

NOSIANOWS

May 2013

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, May 15th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm @ Speedway Restaurant

Christine Roob, North Dakota Department of Health, will present information on hazardous and solid waste programs in North Dakota.

Memorial Day Safety

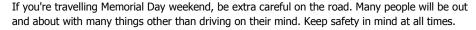
The first three-day holiday weekend of the summer is soon upon us. We all have various activities scheduled for the weekend, which may include cookouts, picnics, boating, swimming, motor sports, work around the house, etc. No matter what you have planned, please make

safety a part of your weekend. Make your weekend an enjoyable weekend and not a weekend of tragedy. Don't become a headline on the nightly news.

Be careful with the lighter fluid, wear that life vest, be careful on the ladder . . . you know what to do. Take an extra moment and ensure that everything

you are doing is being done safely. Don't become a statistic of tragedies for the $\,$

holiday weekend.



Enjoy your days off \dots you deserve them, but be safe. \dots It will make the weekend more enjoyable.

Monthly Membership Meetings

If you do not regularly attend the NOSHA monthly membership meetings, please make

plans to do so. Not only does your membership include one free meal during the meeting at the Speedway restaurant each month, the NOSHA Education Committee headed by Rick Else, WSI, lines up a fantastic safety related presentation for each meeting. Topics have included OSHA VPP, OSHA record keeping, near-miss reporting programs, active shooter education, and many, many more! This past month, our speaker was Dave Lawson, Safety Professional at NOSHA



member Bergstrom Electric. Dave gave a great presentation on the system he developed for Bergstrom's to track

safety training among their many employees. He brought a visual example, as well as PowerPoint slides. The presentation was well received, with requests for contact info so fellow members could talk with Dave off-line about his program.

Thanks Dave, for sharing your tracking system, and for a job well done!





'When did you last restock the first aid cabinet Miss Tompkins?'

BOARD MEETING

Board members meet the first Thursday of the month – 6:00-8:00 pm at the Valdak Corp. 1149 36th Ave. S (Valley Dairy)

NEXT MEETING

May 2nd

2013 BOARD MEMBERS

Dan Mankie (President)

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Eric Pearson (Vice-President) UND Campus Safety & Security

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Cindy Holweger (Secretary)

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COMMITTEES

<u>Communication Committee</u> (Linda Wiley)

Visit us at www.nosha.net for the latest updates and announcements!

Education Committee (Rick Else)

Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations

June 19th – Webinar presentation: What You

Need to Know About the Revised OSHA Haz.

Com. Standard which is now aligned with the

Globally Harmonized System of Classification and
labeling of chemicals (GHS).

Membership Committee (Dave Opp, Eric Pearson) NOSHA News Editor (Dan Mankie, Joe Reynolds)

"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.