

## GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

Wednesday, June 19th from 11:30 am to 1:00 pm @ Speedway Restaurant

Webinar Presentation: Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Chemical Labeling (GHS) - What You Need to Know!

## Hazard Communication: Workers must be trained by Dec. 1, 2013

OSHA's Hazard Communication Standard is now aligned with the United Nations' Globally Harmonized System of Classification and Labeling of Chemicals. This update to the Hazard Communication Standard provides a common and coherent approach to classifying chemicals and communicating hazard information on labels and safety data sheets.

The first deadline in the implementation phase is Dec. 1, 2013, the date by which employers must train workers on the new label elements and safety data sheet.

OSHA has prepared a number of additional materials that explain the new changes to the requirements of the HCS, including QuickCards, a training [fact sheet](#) (PDF), a list of frequently asked questions and a [brief](#) (PDF) on labels and pictograms. These and other materials are available on [Hazard Communications page](#).



### NOSHA Welcomes New Member



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"Oh, that. OSHA stopped by the other day..."

### Save This Date!!!!

July 17<sup>th</sup> 2013, 6 – 8 pm

### 2013 Membership Appreciation Picnic

Riverside Park Pavilion

Steak, Chicken, Hot Dogs  
Salads, Fruit, Ice Cream

### OSHA QUICK CARDTM

#### Protecting Workers from Heat Stress Heat Illness

Exposure to heat can cause illness and death. The most serious heat illness is heat stroke. Other heat illnesses, such as heat exhaustion, heat cramps and heat rash, should also be avoided. There are precautions your employer should take any time temperatures are high and the job involves physical work.

#### Risk Factors for Heat Illness

- High temperature and humidity, direct sun exposure, no breeze or wind
- Low liquid intake
- Heavy physical labor
- Waterproof clothing
- No recent exposure to hot workplaces
- Headache, dizziness, or fainting
- Weakness and wet skin
- Irritability or confusion
- Thirst, nausea, or vomiting
- May be confused, unable to think clearly, pass out, collapse, or have seizures (fits)
- May stop sweating
- Provide training about the hazards leading to heat stress and how to prevent them.
- Provide a lot of cool water to workers close to the work area. At least one pint of water per hour is needed.

U.S. Department of Labor  
[www.osha.gov](http://www.osha.gov) (800) 321-OSHA (6742)

### BOARD MEETING

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

NEXT MEETING July 11th

#### 2013 BOARD MEMBERS

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### COMMITTEES

#### Communication Committee

(Linda Wiley)

Visit us at [www.nosha.net](http://www.nosha.net) for the latest updates and announcements!

#### Education Committee

(Rick Else)

Upcoming GM Meeting Presentations

July 17th – NOSHA Picnic, Riverside Park

#### Membership Committee

(Dave Opp, Eric Pearson)

#### NOSHA News Editor

(Joe Reynolds)

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**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.