Foundation 2007 Golf Outing in Orlando a Huge Success . . .

The ASSE Foundation’s Golf Outing, held June 24, 2007, in conjunction with ASSE’s Safety 2007 Professional Development Conference and Exposition, was a great success. Nearly 100 golfers participated in a day of fun at Celebration Golf Club and raised more than $11,000 to support the Foundation’s scholarship program. The Foundation would like to thank the event’s sponsors, including:

• **Price sponsors**: Nike and Washington Group International.

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A very special thank you, also, to Scott Blaser, Gail House and ASSE’s Central Florida Chapter for their help in coordinating this fantastic event.

. . . Leading to Great Expectations for 2008!

Join the ASSE Foundation and your SH&E colleagues for 27 holes of breathtaking beauty set against majestic Red Rock canyons. Badlands Golf Club features deep-flowing arroyos, canyons and natural washes. The course offers an unparalleled golf experience thanks to its desert vistas and scenic views of the Las Vegas valley. The club was voted the Best Desert Course in Las Vegas for 2006 by Vegas Golfer and was ranked in the Top Ten Best Courses in Nevada by Golf Digest in 1997 and 1999.

The registration fee ($140 per person) includes greens fee, cart rental, practice balls and a barbecue lunch. Prizes will be awarded for the top three teams and other activities such as longest drive and closest to the pin.

Space is limited, so be sure to register early at www.asse.org/foundation. Sponsorship opportunities are also available and are listed on the website.
More than $105,000 Available in Scholarships & Grants for 2008

More than $105,000 in scholarships and professional development grants is available from the ASSE Foundation for 2008. These programs are open to students pursuing degrees in SH&E and to ASSE members and safety professionals working to advance their credentials.

This year, the Foundation has four new awards including the North Florida Chapter Safety Scholarship, the Central Indiana ASSE Chapter Scholarship, the ASSE Diversity Scholarship and two PDC Scholarships sponsored by ASSE’s practice specialties. In addition, several donors have added second awards, including the Greater Boston Chapter, Liberty Mutual, Rixio Medina and the Northeastern Illinois Chapter. Bechtel and Washington Group International have increased their contributions and support.

A complete list of awards, applications and FAQs are posted at www.asse.org/foundation. Applications are due Dec. 1, 2007. Awards will be announced on or around April 1, 2008.

Deadline for the Liberty Mutual Research Fellowship Is February 1, 2008

Applications for the Liberty Mutual Safety Research Fellowship Program for summer 2008 are due Feb. 1, 2008. Fellows will spend 4 to 6 weeks at the Liberty Mutual Research Institute for Safety in Hopkinton, MA. The program is designed to encourage research activity in safety; and to familiarize graduate students, faculty members and other researchers with current research projects and up-to-date research models and applications to expand the body of knowledge. Fellows must be U.S. citizens or permanent residents and must possess a Ph.D. degree or be working toward a master’s or Ph.D. For complete program details and application requirements, visit www.asse.org/foundation.

The Legacy Trust Welcomes Three New Members

Jim S. Kreinbrink, CIC, CSP
Twenty years ago when I graduated from college I really didn’t have a clear direction on what I wanted to do for a career. I was fortunate enough to start with a company that provided me the resources and training to develop and hone my skill-sets in a profession that allowed me to help others. The resources and training I received were largely supplemented through my involvement in the local ASSE chapter. I can’t think of a better way to give back to a profession that has been so good to me than by making a legacy gift.

Rixio E. Medina, CSP, CPP
I have been blessed with a satisfying and rewarding career as a safety professional. This was made possible through educational scholarships, the support of family, friends and peers, and my membership and involvement with ASSE. The ASSE Foundation Legacy Trust provides my wife, Alejandra, and I with opportunities to return some of the investments others have made in me throughout the years and to support the advancement of the safety profession. One of the Foundation’s programs that we enjoy supporting is the Medina Scholarship for Hispanics in Safety, which helps address the needs of the growing Hispanic workforce in the safety profession. The Foundation aids our future colleagues in many ways and I feel fortunate to be able to help others enter the important field of safety through our contributions and support.

Kyle B. Dotson, CIH, CSP, DEE
I put the ASSE Foundation in my will because I want to “give back.” But more than that, I believe all of us need to “give forward.” One only has to look back at the last century of our profession to see truly great men and women, and we (the after-OSHA crowd) have been lucky to stand on the shoulders of such giants.

Current trends away from specialists toward SH&E generalists are fine for the short term, but the safety and industrial hygiene professions will need to attract enough of the best and brightest and educate them as specialists to take the large leaps in our profession’s knowledge that are bound to be needed to accompany the leaps expected in nanotech, biotech, etc. I encourage all of the senior members of the safety profession to find their own reasons to support future generations of safety professionals by remembering the ASSE Foundation in their wills. It will take all of us working together to make a real difference.

More on ASSEF Scholarships

Students: To learn more about the scholarship application process, visit www.asse.org/foundation and click on the “Learn about the Scholarship Process” link.

Chapters & ASSE Members: To learn more about funding a scholarship, visit www.asse.org/foundation and click on the “How to Fund a Scholarship” link.
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The Legacy Trust

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New Foundation Board Members

The Foundation recently elected new members of the Foundation board who will further aid in the Foundation’s mission to advance the SH&E profession. Cynthia L. Roth, COHN, has been appointed Chair and Thomas F. Cecich, CSP, CIH, has been appointed Vice Chair. New trustees are Bradley D. Giles, P.E., CSP; Rixio E. Medina, CSP; and Jim S. Kreinbrink, CSP.

Chapters Show Strong Support

Thanks to the combined efforts of ASSE chapters and members, the Foundation raised nearly $118,000 for occupational safety, health and environmental scholarships, research and education during the annual House of Delegates meeting, held last June in conjunction with Safety 2007 in Orlando, FL. Among the notable contributions:

- Greater Boston Chapter: $36,201;
- Central Indiana Chapter: $23,000;
- Heart of America Chapter: $10,000;
- Oklahoma City Chapter: $6,000;
- New England Area chapters: $5,600;
- Arizona Chapter: $5,000;
- Middle Tennessee Chapter: $5,000;
- Chesapeake Chapter: $3,000;
- ASSE Board Angels (ASSE Board of Directors wives): $1,300.

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