

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, September 17, 2008, 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m., Royal Fork (Columbia Mall)
 "Gun Safety", Greg Washburn, Cabela's

FREE Seminar ⇒ Info and On-Line Registration @ www.nosha.net



October 1, 2008

Chester Fritz Auditorium
 3475 University Avenue
 Grand Forks, North Dakota 58203



8:30 AM – 12 Noon [Check-In begins at 7:30 AM]

FREE PARKING FOR EVENT in designated parking lot - look for parking signage

"Prescriptions for Safety" by the Safety Doctor, Isabel Perry

1st Appointment:

8:30-9:30 AM

SEVEN SINS OF SAFETY: CURING BAD BEHAVIORS THAT ARE PREDICTORS OF ACCIDENTS

Symptoms/Ailments: Indifference, Procrastination, Lack of knowledge, Denial, Lack of Focus, Fatigue and Complacency

Diagnosis: The Seven Sins of Safety are behaviors that are precursors of near misses and, even worse, accidents. They injure/kill employees and drive up business costs.

Cure: The Safety Doctor will identify these systemic ailments, provide symptoms and prescribe the antidotes to help you recognize and cure the problems in your organization. This highly interactive presentation will have attendees out of their seats and fully engaged with the pertinent content.

2nd Appointment:

10:00 AM – 12 NOON

EFFECTIVE SAFETY COMMITTEES: TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES TO PUMP LIFE INTO YOUR MEETINGS

Symptoms: Meetings start late, not everyone participates, we don't get things done, we hash over the same issues, we lack a plan, we don't know how to set priorities, boring meetings, employees don't want to volunteer for our team, members don't show up, a few people do all the work

Diagnosis/Ailments: Results and progress are both slow. Cooperation and participation is low. Time is money and we are wasting both.

Cure:

- ⇒ Six tips for more effective committees
- ⇒ Ten duties of all safety committee members
- ⇒ Four stages of team dynamics
- ⇒ Five Keys to agendas that deliver results quicker
- ⇒ Three group process techniques for 100% participation

BOARD MEETING

BOARD MEMBERS MEET THE FIRST THURSDAY OF THE MONTH/6:00–8:00 PM. GRAND FORKS PARK DISTRICT, 1210 7TH AVENUE SOUTH
NEXT MEETING → October 2nd

- A "BIG THANK YOU" to Joe Strang and Steve Harken - *our cooks for the appreciation picnic!* And also to Hood Packaging for supplying door prizes and the Grand Forks Park District for the use of the park!

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)

- Register early for the Fall Seminar at www.nosha.net - *Let's make this our best one yet!*
- If you have any trouble with the registration process, please contact Linda Wiley at info@nosha.net

Education Committee

(Bonnie Knutson, Pat Balstad)

(Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations)

- **October 15, 2008**
 - "Fitness Studies", Chris Langei, Center Court Fitness Club
- **November 19, 2008**
 - Round Table
- **December 17, 2008**
 - "Holiday Stress Relief", Jackie Anderson, Northland Community & Technical College

Membership Committee

(Davis Hoverson)

- ★ **60+ MEMBERS STRONG...and GROWING!**
- ★ **WELCOME TO OUR TWO NEW MEMBERS!**
 US Foods, GF and Thompson Seed, EGF!

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.

Don't miss this great opportunity for FREE valuable information!



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When we think of FALL COLORS, we often think of the leaves changing and all the beautiful wonders of nature. But, with these changes come longer periods of darkness. More hours of darkness create safety challenges for workers, school children, cyclists and joggers.

Bicyclists need headlights and taillights while runners and walkers can benefit greatly from wearing reflective belts...if you are in an area with no lights along the roads the reflective belt and your attention to your surroundings are your only lines of defense.

The coming of fall and its darkness does not mean the end of outdoor activities, it just means you have to be even more aware of safety and use your PPE ⇒ BE SEEN AND BE SAFE!

