from Wetzel County Hospital one of NORIMAC's Associate members will be our guest speaker. Tad is the Director of Medical Records, Compliance and Risk management.

MARCH GUEST SPEAKER

Tad Greene JD is the Director of Medical Records, Compliance and Risk Management at Wetzel County Hospital in New Martinsville, West Virginia. Wetzel County Hospital is an Associate member of NORIMAC.

Wetzel County Hospital has provided quality healthcare since 1920. It continues to achieve high levels of patient satisfaction and, like the community it serves, it continues to grow, learn and innovate.

Wetzel County Hospital provides diagnostic, medical, surgical, and hospital care, extended care, outpatient care, and other hospital and medically related services to persons in need of such services without regard to race, age, creed, color, sex, handicap or national origin.



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