

**January Triad ASSE Meeting
January 20, 2009
Logan's Roadhouse
Greensboro, NC**

Speaker: Elesa Hurley, Key Risk Management. Topic: Worker's Compensation-The Financial Picture.

Ron opened the meeting by welcoming everyone and by going around the room and letting everyone introduce themselves. We had 15 people attend this meeting. Ron made a few announcements before Elesa's presentation.

- **Ron welcomed Laura Plott (Fresh Market) and John Paul (Penn National), 2 new members to the meeting.**
- **Elesa Hurley gave an updates on the CoPS to the group.**
- **Van Johnson gave an update on the CoPA to the group. Ron noted we are still looking for more people to serve on the CoPA committee.**
- **Ron reminded the group of a CSP review being given by the Charlotte chapter and to contact Heidi Hatcher for information on it.**
- **Ron told the group we are looking at late March/early April to reschedule our golf tournament and discussed the proceeds from the tournament will go towards the Clarice Garrett Scholarship.**
- **Ron discussed our upcoming meetings. Our February meeting with be @ NC A&T and will be a joint meeting with the student chapter and Dr. Shah will be speaking on "Safety in the International Community". Our March meeting will be a plant tour at Kulema's workplace -Steelcase in High Point. Our April meeting will be back @ Logan's Roadhouse and Wendy Boggs will be speaking and our May meeting will be at the NC Safety Conference and Whitney Martin will be speaking about "Measuring Your Safety Climate".**
- **Ron said the chapter is taking nominations for the upcoming year for officers and if anyone wanted to be an officer to please let him know, we are looking for someone for the President-Elect as of right now.**
- **Todd Beck and Bill Harris, volunteered to do a safety career day at a local school using the ASSE Safety Suitcase.**

- **A few job opportunities were discussed by the group.**
- **Elesa Hurley did a great presentation on Worker's Comp. and using that information in dollars to talk to management in terms they can understand. She defined several ways of doing this and gave a real life case study with Vaughn/Bassett Furniture Co. in Galax, Va on how they used this information and turned their safety program around.**
- **Our next meeting will be Tuesday, February 17th @ NC A&T.**