



St. Louis Chapter Newsletter



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may be perfect for you!
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Monthly Chapter Meeting - Monday, October 14

Topic: Concussion Cases - What a Headache!

Speaker: Dr. John Webb, MD

Dr. John Webb, MD with OccMedMD/The Orthopedic Center

Where: Syberg's, 2430 Old Dorsett Rd, Maryland Heights, MO 63043

When: Registration @11, Lunch @11:30, Presentation @12:00

Register for Meeting:

<https://stl.assp.org/events/october-lunch-meeting-concussion-cases/>

WISH Lunch & Learn - Tuesday, October 15th

Join the Women In Safety and Health at their next awesome event this October 15th.

Chris Archer will present this GREAT WISH lunch and learn on Work Comp 102.

You will NOT want to miss it! Thanks to Tarlton for hosting!

To RSVP, please contact Patte Ackermann, PT (ackerm@ssm-select.com)

Lunch & Learn

WORK COMP 102

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 15TH, 2024

11:30 AM TO 1:00 PM

Presented by:

Chris Archer, Attorney at Law
Archer and Lassa, LLC

*Tarlton Corporation has
generously offered their facility:*



5500 W PARK AVENUE
ST. LOUIS, MO 63110



\$20.00/person (includes lunch)

RSVP: *Patte Ackermann @ ackermap@ssm-select.com*

Greater St. Louis Area Safety and Health Conference - October 1

It's not too late (yes, even now!) to register for the Safety Conference!



JOIN US FOR THE
21ST ANNUAL GREATER ST.
LOUIS



SAFETY AND HEALTH
CONFERENCE

ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2024

AT THE CROSSING CHURCH AT
CHESTERFIELD

114 N. Eatherton Rd. | Chesterfield, MO
63005

Evolving to Truly Human Leadership

With Keynote Speaker:

Bob Chapman

CEO and Chairman at Barry-Wehmiller Companies, Inc.



REGISTER TO ATTEND

Sessions: AI Assessment | Arc Flash | Confined Space | Cybersecurity | Ergonomics in Tool Design | Mentorship | Physical Demand Post Offer Pre Commitment | Stress Management Coping with Conflict | Marijuana Updates | Safety Culture

Demonstrations & Hands On: Confined Space | Fall Protection | Ladders |
Safety Podcasting 101

REGISTRATION

AND/OR JOIN OUR SPONSORS

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU THERE!

Conference Pages



Safety Council of Greater St. Louis Website

Future Chapter Meeting - Monday, November 11th

Topic: Breathe Easy
Respirator basics and resources

Speaker: Chet Razer, MS, CSP
Razer Safety & Health Consulting

Where: Syberg's, 2430 Old Dorsett Rd, Maryland Heights, MO 63043

When: Registration @11, Lunch @11:30, Presentation @12

Register for Meeting:

Mid-Missouri Updates



AMERICAN SOCIETY OF
SAFETY PROFESSIONALS

Mid-Mo Section • STL Chapter

**Do you live or work in the heart of Missouri?
Get involved with the Mid-MO chapter and
attend the next meeting at D. Rowe's in Columbia!**

[Reach out to](#) Communications Chair Paul Krewson or
[Subscribe to ASSP Mid-MO Announcements](#)

President: David Atteberry
Vice-President: Kristin Crayton
Secretary/Treasurer: Will Schauwecker
New Member Chair: Katie Brucks
Communications Chair: Paul Krewson

Calendar of Events

Take a look at what's coming up! Mark your calendar now.



ASSP 2024 EVENTS

Sybergs on Dorsett (unless stated otherwise)

Doors open at 11:00 | Lunch Served 11:30-12:00 | Presentation 12:00-1:00



	<p>Annual Golf Tournament June 7th <i>St. Peter's Golf Course 200 Salt Lick Rd. St. Peters, MO</i></p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting - Empowering Businesses and Victims <i>The Significance of the Victims' Economic Safety & Security Act (VESSA)</i> July 8th Mark Kurkowski (Owner Kurkowski Consulting) to Present</p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting- Legacy Training and Development 8 Key Elements of a Sustainable Safety Culture August 12th Diane Dick (Founder and Sr. Consultant) to Present</p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting - De-escalating Charged Conversations <i>I'm not yelling, you're yelling!</i> September 9th Domini Montgomery (Director Safety and Risk Mgmt.) to Present</p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting - Concussion cases... what a headache! October 14th Dr. John Webb, MD with OccMedMD/The Orthopedic Center of St. Louis to Present</p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting- Breathe Easy Respirator Basics and Resources November 11th Chet Razer, MS, CSP, Razer Safety & Health Consulting, to present</p>
	<p>Monthly Meeting - Annual OSHA Update December 9th Maryanne Heuer Martin, CSP (Compliance Assistance Specialist (L)), and Bill McDonald, Area Director, OSHA - St. Louis Area Office (R), to present</p>

Always find the latest events at <https://stl.assp.org/>

Community Spotlight

St. Louis WISE member Kathi Dobson, Safety Director at Alberici, did an incredibly generous thing. Following the ASSP conference in Denver, Kathi went around to many of the vendors and gathered up boxes and boxes of leftover PPE and work clothes for women! She shipped them all to St. Louis where the WISE chapter was able to donate the items to Missouri Women in Trades (MOWIT) and the IBEW Women's Group. Both groups were thrilled to receive the items. The IBEW group responded with the following: "*Because of the box of clothing WISE donated to us, we are now able to start our closet for apprentices in need, etc. Thank you for your generous donation!*"

If you would like to donate to Tradeswomen with PPE, tools, work uniforms, etc. please contact Patte Ackermann at ackerm@ssm-select.com

August Chapter Meeting Meeting

On Monday, September 9, we heard from Domini Montgomery, MPH, ASP, CSP on Deescalating charged conversations. As safety professionals, we oftentimes find ourselves in situations where we need to have difficult conversations, deescalate a situation, or help someone who may be facing a crisis. The safety field is evolving, and our tools need to evolve to keep up with the needs of the folks we serve! We discussed the impact of words, the importance of focusing on all aspects of communication—tone, volume, rhythm of speech, and how to rationally detach. Building from the Crisis Prevention Institute's philosophy, we know that responding appropriately with the right tools can reduce the risk of a negative outcome.



SafeCon Expo 2025 - Save the Date - May 14 to 16

Mark your calendars now. Registration is not yet open, but you won't want to miss this. Check <https://shcmoks.com/> for the latest info.

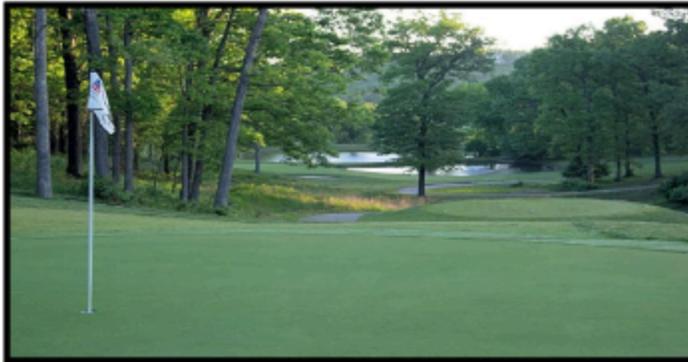


SAVE THE DATE!

MAY 14 – 16, 2025

THE LODGE OF THE FOUR SEASONS

315 FOUR SEASONS DR., LAKE OZARK, MO 65049



DIVE YOURSELF INTO THE NEWEST KNOWLEDGE OF SAFETY

NETWORK WITH SAFETY PROFESSIONALS FROM A VARIETY OF FIELDS

ATTEND THE PRE-CONFERENCE, PLAY GOLF & OBTAIN CERTIFICATIONS YOU NEED

EARN UP TO 1 CEU FOR ATTENDING COURSES

RELAX & EAT AMAZING FOOD

SAVE THE DATE TO ENJOY PARADISE & LEARNING!

CONFERENCE
REGISTRATION AND HOTEL
BOOKING COMING SOON.

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Vice President - Kristin Crayton

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Coordinates logistics of professional development activities

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Ensures new members are recognized & introduced at membership meetings

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Promotes student scholarships & continuing education scholarships for members

Golf Scholarship

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Organizes and runs the annual golf tournament supporting local safety focused students

Programs – Patte Ackermann, PT – ackermap@ssm-select.com

Plans the program time and needs for presentations & coordinates schedule

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Maintains online social accounts promoting discussion with local membership

Women In Safety Excellence (WISE) Coordinators

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Organizes the WISH events to promote the community of Women in Safety & Health

Please contact a board member or committee chair with comments or if you would like to participate in any of the chapter activities.

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