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President's Message October 2011

We welcome one new member to the chapter this month, Dave Schoeff is our newest professional member.

I recently received the very good news that after a review of the chapter C-BAR submission the chapter has been given the Gold Award for Chapter Year 2010 – 2011, as this is the fifth consecutive year the chapter has achieved gold we will be accorded platinum status.

The APICS International Conference is being held in Pittsburgh this year, from October 23rd to 25th, I and other board members will be attending and if you

would like to attend it is not too late to register, go to the APICS website, www.apics.org or call APICS at 1 800 444 2742. If you will be in Pittsburgh please let me know and perhaps we will be able to get together.

Conference will be preceded by the Mid Atlantic District Meeting which is being held all day Friday and Saturday morning.

Hopefully if time allows we'll provide you with a short report on both the District Meeting and Conference in the November newsletter or if we miss the deadline it will be in the December issue.

Bruce Brechin, CPIM, CSCP

Programming News October 2011

Our tour of the Chateau Tebeau Winery in September was a good one, and I'd like to thank some people for helping to make it a success. First of all, thanks to Mike Wheatley for the suggestion. Sorry you couldn't join us, Mike! Thanks also to the owners of Chateau Tebeau Winery, Bob and Mary Tebeau, for their warm welcome! And thanks to Bruce Brechin for his Winery Tour special feature, which is located in another section of this newsletter.

This tour was a good one in another way, too. The Winery is located in Helena, Ohio, an area we don't often visit. As it turns out, this venue was more convenient for a couple of our outlying members. It was a pleasure to visit with Victoria Milne and Doug Brandt, as well as our new member, Dave Schoeff. We hope to see you at future events.

If you have an idea for a PDM or a Plant Tour in YOUR neck of the woods, just drop me a line with your suggestion at programs@apicstoledo.org.

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Upcoming Events

THE NORTHWEST OHIO MANUFACTURING FORUM & EXPO

Wednesday, November 9

BGSU Perry Field House

Presented by NORED (Northwest Ohio Regional Economic Development)
& The Ohio Manufacturers' Association

Register online at www.toledobiz.com/MFGForum.html

or call 419-865-0972 for more information

RECOGNITION DINNER & BRING-YOUR-BOSS NIGHT

Wednesday, November 16

Mancy's Italian Restaurant

TOLEDO ZOO TOUR, Operations Management at The Zoo, January, 2012

You can find a 2011/2012 Calendar of Events at the end of this newsletter. And don't forget, ideas for our events come from YOU, APICS Toledo members and associates. If you have an idea for a plant tour or Professional Development Meeting, please send it to programs@apicstoledo.org.

Sheryl Holbrook, CPIM, C.P.M.

Education Report – October 2011

Jackson Community College have now advised me that the start of the Basics of Supply Chain Management module of CPIM is scheduled for Thursday November 3rd, the class will run over 10 evenings, November 3rd, 10th, 17, December 1st, 8th and 15th and January 5th, 12th, 19th and 26th.

Register on the JCC Corporate and Continuing Education by pasting the link below into your browser.

http://jacksoncce.augusoft.net/index.cfm?method=ClassListing.ClassListingDisplay&int_category_id=5&int_sub_category_id=57

The chapter plans to offer the BSCM class in Toledo starting in January,, we'll provide more details over the next couple of months both in the newsletter and also by e-mail.

As I wrote last month the CSCP program material is being extensively revised for 2012 and this revision will be previewed at the APICS International Conference in Pittsburgh, October 23rd – 25th, I will certainly make time to visit the CSCP stand and I'll let you know in November what I find.

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Membership Matters – October 2011

For the Month of September:

Jeffrey Velker completed his first year of APICS membership.

Kristopher Gonyer completed 15 years of membership

Sheryl Holbrook completed 20 years of membership

Chapter Membership

I am pleased to announce we have a new member in the Toledo Chapter

Dave Schoeff who joined our chapter on September 9, 2011

Total Membership 204

BGSU student chapter members 40

UT student chapter members 31

Toledo chapter Professional / Enterprise 126

Toledo chapter Retiree members 1

Toledo chapter Academic members 6

Lisa McLaughlin

APICS Student Chapters October 2011



Bowling Green State University

On Thursday, September 8th the Supply Chain Management Association met for its first time this school year with our annual kick-off meeting. We were encouraged by a turnout of about forty students, with a good deal of interest from underclassmen. We helped introduce the freshmen and sophomores to the College of Business building by holding a scavenger hunt, pointing out several

unique and helpful aspects of the building. There was also great amount of interest in the open board member positions and we were able to fill all open positions.

The following Thursday (9/15) several students went with members of the Professional Toledo APICS chapter to a facility tour of the *Chateau Tebeau*

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Winery in Helena, OH. This past Thursday (9/22) recruiters from Exel, Target, Owens Corning, and Eaton came to the university to present on a supplier panel in preparation for this coming month's job fair. Employers had a chance to give the students some insight into what positions they are looking to fill and advice they have for students. The students then had the ability to meet with the recruiters in small groups and ask questions and network.

October will be a busy month for BGSU starting with

the Supply Chain Management Institute dinner at 5:30 Wednesday, October 5th. The dinner is a chance for students to network with employers before the annual Career Expo Job Fair that will occur on October 6th and 7th. At the end of the month several students will be traveling to Pittsburgh to attend the APICS International Conference. The event is set to take place from October 21st – 25th and will present students with a great chance to network with professionals from other APICS chapters and participate in various leadership workshops.



APICS Updates – October 2011

On this page we list items recently announced by APICS just in case you missed them.

Free access to **Aberdeen Research** for APICS members
<http://www.apics.org/Membership/Categories/aberdeen.htm>

Now available: ***Production and Inventory Management (P&IM) Journal***
APICS members receive complimentary online access to this recognized publication.
Use this link to find out more <http://www.apics.org/Resources/pandimj.htm>

The **2011 APICS International Conference and Expo**
Pittsburgh, PA October 23rd to October 25th
<http://apics.org/sitefiles/forms/learn-more-about-apics-2011.html>

APICS Materials Manager Competency Model
http://apics.org/sitefiles/forms/APICS_Materials_MAnager_Competency_Model.html

Check the **APICS Home Page** regularly to get the latest APICS news.
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**APICS Toledo
2011/2012 Schedule of Events**

Date	Event	Location	Speaker	Topic
Weds, Oct 5 5:30 pm	Joint PDM with BGSU SCMI & SCMA/APICS Student Chapter	BGSU Campus 101 Olscamp Hall	Swagelok Timken CACI	Panel Discussion Preparing for Supply Chain Career
Tues, Oct 11 5:45 pm	APICS Toledo Board of Directors Meeting	J Patrick's Holiday Inn French Quarter Perrysburg, OH		
Thurs, Oct 13 7:30 pm	BGSU SCMA Student Chapter PDM	BGSU Campus Room BA116		
Fri-Sat, Oct 21-22	Mid-Atlantic District Meeting Pittsburgh, PA			
Sun-Tues, Oct 23-25	APICS International Conference & Expo Pittsburgh, PA			
Weds, Nov 9	Northwest Ohio Mfg Forum (Speakers Series) & EXPO	Bowling Green State University		
Weds, Nov 16 5:30 pm Recognition Dinner & Bring-Your-Boss Night	Professional Development Meeting	Mancy's Italian 5453 Monroe St Toledo, OH 43623	TBA	TBA
December/2011	Professional Development Meeting	TBA	TBA	TBA
January/2012	Plant Tour	Toledo Zoo		Operations Management at The Zoo
February/2012	Joint PDM with ASQ Toledo Chapter	TBA	TBA	TBA
Thurs, Mar 15	Joint PDM with ISM, NAPM-Toledo Chapter	TBA	TBA	TBA
April/2012	Joint PDM with U of T Student Chapter			
May/2012	TBA	TBA	TBA	TBA
June/2012	Annual Meeting	TBA	TBA	TBA

Denotes a change or addition from the previous schedule

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Chateau Tebeau Winery Tour

On Thursday September 15th a group of 7 chapter members and 9 BGSU students met at Chateau Tebeau Winery near Helena, Ohio to get an introduction to the winery and its products and the winemaking process.



Our tour started out amongst the vines, the first plantings were made 5 years ago, a total of 316 vines with a mix of grape varieties for red and white wines, this followed the next year by a second planting of 1600 vines just a short distance away.

The area has limestone based soil with good drainage and is ideal for vines, for the first 3 years grapes are removed as they appear to allow the vines to put growth into the plant rather than the fruit.



We noticed there were rose bushes planted at the ends of the rows of vines; this is not just to add a touch of color but is because roses and vines are subject to the same diseases and the roses display symptoms about 2 weeks before the vines, giving a window where the correct treatment can be applied.

Once established the vines are tended by hand with unwanted shoots and excess foliage removed in the spring, the goal is to encourage the development of the fruit and allow the sunlight to reach the grapes and ripen them. They had just finished harvesting some of the vines the day before our tour and were planning on a further three days of harvesting starting the next day, a vine will typically produce between 5 and 6 pounds of grapes, all harvested by hand, and it takes roughly 1500 pounds of grapes to produce 100 gallons of wine.

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After harvesting the grapes are brought to the processing area where they first pass through a small machine which destalks the grapes, they then go through a crusher and the juice is pumped to a stainless steel holding tank, the tank is then moved into a large chiller where it is held for 3 days allowing particulates to settle.

After settling the juice is transferred to another tank for fermentation, yeasts can be added at this stage to help fermentation, and different varieties are used to impart certain characteristics to the different types of wine.



After fermentation is complete the wine is aged, typically in stainless steel tanks for white and oak barrels for red, the wood of the barrels imparts certain flavors to the wine dependent on the wood(s) used in construction, these flavors can be further enhanced by placing fresh staves inside the barrel or inserting a holder filled with oak chips.

Once the ageing process is complete the product is bottled, labelled and is ready for sale. Sales today are all within Ohio, some via stores including Perrysburg, Elmore, Sandusky and other local towns; however most sales are made directly from winery where the hospitality room offers the chance to purchase samples and try the finished product before committing to a bottle or a case.

Although Chateau Tebeau winery has approximately 2000 vines under cultivation the winery purchases grape juice from other vineyards in Ohio to increase output and also purchases some strawberry and peach juice to make fruit wines.

Total output last year was about 10,000 gallons up from 2,000 gallons the year before.