

## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, August 20, 2008 - NO NOON MEETING

"Annual Picnic, 6:00 - 8:00 PM @ Lincoln Drive Park"

Bring the family for a relaxing evening at the park



NOSHA Membership Appreciation Picnic

Wednesday, August 20<sup>th</sup>

6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Lincoln Drive Park (1319 Lincoln Drive)

**Bring your family or someone from  
your company to share the fun!**



Please RSVP to Annette Shane  
([ashane@gfparks.org](mailto:ashane@gfparks.org))  
by August 15th! - THANK YOU

## BOARD MEETING

BOARD MEMBERS MEET THE FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH/6:00-8:00 PM. GRAND FORKS PARK DISTRICT, 1210 7<sup>TH</sup> AVENUE SOUTH  
**NEXT MEETING → September 4<sup>th</sup>**

- Our "Fall Seminar" is set for October 1<sup>st</sup> (8:30am - 12:00pm/registration-7:30am) @ The Chester Fritz Auditorium. We are very excited to have Dr. Isabel Perry "The Safety Doctor" as our presenter this year! Our theme is "**Prescriptions for Safety**", a highly interactive presentation filled with pertinent information! Dr. Perry's website is [www.thesafetydoctor.com](http://www.thesafetydoctor.com).

We are so lucky to be getting a chance to attend one of Dr. Perry's workshops - *She is EDUTAINMENT AT ITS BEST!*

### BOARD MEMBERS

Steve Harken (President)  
Dale Dahlen (Vice President)  
Joe Strang (Treasurer)  
Tracy Cameron (Secretary)  
Pat Balstad • Carol Gierszewski  
Robert Hewitt • Bonnie Knutson  
Cedric Masa • Lyle Ross • Annette Shane

## COMMITTEES

### Communication Committee

(Linda Wiley, Carol Gierszewski, Bonnie Knutson, Annette Shane)

### Education Committee

(Bonnie Knutson, Pat Balstad)

(Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations)

- September 17, 2008  
- TBD
- October 15, 2008  
- TBD

### Membership Committee

(Davis Hoverson)

★ 60+ MEMBERS STRONG...and GROWING!

NOSHA is a non-profit organization formed to provide area safety professionals a direct way of sharing safety concerns, goals and ideas to promote workplace safety.

**THANK YOU ANNETTE AND THE GRAND FORKS PARK DISTRICT FOR SUPPLYING DOOR PRIZES FOR OUR JULY GM MEETING!**

## "Outdoor Electrical Hazards"

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1000's of workers are injured or killed every year by electrical hazards...the 6<sup>th</sup> leading cause of all occupational fatalities in the US.

Five tips that workers should know to reduce their risks for electrical shock injury or death, courtesy of ESFI:

1. Water and electricity don't mix. Avoid damp conditions, including wet grass, when using electricity.
2. Ladders, even wooden ones, when carried upright can contact power lines, often with fatal results.
3. Outdoor power tools and appliances must be unplugged when not in use.
4. Power tools and appliances must be inspected for frayed cords, broken plugs and cracked or broken housings.
5. Ground fault circuit interrupters (GFCIs) should be used on outdoor outlets.