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Student Section Information

Application Date (No later than April 1, 2015): 03/31/15 (MO/DAY/YR)

Activity Dates: **September 2014 through March 2015**

Student Section Name: Murray State University American Society of Safety Engineers
Purchase Area Student Section

Parent Chapter: Purchase Area

Faculty Advisor: Dr. Gary Morris

Number of Students Pursuing an Academic Degree in Safety or another Safety related discipline: 409 Bachelor of Science, 64 Master of Science (473 total)

Number of Student Section Members: 169

Names and Titles of Student Section Officers and Leaders
(i.e. President, Vice-President, Committee names and Chairs, etc.)

Name	Title
Josh Reed	President
Alexis Ludovissie	Executive Vice President & Head of Community Service Committee
Callie Copeland	Vice President & Head of Fundraising Committee
Brooke Kearney	Secretary
Brice Griesemer	Treasurer
Layne Hardison	Recorder & Head of Research Committee
Dawson Montfort	Delegate & Head of Social Committee
Meagan Moffat and Kelly Mehner	Research Committee Heads-in-Training

Contact Information

We attest that the information provided in this application is a true representation of the Student Section activities for the period specified.

Josh Reed

Signature – Student Section President

Gay Allen

Signature – Faculty Advisor

Student Section Address:**Phone Number:**

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Annual Minimum Requirements

*If student Section fails to include evidence for each annual minimum requirement the application will not be considered by the OSA Evaluation Committee.

Check off	Annual Minimum Requirements
	Attach at least four newsletters published by Student Section to the appendices. If Section uses social media in place of newsletters, please include several screenshots/printout examples.
	Include dates of attendance and subject matter of a <u>minimum</u> of 2 parent-chapter hosted General Membership or Executive Committee meetings attended by a Student Section representative within the academic year.
	Include at least 6 Section meetings, with 4 being of technical content, held by the Section within the academic year. The definition of “technical” in this context is a process or procedure directly relating to OSH practice (social gatherings, resume building, interviewing skills, and other soft skills would not be considered “technical” in this context).
	Include a signed and dated copy of the latest Bylaws review (regardless of changes). Show that Section Bylaws are reviewed annually and have been revised (as needed) and re-approved within the last 2 years. Bylaws must be signed by Chapter President and Regional or Area Vice President.
	Attach Faculty Advisor letter of support or recommendation to the appendices.
	New Requirement: Include at least one community or campus activity sponsored or participated in by the Student Section in Judging Criteria 3.0.

Judging Criteria

1.0 Professional Development and Enhancement

1.1 Parent-chapter hosted general membership or executive committee meetings attended by Student Section representative(s)

Meeting Date	Topic	Speaker	Student Section Representative(s)
9/11/2014	Safety Superheroes	Mr. Mickey Miller	50
9/25/2014	Joint Meeting	Marathon Petroleum	60
10/23/2014	International Safety	Dr. Dilip Shah	37
11/19/2014	Risk Assessment	Dr. Scott Dotson	26
2/05/2015	Wild Welcome Back Event	Lead: Josh Reed	25
2/26/2015	Joint Meeting	Berry Plastics	33
3/26/2015	Motivation for the Safety Life	Mr. Jan Stowe	23

The Purchase Area Parent-chapter does not host any meetings of their own. In its place, Parent-chapter members attend the same ASSE meetings as the Student Section to offer guidance, support, and advice. In this way, all Student Section meetings are Parent-chapter meetings as well.

1.2 Technical meetings (examples include: risk assessment, ergonomics, site tours etc...)

Meeting Date	Topic	Speaker	# of Section Members in Attendance
9/11/2014	Safety Superheroes	Mr. Mickey Miller	50
9/25/2014	The Petroleum Industry	Marathon Petroleum	60
10/16/2014	Brown-Foreman Tour*	Tour Guide	11
10/17/2014	Brown-Foreman Tour*	Tour Guide	10
10/23/2014	International Safety	Dr. Dilip Shah	37
11/19/2014	Risk Assessment	Dr. Scott Dotson	26
12/29/2014	Bodega Don Bosco Tour*	Tour Guide	7
12/30/2014	Bodega Trapiche Tour*	Tour Guide	7
1/2/2015	Bodega Tempus Alba Tour*	Tour Guide	7
1/3/2015	Bodega Finca Propia Tour*	Tour Guide	7
1/5/2014	National Institute Tour*	Tour Guide	7
1/5/2014	Dominio Del Plata Tour*	Tour Guide	7
1/7/2015	Bodega Familia Zuccardi Tour*	Tour Guide	7
2/26/2015	Plastics and Innovation	Greg Jones	33

*Space on the Tours was limited. Not everyone wishing to attend was able to participate.

1.3 Other meetings (examples include: interviewing and networking skills, Student Section planning or social gatherings)

Meeting Date	Topic	Speaker	# of Section Members in Attendance
9/09/2015	Welcome Back Cookout	Lead: Josh Reed	>60
2/05/2015	Wild Welcome Back Event	Lead: Josh Reed	25
3/26/2015	Motivation for Life	Mr. Jan Stowe	23

2.0 Section-Sponsored Research and Applications

(Limited to 1500 Characters Total)

2.1 *Research*

1. Noise Exposure on CVNs During Maintenance Periods

-See Appendix E

2. Global Thirst for Safety

-See Appendix E

3. Streamed Television on Electronic Devices

-See Appendix E

2.2 *Applications*

1. Tablet Project

-See Appendix E

3.0 Community Involvement

3.1 *Section-sponsored community activities*

1. Kentucky Trophy Deer Hunt Raffle

The 2nd annual Deer Hunt Raffle ticket selling started in August and will extend through May. Members of the fundraising committee met to make posters and call local shop owners to allow ticket sells. Every member was required to sell/buy one ticket which gave motivation to spread the word! The deer hunt raffle winner will be selected at our golf outing in May. **See Appendix F**

2. Golf Outing

It started with an idea to involve students with a golf scramble, and turned in to a large fundraiser. Companies that frequently recruit at Murray State University for professional safety internships and full time positions donated money for their company to be represented at a hole on the Murray Country Club. While this event won't take place until May, preparation for students and officers to work together to keep scoring and assist golfers by volunteering as caddies for a cause has spanned the entire semester.

3.2 *Section-sponsored campus activities*

1. Aluminum can drive

Student section members implemented recycling stations into Murray State University's Occupational Safety and Health Department. Every ASSE meeting and information session held within the department provides both food and beverages. With the new recycling stations, all aluminum cans (and plastic bottles) can be conveniently recycled by students, community members, and businesses that attend. Pop tabs are also collected for the St. Jude Children's Research Hospital.

3.3 Section participation in community activities:

1. Trail of Treats

This event was created to allow for a safe environment for children and families on Halloween night. The event was held in the local park where businesses, organizations, and groups set up booths representing themselves as well as handing out candy and goodies to kids. The ASSE student section volunteered at a booth decked out in PPE and handed out flyers with tips for a safe and fun Halloween night along with candy. **See Appendix F**

2. Operation Christmas Child (National)

Our Student Section collected boxes to send to Samaritan's Purse for distribution to children in other countries. **See Appendix F**

3. Operation Christmas Child (Local)

Our Student Section collected ten boxes to donate to Need Line for distribution to local children. **See Appendix F**

4. Construction Career Fair

Ten to Fifteen Student Section members helped to set up and man an ASSE booth displaying Murray State University's Occupational Safety and Health Department where we worked to answer student questions and promote an education in our field. **See Appendix F**

5. Safety Expo—Calloway County Safety Days

Eight Student Section members helped to teach local elementary through high school students the importance of safety in industry by aiding them through exercises which highlighted the difficulties experienced by those with disabilities. **See Appendix F**

6. Habitat for Humanity

Locally, Habitat for Humanity is an organization that helps build houses for those in need of a home. The residents then pay the organization back whenever possible. Six ASSE students aided this cause on Saturdays throughout the semester by painting and do other construction like duties to help finish the project. **See Appendix F**

7. Ice Bucket Challenge

The seven officers of ASSE at Murray State University were challenged by the Graduate Assistants of the OSH Department to participate in the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge which they did on September 11, 2014. The ASSE officers took it one step further and raised funds for ALS. The officers raised \$75 for ALS and in turn challenged the new professors of the OSH Department. **See Appendix F**

8. 2014 Talon Falls 5k Zombie Mud Run

In promoting this event our intentions as future safety professionals were to highlight the importance of staying fit and healthy in a fun and engaging way. A lone Student Section member ended up running in the actual race. **See Appendix F**

9. January Power Half-Hour Morning Leadership Series

On January 27th, 2015 Student Section President, Josh Reed and Vice President, Callie Copeland were invited to speak in the January Power Half-Hour Morning Leadership Series which focused on Student Section Recruitment & Retention. Callie discussed Murray State University Student Section's methods of communication with its members and Josh discussed membership retention ideas and theories. Follow the link to the webinar for more information: <https://vimeo.com/118142214>

10. Leadership Women

The MSU Student Section sent one officer to a one day Leadership Workshop to bring back insight for being a leader in today's world and working in a multigenerational workforce.

11. Murray Toastmasters

Nearing its one year anniversary, Murray Toastmasters, is our local chapter for Toastmasters International. Its main purpose is to help individuals gain confidence in public speaking and become more effective communicators. Only one Student Section member is currently attending, but two Occupational Safety and Health students have recently joined. As the Club grows and students hear of its merits, additional OSH students have begun visiting.

12. BrainBlast Trivia

This semester our Student Section formed a team to compete in live trivia one to two times per week at local restaurants. With 5-8 members we are able to spread our name, strengthen our bonds, and test our knowledge.

3.4 Section participation in campus activities:

1. K-12 Connect Day

Five ASSE student members (Desmond Etheridge, Logan Chavis, Alexis Ludovissie, Amanda Dean, and John Reynolds) volunteered to help with Murray State's K-12 Connect Day. K-12 connect day is all about getting young students in kindergarten through twelfth grade excited about going to college. **See Appendix F**

2. Women's Intramural Volleyball

Eight of Murray State University's ASSE Student Section's women led their team to an undefeated season!

3. Cultural Events

-See Appendix F

- **A Taste of Africa** (Erin Connell and Layne Hardison)
- **Holi One** (Allison France and Meagan Moffat)

4. 2014 MSU Campus Fire Safety Day

Many Student Section Members participated in MSU's Campus Fire Safety Day on October 9, 2014 from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. which featured a mock dorm room live burn, a virtual fire truck driving simulator, fire extinguisher training, a fire hose demo, and an electrical safety demo. **See Appendix F**

5. Dinner with the President

Three ASSE Student Section Members—Josh Reed, Tanner Neese, and Meagan Moffat—represented our Student Section at dinner with Murray State University's President, Dr. Bob Davies. **See Appendix A**

6. Professional Trainings

The student section participated in ALL SAFE Industry's **8 Hour Occupational Noise Course**. Several other trainings, offered by the Murray State University's Occupational Safety and Health Department, have also been participated in by the ASSE Student Section:

- **8 Hour Confined Space Entry Training**
Offered on 10/18/2014 and 11/15/2014 (19 students total)
- **24 Hour Chemical Spill Response Technician Level Hazmat Training**
Offered on 11/4-6/2014 and 3/16-18/2015 (20 students total)
- **16 Hour Incident Command Training**
Offered on 3/19-20/2015 (17 students)

Coming up this semester there will be additional trainings offered: **CPR Refresher Training, 8 Hour Hazmat Refresher Training** (offered three times), **Heartsaver First Aid, CPR, and AED Training, Combustible Dust Safety Workshop**, and another **8 Hour Confined Space Entry Training**. **See Appendix F**

7. Certifications

Murray State University's Occupational Safety and Health Department is proud to be ABET accredited. As a part of our course curriculum all students are required to take OSH 387—OSHA Standards for General Industry and Construction. In addition, those students choosing to take the Occupational Safety and Health Track are required to take OSH 384—Construction Safety. With successful completion of these courses making a C or above and receiving approved attendance rates, students will receive

a **30 Hour General Industry Certification** and a **30 Hour Construction Certification** respectively. This semester alone 105 students took OSH 387 on Murray State's Main Campus and 70 students took OSH 384.

3.5 Section engagement with and/or support of the ASSE Foundation:

1. I Heart Safety Campaign

Six of Murray State University's ASSE Student Section officers attended the **2014 Future Safety Leaders Conference** in Schaumburg, Illinois where the "I Love Safety Campaign" was first brought to our attention. The idea was brought back to the university and caught-on rather quickly. Participation in the campaign grew exponentially. The idea was passed along through various social media websites (via LinkedIn and Facebook) using pictures and homemade signs stating the reasons why people loved safety. The campaign found its way to "Safety Days" where the Student Section educated local high school students on the Occupational Safety and Health profession. In addition, the Murray State Social Committee hosted an on campus "I Love Safety" rally, where Occupational Safety and Health students demonstrated their love for safety by sharing with those who attended their personal reasons for doing so. **See Appendix G**

2. Participation in ASSE Foundation Committees

- **Silent Auction Committee**—Carrie Stindt, Alexis Ludovissie, Dawson Montfort, Brent Kennedy
- **25 X 25 Scholarship Committee**—Carrie Stindt
- **Next Generation Board Executive Subcommittee**—Carrie Stindt

3. Foundation Scholarship Discussion

Last year Murray State University students received \$33,800 in scholarships from the ASSE Foundation and its constituents! So this year we have mentioned the importance of applying for scholarships multiple times throughout the semester with hopes that we can encourage more students to get involved. **See Appendix A**

4.0 Recognition (Limited to 1000 Characters Total)

1. Rho Sigma Kappa Honors Night

Nineteen ASSE Members were inducted into Rho Sigma Kappa, the Occupational Safety and Health Honor Society which promotes strength of character, leadership, and academic achievement. **See Appendix A and Appendix H**

2. National Award Recipients

Three MSU ASSE Student Section members—James Nance, Josh Reed, and Cody Sieben—were awarded the Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. **See Appendix A and Appendix H**

5.0 **Student Section Participation**

Percentage of Section Members in Attendance

-See Appendix I

6.0 **Endorsements**

-Letter from Dr. Gary Morris, Ph.D., CSP (**Faculty Advisor**)

-Letter from Jayme Hobson MS, CSP, STS

-Letter from Bradly Giles PE, CSP, STS, GIOSH

-Letter from Christie Dudley

-Letter from Mickey Miller

See Appendix D

7.0 **Other Support Documentation**

-ASSE Flyer Example

-ASSE Event Table Top Example

-ASSE Handout Example

-ASSE KY Trophy Deer Hunt Raffle Application

-Order Form for ASSE Polos (*14 members ordered*)

-Order Form for ASSE Pullovers (*14 members ordered*)

See Appendix J

Appendices (Unlimited) Samples or supporting documents should be submitted in addition to the application in electronic format. This supporting documentation must be limited to applicable information concerning activities outlined in the application.

Appendices



Appendix A

Newsletters and Social Media


Murray State University Student Section

ASSE Monthly News

September 2014




Guest Speaker: Mickey Miller



Mr. Miller is an Organizational Communication Professor here at Murray State University. He lectures COM 161 Introduction to Public Speaking, COM 131 Introduction to Interpersonal Communication, and COM 384 Communication Skills for Professionals. He is the Basic Courses Director over the Department of Organizational Communication at MSU. Before coming to MSU, Mr. Miller has had influential experiences before coming to Murray State. Please welcome Mr. Miller as he shares with us his experiences by discussing "Safety Superheroes."


Scholarships

This year 108 students received \$227,000 in awards through the ASSE Scholarship & Grant Program. Murray State University had a total of nine scholarship recipients receiving 10 scholarships totaling \$33,800! Congratulations to all the students who received awards. Students remember to look out for the application for the 2015 scholarships. If you have any questions regarding where or how to apply please contact an ASSE officer




Welcome New staff!

Murray State University has welcomed five new professors in the OSH Department: Dr. Ray Godfrey, Cindy Medford, Dr. Dilip Shah, and Dr. Kristen Spicer. We would also like to congratulate Dr. Morris on his recent acceptance as the new Chair of the Occupational Safety and Health Department. Good luck to the new professors and the new chair as they are starting a new journey here at Murray State University.



ALS Ice Bucket Challenge

Please join us after today's event and watch the ASSE officers participate in the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge! Donations are still being accepted. Donations can be given to any of the ASSE officers or to Dr. Morris. Come and support the ASSE officers and the ALS Association.



ALS
ASSOCIATION

Create a world without ALS.



October 2014

Guest Speaker: Dr. Dilip Shah

Dr. Dilip Shah is one of the Occupational and Safety Department's newest professors. He teaches OSH 384, OSH 452, and OSH 527/627. Dr. Shah received his Ph. D. at Texas A&M University. His experience prior to Murray State University includes NCA&T State University in Greensboro, NC, Illinois State University in Normal, Montana Tech, Butte, MT, and University of Zulia, Maracaibo, Venezuela, as well as the UNESCO Academic Consultant. Dr. Shah has safety experience not only in the United States but internationally as well. Dr. Shah will be speaking about his international safety experiences and will be available to answer and give any advice that you may have about his safety career as well as your future safety career.



Air Craft Carrier Noise Study

This past month, four ASSE student members and Dr. Morris participated in the fourth trip of the five year study aboard U.S. Navy air craft carriers. The purpose of the study was to determine 24-hour noise dose exposure to Sailors working aboard naval aircraft carriers.

Ask any of the students pictured about their awesome experience on the naval aircraft carrier!



(left to right) Josh Reed, Meghan Cavins, Dr. Gary Morris, Amber Miller, Scott Duckworth

Trail of Treats

The ASSE student section's community service committee is participating in the Trail of Treats. It will be taking place in Central Park October 31st from 5-8PM. We will be handing out candy and sharing with children how important safety is. The theme the community service committee has is Safety, PPE. Come out dressed in your safety gear and spread the word about safety while handing out candy! Candy donations are still being taken in the OSH department offices in the GA cubicles.

A lot of candy will be needed so there's no such thing as too much! Donations are very much appreciated!



ALS Ice Bucket Challenge

Thanks to everyone's generous donations, the ASSE Student Section raised \$60 towards the ALS Association! Thank you all who donated and also to the ASSE officers for participating in the ALS Ice Bucket Challenge! If there is any association or organization that you would like to see the ASSE Student Section get involved in, contact our community service leader, Alexis Ludovissie.



Create a world without ALS.



Get Involved!

There are endless opportunities if you allow yourself to go out and get involved! Tanner Neese and Josh Reed recently had dinner with Murray State University President, Dr. Bob Davies. They learned about Murray State and received advice for their future careers. Don't wait for your moment, make your moment happen!



Murray State University Student Section



ASSE Monthly News



November 2014

Guest Speaker: Dr. Scott Dotson

Dr. Scott Dotson is an industrial hygienist with NIOSH. His current responsibilities focus on conducting research on the development and implementation of scientific-decision making strategies for the assignment of skin notations and acute inhalation exposure guidelines. He obtained a PhD in toxicology and risk assessment from the University of South Florida and an MSc in occupational safety and health/industrial hygiene from Murray State University. Dr. Dotson is a CIH, assistant coordinator of the NIOSH Dermal Cross Sector Program, and the vice chair of the AIHA® Risk Assessment Committee.



Safety Days at the Expo Center

On November 10, 12, and 13, 2014 Murray State University Student Section hosted a booth at the "City of Murray Safety Days" for middle and high school students. This was a great opportunity to make a difference in the local community and teach young students about the safety and health field. The students also showed their support for the ASSE foundation. "I <3 Safety" campaign. Thank you to all the students that came out and helped make the event possible!



Pictured above: Brent Kennedy and Josh Reed with middle school students at the safety days at the Expo Center.

Brent Kennedy assisting a student.

Trail of Treats

The ASSE student section's community service committee participated in the Trail of Treats on October 31st from 5-8 PM in Central Park. The community service committee dressed up in their PPE gear and handed out candy, passed out safety tips to parents, and painted kid's faces all night. There was a huge turnout for Trail of Treats this year and thank you to everyone who donated a bag of candy for this event. Students enjoyed spreading **safety into the community** as well as seeing all the different variety of costumes that came to the booth. If you have any questions of how you can get involved in the community service committee, contact Alexis Ludovissie.



Future Safety Leaders Conference

Our ASSE Student Section Officers went to the Future Safety Leaders Conference in Schaumburg, IL this past month. They had a great time connecting with future safety leaders. Ask any officer about their experience and learn how you can attend next year!



Dawson Montfort interacting with other future leaders.



Rho Sigma Kappa Honors



The mission of Rho Sigma Kappa is to honor students who distinguish themselves through academic achievement and exemplary character. Congratulations to all the ASSE members who were inducted into the organization this fall!



ASSE Monthly News



December 2014-January 2015



Pictured L-R: Layne Hardison, Jennifer Hauck, Logan Chavis, Rachel Ragovin, Katie McAllister, James Nance, Dylan Carroll, Lindy Morris, Dr. Gary Morris.

Getting Involved: Study Abroad

During the winter semester a group of ASSE members along with the Occupational Safety and Health department chair, Dr. Gary Morris, and his wife Lindy Morris, went on the second OSH study abroad trip in the beautiful country of Argentina! Their goal was to investigate safety and health issues in wine vineyards in Argentina compared to similar issues in whiskey distilleries here in the United States. Not only did they broaden their safety knowledge on the trip, but they enjoyed zip-lining, rock climbing, beaches, and more fun activities. They were gone for two weeks and some even stayed an extra day. Opportunities are endless here in the OSH department; you just have to get involved! The experiences and memories made on this trip will last a lifetime; ask your fellow ASSE members who went to Argentina and get more details. If you have any questions about future study abroad trips or ways to enhance your experiences as a safety major, stop by Dr. Morris' office.

Deer Hunt Raffle

Know anyone that is interested in a weekend getaway and a deer hunt that you are GUARENTEED a deer? Our ASSE fundraising committee is selling deer hunt raffle tickets for only \$10. This is a \$4000 value that includes three full days of hunting, lodging on site, home cooked meals, one on one guide, and NO license required! For more details about the hunt and Kentucky Trophy Deer you can visit their website at www.kentuckytrophydeer.com. It is a requirement for all ASSE student members to sell at least one ticket. Deer Raffle forms are located in the OSH department offices on the tables. The fundraising committee along with members from the social committee will be outside of Gander Mountain in Paducah this Saturday, February 7th from 12-4p.m. selling raffle tickets. For further information on the deer raffle or how you can get involved with the fundraising committee, contact Callie Copeland.

Only \$10!



Operation Christmas Child

This past semester, our community service committee participated in Operation Christmas Child. Their goal was to fill shoe boxes with toys and gifts for children who would not receive gifts this past Christmas. Locally and nationally combined The committee made 14 shoe boxes filled with toys to give to children all around the world. A big thanks goes to everyone who participated in this event! If you have any questions about future community service activities, contact the committee service chair, Alexis Ludovissie.



National Award Recipients

Pictured left to right are fellow ASSE members James Nance, Josh Reed, & Cody Sieben. They were awarded the "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities & Colleges" Award which is an award that recognizes leadership, community service, academic merit, etc. Congrats guys & keep up the hard work!





February 2015

Guest Speaker: Berry

Berry Plastics is an industry that specializes in plastic consumer packaging, protection solutions, tape and adhesives, and specialize in their own key brands such as Ruffies trash bags, Color Scents scented trash bags, Versatile; a recyclable disposable cup, and many more. They currently have 88 North American sites, four European sites, five Asian sites, a South American site, and an Australian site. Their corporate office is located in Evansville, Indiana. Berry Plastics is looking for interns as well as full time hires. Many



students interned with Berry Plastics this past summer and are willing to share their experience with you! This is Berry Plastics first info session so let's give them the respect and attention they deserve as they share with us their company and many opportunities they have for us as future safety professionals.

Research Project: Binge Watching

The research committee are working on a project that is studying the effects of binge watching television. Their study consists of recording different ways people watch television and the amount of hours at a time that they are watching. The research committee are looking for more volunteers to help out with this interesting project. How many hours have you spent in front of the T.V. watching episode after episode? Wouldn't you like you know what's being effected when you watch multiple hours of T.V.? Contact Layne Hardison, research committee chair, for any questions and information. Also feel free to talk to research committee members, Kelly Mehner and Meagan Moffat as they are leading this project. This could be a great opportunity to share with future employers of your participation and experience of conducting a research!



Intermural Sports: Volleyball

Our ASSE student section has an intermural girls' volleyball team and the season is quickly approaching! There are many opportunities to get involved and to socialize with your fellow ASSE members. If you are wanting to get involved with volleyball, or any sport, contact the social committee chair, Dawson Montfort for more information! A big thanks to those who are participating and representing our ASSE student section!



Snow Safety Tips

Snow, ice, and more snow and ice. Are you taking the proper precautions when you're walking or driving on the snow and ice? Here are a few safety tips that can help you prevent hazards from occurring to you and others!

1. When walking at night, wear clothing that will contrast with the snow.
2. Walk slowly and carefully
3. Maintain a safe space between you and other drivers in case your tires lose traction from ice
4. Gentleness is key, especially on turns and corners



March 2015

Guest Speaker: Jan Stowe



Pictured above is the Olmsted Locks and Dam.

Mr. Jan Stowe is a safety professional for AECOM at the Olmsted Locks and Dam. The Olmsted Locks and Dam is under construction between Illinois and Kentucky roughly 17 miles upstream from the conjunction of the Ohio and Mississippi rivers. The locks are complete and work on the dam continues. Olmsted will greatly reduce tow and barge delays through the busiest stretch of river in America's inland waterways. This project is estimated to be operational by 2020 and completed by 2024. He has worked in various industries all over the world. Jan has an inspirational and motivational story of perseverance and being the best person you can be, which has led him to be an esteemed professional in our field. Please give your full attention to our guest speaker as he has taken time to join us in our meeting and share with us his experiences as well as answer any questions you may have.

I ♥ Safety!

Thank you to all the faculty and students who assisted in the creation of the "I <3 Safety" video. The video was the result of the Murray State University ASSE officers attending the Future Safety Leaders Conference at the beginning of the semester and learning about the National ASSE Foundation "I <3 Safety" campaign. The officers decided to bring the campaign back to campus and asked the student section to display their love for safety through pictures and videos. Our goal is that the foundation can use the video and pictures to market and assist in the development of the "I <3 Safety" campaign for future years to come.



Intermural Sports: Volleyball

Congratulations to our girls' intermural volleyball team for going undefeated this season! Team members of the team were Courtney Venhaus, Elayna Witt, Layne Hardison, and Alexis Ludovissie. A huge shout out goes to these ladies for getting involved and showing out for our ASSE student section! There are many ways to get involved in ASSE! Speak with an officer today and see how you can get involved!



2015-2016 ASSE Student Officer Election

The 2014-2015 Murray State Student Section officers are looking for new recruitments to fill positions in our officer committee. If you are interested and think you'll be a great fit to the team, contact an officer or Dr. Morris to show your interest and for any questions you may have about a specific officer position. Murray State ASSE wants nothing but the best, and we have numerous outstanding students that we know that would make a perfect fit to the ASSE officer team. So don't be shy, ask questions and make your presence known and you could be a future ASSE officer!

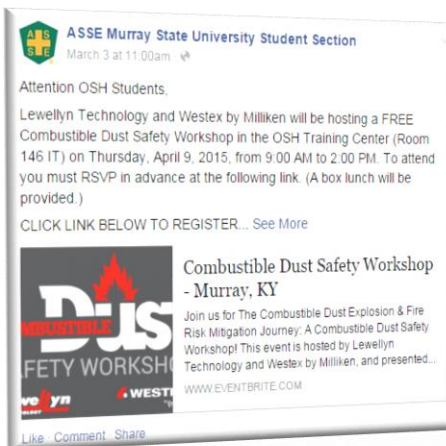
Meetings



Friends



Site Visits



Workshops

Appendix B

Meeting Sign-in Sheets



American Society of Safety Engineers
Murray State University Student Section



Event Name: ASS E Meeting

Date: 9/11/14

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Howard Blythe	[Signature]	26. Brandon West	[Signature]
2. Tanner Neere	[Signature]	27. Jennifer Guetersch	[Signature]
3. Aylan Curran	[Signature]	28. Kaitlin Budnick	[Signature]
4. Kelly Mehner	[Signature]	29. Barret Looer	[Signature]
5. Brocken Cook	[Signature]	30. Dr Dilip Shah	[Signature]
6. John Reynolds	[Signature]	31. Liz Emmel	[Signature]
7. Jacob Hagan	[Signature]	32. Purk Effinger	[Signature]
8. Lee Gream	[Signature]	33. [Signature]	[Signature]
9. Todd Gravel	[Signature]	34. Lauren Cox	[Signature]
10. Ally Wanlers	[Signature]	35. Erica Cash	[Signature]
11. Kai-Leah Wignath	[Signature]	36. Bedet Arabic	[Signature]
12. Hope Archer	[Signature]	37. Hamed Osgyani	[Signature]
13. Austin Blakely	[Signature]	38. Alex Kiwi	[Signature]
14. Sam Mynny	[Signature]	39. Hussein Alkani	[Signature]
15. Brett Bazz	[Signature]	40. LUKE WHITMORE	[Signature]
16. Layne Henderson	[Signature]	41. Alexis Ludovisi	[Signature]
17. Rasha Khalil	[Signature]	42. Bryce Grosem	[Signature]
18. Josh Reed	[Signature]	43. Antonio Searls	[Signature]
19. LISA BAWLESS	[Signature]	44. Brent Kennedy	[Signature]
20. Megan Motter	[Signature]	45. Alec Jackson	[Signature]
21. Allison France	[Signature]	46. Sulaiman Alagaidy	[Signature]
22. Matt Mearty	[Signature]	47. Muath Almazan	[Signature]
23. Jack Whately	[Signature]	48. GEMISOLA BADIU	[Signature]
24. Tyler Howell	[Signature]	49. Scott Duckworth	[Signature]
25. Jerald Hepler	[Signature]	50. Amber Miller	[Signature]



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Event Name: ASSE Meeting with Marathon

Date: 9/25/14

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Brooke Kearney	Brooke Kearney	Judge Effinger	Judge Effinger
2. Barrett Loober	Barrett Loober	Shane Cox	Shane Cox
3. Pallavi Thodhan	Pallavi Thodhan	Liz Frimel	Liz Frimel
4. Layne Hardison	Layne Hardison	Richard Harper	Richard Harper
5. Allison France	Allison France	Hannah Blythe	Hannah Blythe
6. Blake Thomas	Blake Thomas	Alyssa Sinton	Alyssa Sinton
7. Jenni Hauke	Jenni Hauke	Terra Gumbel	Terra Gumbel
8. John Bergman	John Bergman	Casey Lee	Casey Lee
9. James McIntyre	James McIntyre	Asma Chuman	Asma Chuman
10. Austin Blakely	Austin Blakely	Alexis Ludovist	Alexis Ludovist
11. Braden Cook	Braden Cook	Callie Cepik	Callie Cepik
12. Kai Lee Wigginton	Kai Lee Wigginton		
13. Casey Pickett	Casey Pickett		
14. Lenna Kennedy	Lenna Kennedy		
15. Julia Geraci	Julia Geraci		
16. Sydney White	Sydney White		
17. Natasha Enoch	Natasha Enoch		
18. Tanner Spickard	Tanner Spickard		
19. Doug Ebert	Doug Ebert		
20. Rasha Khalil	Rasha Khalil		
21. Kaitlyn He	Kaitlyn He		
22. James Holland	James Holland		
23. Matt Mcarry	Matt Mcarry		
24. Tanner Noose	Tanner Noose		
25. Kati Mehner	Kati Mehner		



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Event Name: ASSE Meeting with Marathon

Date: 9/25/14

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Meagan Moffet	Meagan Moffet		
2. Justin Anderson	Justin Anderson		
3. Brandon West			
4. Blake Arleneux	Blake Arleneux		
5. Kaitlin Budnick	K Budnick		
6. LUKE WHITMORE	Luke Whitmore		
7. LISA BAYLES	Lisa Bayles		
8. Mason Mathis	Mason Mathis		
9. Larisa Mame	Larisa Mame		
10. Logan Chavis	Logan Chavis		
11. Justin Bryant	Justin Bryant		
12. Vito Vito	Vito Vito		
13. GEORGINA ANDREU	Georgina Andreu		
14. Jacob Hagan	Jacob Hagan		
15. Sam	Sam		
16. Jack Wheatley	Jack Wheatley		
17. Jacob Payne	Jacob Payne		
18. Katie McAllister	Katie McAllister		
19. Hunter Hall	Hunter Hall		
20. Austin Smith	Austin Smith		
21. Tonia Pratt	Tonia Pratt		
22. Ian Umstead	Ian Umstead		
23. Clint Conley	Clint Conley		
24. William Mathis	William Mathis		
25.			



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Event Name: ASSE Meeting w/ Dr. Dipak Shah as guest speaker Date: 10/23/14

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. John Reynolds	[Signature]	26. Brandon West	[Signature]
2. Dawson Martini	[Signature]	27. Layne Anderson	[Signature]
3. Callie Copeland	[Signature]	28. Justin Anderson	[Signature]
4. Braden Cook	[Signature]	29. USA Baynes	[Signature]
5. Jacob Ketcherside	[Signature]	30. Asma Othman	[Signature]
6. Tanner Neer	[Signature]	31. Hussain Alyadi	[Signature]
7. ^{Blake} Howard	[Signature]	32. Keegan Rhitar	[Signature]
8. Sky Eagle	[Signature]	33. Ian Umstead	[Signature]
9. Cosi Puckett	[Signature]	34. GEBRISOLA BADDAL	[Signature]
10. Rasha Khalil	[Signature]	35. Michelle Grimaud	[Signature]
11. Rachel Ragovin	[Signature]	36. Pallavi Thadhani	[Signature]
12. Dong Dell'Orto	[Signature]	37. Kelly Memmer	[Signature]
13. Logan Chau	[Signature]	38.	
14. Sean Murphy	[Signature]	39.	
15. Taylor Hardesty	[Signature]	40.	
16. Andrew Campbell	[Signature]	41.	
17. Jacob Hagan	[Signature]	42.	
18. Todd Grunier	[Signature]	43.	
19. Mason Watkins	[Signature]	44.	
20. Brooke Kearney	[Signature]	45.	
21. Jarrell George	[Signature]	46.	
22. Liz Finnel	[Signature]	47.	
23. Blake Thomas	[Signature]	48.	
24. Meagan Huffst	[Signature]	49.	
25. Allison France	[Signature]	50.	



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Event Name: Student Section Meeting

Date: 11/19/14

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Casey Pursatt	Casey Pursatt	26. Asma Alhmm	[Signature]
2. Braden Cook	[Signature]	27.	
3. Layne Hardison	[Signature]	28.	
4. Julia Gerani	[Signature]	29.	
5. Kelly Mehner	[Signature]	30.	
6. Alec Jackson	[Signature]	31.	
7. Rasha Khalil	[Signature]	32.	
8. Taylor Hardesty	[Signature]	33.	
9. Cameron	BAIRD	34.	
10. Tyler Hayden	[Signature]	35.	
11. Callie Capeland	[Signature]	36.	
12. Larisa Mame	[Signature]	37.	
13. Tanner Neek	[Signature]	38.	
14. John Reynolds	[Signature]	39.	
15. Muath Almazan	[Signature]	40.	
16. Hamed Osymis	[Signature]	41.	
17. Casey Lee	[Signature]	42.	
18. Matt Mcary	[Signature]	43.	
19. Austin Blahely	[Signature]	44.	
20. Logan Charis	[Signature]	45.	
21. Allison Fana	[Signature]	46.	
22. Amanda Harvell	[Signature]	47.	
23. Jihon Park	[Signature]	48.	
24. Tyler Greenman	[Signature]	49.	
25. Rachel Rogovin	[Signature]	50.	



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Event Name: *Wild Welcome Back Event* Date: *February 5, 2015*

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. <i>Broder Cook</i>	<i>Broder Cook</i>	26.	
2. <i>Adam Thompson</i>	<i>Adam Thompson</i>	27.	
3. <i>Natasha Enoch</i>	<i>Natasha Enoch</i>	28.	
4. <i>Layne Hardison</i>	<i>Layne Hardison</i>	29.	
5. <i>Cosy Packer</i>	<i>Cosy Packer</i>	30.	
6. <i>John Steven</i>	<i>John Steven</i>	31.	
7. <i>Alex Klapp</i>	<i>Alex Klapp</i>	32.	
8. <i>Todd Glinski</i>	<i>Todd Glinski</i>	33.	
9. <i>Kelly Mehner</i>	<i>Kelly Mehner</i>	34.	
10. <i>Jennifer Hawk</i>	<i>Jennifer Hawk</i>	35.	
11. <i>Sam Munk</i>	<i>Sam Munk</i>	36.	
12. <i>Luise Whitmore</i>	<i>Luise Whitmore</i>	37.	
13. <i>Agnes Wong</i>	<i>Agnes Wong</i>	38.	
14. <i>Zoung Pilla</i>	<i>Zoung Pilla</i>	39.	
15. <i>Tahira Nise</i>	<i>Tahira Nise</i>	40.	
16. <i>Austin Blakeley</i>	<i>Austin Blakeley</i>	41.	
17. <i>Eric Sapp</i>	<i>Eric Sapp</i>	42.	
18. <i>Izrael Robinson</i>	<i>Izrael Robinson</i>	43.	
19. <i>Blake Argenta</i>	<i>Blake Argenta</i>	44.	
20. <i>Stacey David</i>	<i>Stacey David</i>	45.	
21. <i>Shannon Harris</i>	<i>Shannon Harris</i>	46.	
22. <i>Alm Katt</i>	<i>Alm Katt</i>	47.	
23. <i>Anand Jen</i>	<i>Anand Jen</i>	48.	
24. <i>Muath Almazan</i>	<i>Muath Almazan</i>	49.	
25. <i>Alexis Ludovisi</i>	<i>Alexis Ludovisi</i>	50.	



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Event Name: Wild Welcome Back Event

Date: February 5, 2015

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Dawson M.	<i>[Signature]</i>	26.	
2. Brooke Kearney	Brooke Kearney	27.	
3. Lenna Kennedy	Lenna Kennedy	28.	
4. John Reynolds	<i>[Signature]</i>	29.	
5. Matt Mcarty	Matt Mcarty	30.	
6. CONSTANTIN CRISTACHE	Constantin Cristache	31.	
7. Blake Butler	<i>[Signature]</i>	32.	
8. Jacob Hagan	Jacob Hagan	33.	
9. Jerrad Heppner	Jerrad Heppner	34.	
10. Brent Kennedy	<i>[Signature]</i>	35.	
11. Larisa Mabe	Larisa Mabe	36.	
12. meagan moffa	Meagan Moffa	37.	
13. Whitney S. Hayden	Whitney S. Hayden	38.	
14. Valsey Gresham	Valsey Gresham	39.	
15. Jessie Rindin	Jessie Rindin	40.	
16. Rasha Khalil	<i>[Signature]</i>	41.	
17. Rachel Ragon	Rachel Ragon	42.	
18. Alex Harrell	Alex Harrell	43.	
19. Camille Newell	Camille Newell	44.	
20. OJARIKRE COLLINS	OjariKre Collins	45.	
21. Hamed Osiyemi	<i>[Signature]</i>	46.	
22. Brice Grisbeur	Brice Grisbeur	47.	
23.		48.	
24.		49.	
25.		50.	



American Society of Safety Engineers
Murray State University Student Section



Event Name: Berry Plastics ASSE meeting

Date: 2/26/15

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Bath Almazan	[Signature]	26. Layne Hudson	[Signature]
2. Braden Cook	[Signature]	27. Zarek Oxlund	[Signature]
3. Jon Holmes	[Signature]	28. RANDY BRAY	[Signature]
4. Brent Kennedy	[Signature]	29. Bryce Martin	[Signature]
5. Bryce Greene	[Signature]	30. Tanner Wood	[Signature]
6. Callie Capone	[Signature]	31. Ajankue Collins	[Signature]
7. Kelly Mehner	[Signature]	32. Lenna Kennedy	[Signature]
8. John Reynolds	[Signature]	33. Josh Reed	[Signature]
9. Duwan Brown	[Signature]	34.	
10. Logan Chavis	[Signature]	35.	
11. Rasha Khalil	[Signature]	36.	
12. Clint Coats	[Signature]	37.	
13. Austin Pinkney	[Signature]	38.	
14. Adam Thompson	[Signature]	39.	
15. Brooke Kearney	[Signature]	40.	
16. Blake Burton	[Signature]	41.	
17. Vito Vinton	[Signature]	42.	
18. Tami Wickse	[Signature]	43.	
19. Amber Lehman	[Signature]	44.	
20. Casey Lee	[Signature]	45.	
21. Matt Mcarty	[Signature]	46.	
22. Blake Asgard	[Signature]	47.	
23. Caitlin Budnick	[Signature]	48.	
24. GRACIELA BARRU	[Signature]	49.	
25. Eric Sapp	[Signature]	50.	



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Murray State University Student Section



Event Name: ASSE Meeting with Jan Stone Date: 3/26/15

Print Name	Sign Name	Print Name	Sign Name
1. Alex Hopewell	Alex Hopewell	26.	
2. John Reynolds	John Reynolds	27.	
3. Braden Cook	Braden Cook	28.	
4. Casey Nadolki	Casey Nadolki	29.	
5. Toni Wagon	Toni Wagon	30.	
6. Seth Prosky	Seth Prosky	31.	
7. Tanner Nestor	Tanner Nestor	32.	
8. John Steven	John Steven	33.	
9. Alex Klapp	Alex Klapp	34.	
10. Julia Gerami	Julia Gerami	35.	
11. Taylor Hadesky	Taylor Hadesky	36.	
12. Eric Sapp	Eric C. Sapp	37.	
13. Layne Hadesky	Layne Hadesky	38.	
14. Vito Vaccasano	Vito Vaccasano	39.	
15. Tami Spais	Tami Spais	40.	
16. Reagan Hyde	Reagan Hyde	41.	
17. Hunter Hall	Hunter Hall	42.	
18. Allison France	Allison France	43.	
19. Megan Moffat	Megan Moffat	44.	
20. Doug DeMouth	Doug DeMouth	45.	
21. Jack Sped	Jack Sped	46.	
22. Brent Kennedy	Brent Kennedy	47.	
23. Dawson Muffat	Dawson Muffat	48.	
24.		49.	
25.		50.	

Appendix C

Signed and Dated Bylaws Review

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF SAFETY ENGINEERS

Bylaws for Murray State University Student Section of the Purchase Area Chapter

Bylaws Adopted: March 16, 2015

Bylaws Approved by: Callie Copeland, Brooke Kearney, Brice Griesemer, [Signature], [Signature]
Chapter Executive Committee [Signature], Josh Reed, Alessa Andronico

Regional Vice President Chae Hahn

Student Section Chartered 1978

ARTICLE I - NAME

Section 1. The name of this Section shall be the Murray State University Section of the Purchase Area Chapter, American Society of Safety Engineers.

Section 2. Hereinafter, the Murray State University Student Section shall be referred to as the Section, the American Society of Safety Engineers shall be referred to as the Society. The Purchase Area Chapter shall be referred to as the Chapter, the Regional Operating Committee shall be referred to as the ROC, and Murray State University shall be referred to as the University.

ARTICLE II - PURPOSES

Section 1. The purposes of this Section shall be to promote the advancement of the safety profession and safety education and to foster the professional well-being and development of its members within its campus and community.

Section 2. In fulfilling its purposes, the Section shall have the following objectives:

- a) To further the professional preparation of the members by sponsoring programs for the advancement of safety and acquisition of technical knowledge.
- b) To improve scholarship and the general quality of work in the Safety Profession by fostering a concern for progress in all areas of safety, among safety educators and practitioners.
- c) To encourage greater professional and social cooperation and interaction among students of safety and allied fields and disciplines.

- d) To unite the resources and skills of students and faculty in programs to benefit Section members, the university and its community.
- e) To assist the Society in the development of effective and relevant educational programs for the preparation of future safety professionals
- f) To provide encouragement and support to society student activities and foster student member development and retention on its local campus.
- g) To promote participation and entrance into safety/health careers by high school and college students.

NOTE: Other specific objectives may be added here

Section 3. Nothing in these Bylaws is intended to substitute for, or supersede, rules or procedures established by the university that impact upon the Student Section.

ARTICLE III - MEMBERSHIP

- Section 1. Section membership is open to all Student Members of the Society, who are enrolled in the safety or related curricula at the university. To be eligible as a Society Student Member, an individual shall be enrolled in an accredited undergraduate or graduate degree course intended to prepare the individual for practice in the safety profession or one of its relevant specialties, shall pay an annual renewal fee as designated by the Society Board of Directors, and shall declare in writing the intention to enter the Safety Profession upon graduation.
- Section 2. Student Member status may be retained up to one year following graduation, or until the individual is employed in the field of safety, whichever comes first.
- Section 3. Section membership is personal and non-transferable and in order to be a Section member, dues must be current.
- Section 4. Section membership may be terminated after non-payment of dues, upon proper notice, or by majority vote of Section members upon recommendation of the Executive Committee, based on conduct deemed harmful to the reputation or functions of the Section.
- Section 5. Section members are eligible to vote on all matters brought before them. A majority affirmative vote is necessary for action unless otherwise specified in these Bylaws. On Chapter and Society issues, Student Members are eligible to vote only on the election of officers.

ARTICLE IV - ORGANIZATION

- Section 1. The Section is a subdivision of the Chapter, formed and operated by ASSE Student Members attending an educational institution located within the Chapter's geographical area.
- Section 2. The Section shall have and maintain a minimum of ten (10) members in order to maintain its charter.
- Section 3. In order to maintain its charter, the Section shall identify an advisor (defined in Article V, Sec. 3) and shall provide the Chapter and Society annually with information on the advisor's name, address and telephone number.
- Section 4. Formation and maintenance of the Section charter is based on requirements and guidelines set forth in the Chapter Administration Guide, and is subject to the approval of the Chapter and the appropriate ROC.
- Section 5. The Section may be dissolved by the Chapter and/or the ROC, if such action is deemed to be in the best interests of the Chapter and Society. Voluntary dissolution of the Section shall be by two-thirds of Section members after a 30-day advance written notice by the Section Executive Committee. Voluntary dissolution is subject to the approval of the Chapter and AOC (ROC). Upon dissolution, all Section funds and assets shall be returned to the Chapter, university, ASSE Foundation or other ASSE entity, depending on the funding source.
- Section 6. The Section fiscal year shall begin on July 1 and end June 30. The Section activity year shall begin on May 1 and end April 30.

ARTICLE V - OFFICERS

- Section 1. Elected Section officers shall be:
- a) President
 - b) Executive Vice-President
 - c) Vice President
 - d) Secretary
 - e) Treasurer
 - f) Recorder
- Section 2. Duties of officers:
- a) The President (Chairperson) shall call, set agendas for, and preside at meetings of the Executive Committee, and preside and set agendas for meetings of the Section membership; shall set goals and objectives for the Section and provide leadership,

guidance and direction to officers, committees and members to see that they are met; shall appoint members of the Nominating Committee; shall serve as chief spokesman and representative of the Section to the Chapter, Society and allied groups; and shall submit an annual report of Section activities to the Chapter and Society.

- b) The Executive Vice President shall succeed to the office of the President if the President is unable to serve; shall act for the President when requested to do so by the Executive Committee or members; and shall perform duties as requested by the President.
- c) The Vice President shall assist the Executive Vice-President and President and shall be in charge of Section projects and/or committees as requested by the President and shall report on project/committee progress to the President.
- d) The Secretary shall record, transcribe and distribute minutes of all Section meetings, prepare and distribute meeting notices, maintain all Section records and conduct Section membership development, retention activities, and communication under the supervision of the Executive Committee.
- e) The Treasurer shall collect and disburse all Section funds, maintain Section financial records including all income and expense activities, collect Section-generated membership fees and dues, handle all Section liaison with financial institutions, submit an annual report of all Section financial activities to the Executive Committee, and keep the Section and Chapter regularly informed as to the Section's financial status.
- f) The Recorder shall collect pictures and accounts of all Section activities for the purpose of writing and submitting the Outstanding Student Section Award petition for the Section.

Section 3. There shall be a Section advisor who shall be either:

- a) An ASSF member who is a faculty member of the university or
- b) A formally designated member of the Chapter in whose geographical area the Student Section's university is located.

The advisor shall be an ex-officio member of the Section Executive Committee, and shall serve as liaison between the Section, appropriate university officials, and the Chapter. The advisor shall approve Section activity and financial reports, fund-raising activities, and be consulted on all matters relating to

Section dues, fees and Bylaws. The advisor shall ensure that Section activities do not violate University rules and regulations governing on-campus clubs, groups and activities and Murray State University Guide for Student Organization Advisors shall be adhered to.

- c) The advisor will be selected by the Chair of the Occupational Safety and Health Department in consultation with the Section Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VI - COMMITTEES

- Section 1. Elected Section officers and the Section advisor shall make up the Executive Committee, which shall govern the Section according to these Bylaws and within the authority delegated to it by Section members.
- Section 2. The Section shall have an Officers Committee which will be composed of the elected officers and the advisor(s) for the purpose of developing a slate of Section officers annually for member election. They shall be charged with assuring that the best interests of the members is considered.
- Section 3. Other Section committees may be appointed by the Section President as appropriate, and led by the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VII - NOMINATION, ELECTION AND REMOVAL OF OFFICERS

- Section 1. The Nominating Committee shall be the Officers Committee and the President will serve as the Nominating Committee Chairperson or may appoint a chairperson.
- Section 2. The term of service for officers shall be for one year beginning May 1.
- Section 3. Individuals wishing to be considered for an office will submit a nominating petition, on the approved form, signed by any 7 Section members. The petition shall be accompanied by a written acceptance by the nominee(s) and shall be submitted to the Nominating Committee Chairperson no less than fifteen (15) days before the election is conducted.
- Section 4. The Section Advisor shall present the incoming Executive Officer Committee to the Section members at the March meeting.
- Section 5. All Section members shall be given the opportunity to vote on the election of officers, through written ballots distributed on campus and/or at a Section meeting.

- Section 6. Any officer, elected or appointed, if they miss four pre-designated executive, special or regular meetings shall be subject to dismissal and replacement by majority vote of the Officers Committee. Elected Section officers may be removed by majority vote of Section members at any regular or special meeting upon presentation of a signed petition from the Section Executive Committee or 15 Section members. Notification of such meeting shall be made to all members at least ten (10) days in advance of the meeting. Appointed Section officers may be removed by the Section Officers Committee.
- Section 7. Vacancies in elected Section offices occurring during the elected term shall be filled by majority vote of the Officers Committee designated in Art. VI. Vacancies may be filled by moving existing officers to new positions or by appointing a new individual. The Section members will be notified of the change at the next regularly scheduled meeting. When considering how to fill vacancies, the committee shall be charged with assuring that the best interests of the members and the Section is considered.

ARTICLE VIII - DUES AND FINANCES

- Section 1. Section members shall be assessed an annual student member renewal fee by the Society as determined by its Board of Directors. In addition, applicants for Student Membership may be assessed membership application fees as determined by the same Board. Fees shall be paid annually on the anniversary of the Student Member's election date.
- Section 2. The Section may assess its' members additional annual fees and dues, as set by the Section Executive Committee.
- Section 3. The Section Executive Committee, through the Section Treasurer, is responsible for all Section financial activities, under guidelines established by the Society, Chapter, these Bylaws, and the Section Executive Committee.
- Section 4. The Section shall provide an annual financial report to the Chapter, Regional Operating Committee and Society, describing all Section income and expense activities for the preceding twelve (12) months. This report shall be reviewed and signed by the Section Advisor and submitted to the Chapter by July 15.

ARTICLE IX – MEETINGS

- Section 1. The Section Executive Committee shall meet upon the call of the President or upon a majority vote of its members.
- Section 2. The Section shall hold at least two (2) meetings of its members annually, to acquaint them with its activities and conduct necessary

business. One-tenth of the Section members at a meeting shall constitute a quorum.

Section 3. Special meetings of Section members may be called by the Section Executive Committee or by written petition of fifteen (15) members, submitted to the Section President.

Section 4. Robert's Rules of Order Newly Revised shall govern the transactions of business at Section meetings, unless otherwise specified in these Bylaws

ARTICLE X - AMENDMENTS

Section 1. Amendments to these Bylaws may be proposed by the Section Executive Committee or by written petition of at least fifteen (15) members. Amendments proposed by members shall be presented to the Section Executive Committee.

Section 2. Amendments shall be published at least fifteen (15) days in advance of the meeting at which action will be taken on them.

Section 3. Amendments shall be voted on at a regular or special Section meeting where a quorum is present. A majority two-thirds affirmative vote is required for approval.

Section 4. All amendments approved by Section members are subject to approval of the Chapter Executive Committee and Regional Vice President.

Appendix D

Endorsement Letters

*Including Faculty Advisor Letter of Recommendation



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March 29, 2015

Awards Coordinator
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Dear Committee Members:

It is my pleasure to endorse the application from the Murray State University American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE) student section for consideration for the Outstanding Student Section Award. As Chair of the Department of Occupational Safety and Health, ASSE Purchase Area President and Faculty Advisor for the Murray State Student Section, I have had the opportunity to watch this outstanding student section develop and mature into a very active professional organization. This is an organization we are very fortunate to have as part of our department, university, as well as the community.

The leadership of the student executive officers has been outstanding. Their dedication and commitment to providing quality meetings and beneficial activities are directly responsible for the continued growth of this organization. The MSU/ASSE student section membership has brought in professional presenters, participated in recruiting and retention activities, assisted at the Kentucky Governor's Safety and Health Conference, and conducted numerous community and departmental services, in addition to conducting valuable research in the occupational safety and health field.

Each year I am amazed and impressed with the accomplishments and success of our ASSE student section. I am most proud of how these young professionals respond to challenges in the work environment. This year we have worked onboard aircraft carriers operating in the middle of the Pacific Ocean, over 165 internships in 35 states and 4 countries, and also in Argentina during our Study Abroad Program. Any one of these areas alone would be outstanding but added together in one year is remarkable. It is because of these real world successes, in my mind, that separates the Purchase Area ASSE student section from any other candidate for this year's award.

I have full confidence that they are an exceptionally deserving applicant and will be a credit to both the occupational safety and health profession and this award. In summary, I feel that the ASSE student section at Murray State University definitely deserves my highest endorsement. I wholeheartedly recommend them for the Outstanding Student Section Award. Please do not hesitate to contact me if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

Gary A. Morris, Ph.D., CSP
Chair, Department of Occupational Safety and Health
Murray State University
President, Purchase Area Chapter
Faculty Advisor, Murray State University ASSE Student Section

Equal education and employment opportunities M/F/D, AA employer

Jayne Hobson, MS, CSP, STS
1499 Steam Plant Road
Gallatin, TN 37066
March 23, 2015

American Society of Safety Engineers- Selection Committee
Outstanding Student Section
Selection Committee

Dear American Society of Safety Engineers- Selection Committee:

I am pleased to endorse Murray State University for the ASSE Outstanding Student Section of the Year Award. As a previous Student Section Member/President it is an honor to now nominate this chapter as an ASSE Professional Member and ASSE Foundation NextGen Board Member. I have worked with this chapter throughout the last year and have been awed by their leadership, growth and commitment to ASSE and the ASSE Foundation. I personally feel many professional chapters could learn from the structure and goals set forth by this student chapter. This team is continually striving for student chapter involvement and growth using a committee approach. The four committees are Community Service Committee, Fundraising Committee, Research Committee, and Social Committee.

Community service projects have included Trail of Treats for Murray and Callaway County where students contributed to a safe trick or treat night for young children. Instead of having the traditional trick or treating located in neighborhoods with busy roads, local business and organizations provided booths in the park for kids to collect candy. The student section also donated over 10 boxes to Operation Christmas Child and have participated in a monthly local Habitat for Humanity housing project for a family right here in Murray, KY.

Fundraising for the Student Section has included our main project of selling raffle tickets for a weekend deer hunt at Kentucky Trophy Deer. The winner will be provided housing and all the equipment for a weekend deer hunting trip valued at over \$5000. We also participated and donated over \$100 to the Ice Water Challenge.

Research for the Student Section includes participating in a five year industrial hygiene research project for the United States Navy through Murray State University. The study is to investigate a 24-hour time weighted average noise exposure for U.S. Navy sailors aboard the U.S.S Ronald Reagan Aircraft Carrier. Also students are currently structuring a survey to investigate the harmful effects of binge watching television shows on particular electronic devices.

American Society of Safety Engineers- Selection Committee

[Date]

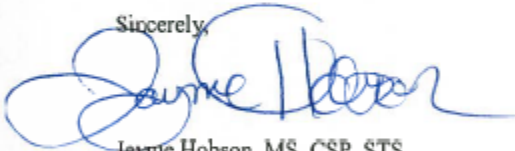
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Social activities include organizing a Spring welcome back event "The Welcome Back" which includes the cooking of deer and duck from student member hunting trips during Christmas break. Also the social committee has also been the leading group developing the support for the ASSE foundation "I Heart Safety" campaign.

This chapter's outreach does not stop in Murray, Ky. Last year alone the OSH students at Murray State were awarded over \$80,000 in scholarships. Scholarships they helped fundraise through their solicitation of donors for the ASSE Foundation Silent Auction and Golf Outing. The student section members took the fundraising a step further by visiting the donating vendors at last year's Professional Development Conference and personally thanking them for their donation and took photos at their booths. A level of class all philanthropic organizations should strive to reach.

Murray State University Student Section is creating a foundation that will not only prime members for professional memberships but leadership roles within the society. It only takes one visit to the campus of Murray State to see the difference this chapter has made and will continue to make for years to come.

Sincerely,



Jayme Hobson, MS, CSP, STS
AECOM-Engineering, Infrastructure and Construction
Power Division – Gallatin Clean Air
Deputy Safety and Health Manager
270-217-2768

Whom it may concern:

This communication is to provide a recommendation for the Murray State University Student Section of the American Society of Safety Engineers. I am very pleased and honored to provide this recommendation to this outstanding group of students and future leaders in our profession. We have a fairly long term relationship. I have participated and presented at a chapter meeting for more than 10 years as an employer and representative of ASSE Foundation & BCSP. I have also interfaced with them as a group and individually in my role as a member of the University Advisory Board for at least the same time. I have been impressed with the knowledge and volunteerism of this group. Fairly timely to this recommendation, a few weeks ago I was approached by chapter members to interface with some of our employees to assist in upgrading mobile technology devices to improve employee engagement in new worker orientations. This is very beneficial to have the tech savvy students assisting our folks to better address adult learners. Really a win/win situation for all. Additionally, my interaction with the chapter leadership at the Future Safety Leaders Conference and annual PDC has been stellar. They represent their school and our profession well. I wholeheartedly support the Murray State University ASSE Student Chapter to be recognized as the recipient of Outstanding Chapter Award.

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Dear Selection Committee:

It has been my privilege to work with members of our ASSE student organization. It is refreshing to meet with students who are organized and have planned in detail their needs before we meet. Their warm, cheerful attitudes always make it a pleasure to work with them, and it is nice for a student organization to promote and support other departments on campus.

The ASSE students are outstanding leaders of our campus community. They work on numerous projects to promote safety and involve the students around them. One of my favorite projects was the Halloween Trail of Treats. My children were drawn to them, and I could see that they had all the characteristics to represent the positive aspects of the safety field. They were actually teaching the children the safety of trick or treating!

It is an honor for me to endorse our ASSE chapter for the Outstanding Student Section Award. I feel they are a source of inspiration for all students and a model for other student organizations on campus. I would love to see them recognized for all the work they have done to promote a safe campus and community.

Christie Dudley

Christie Dudley, Assistant Director
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Murray State University
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March 31, 2015

Committee:

I write this missive on behalf of Murray State University's Occupational Safety and Health Department and its University Student Section of the American Society of Safety Engineers.

As a professor in the Department of Organizational Communication, I have enjoyed a relationship with MSU chapter of ASSE for eight years. One of my communication classes is an elective for the OSH department, and a number of OSH students take it each semester. This academic relationship has created other opportunities for me to serve their department, and the student organization ASSE.

With pride I can say that our university's chapters are represented by exceptional students. The students that I have come to know are focused, mature and genuinely interested in advancing the mission of their organization and promoting safety culture. In every interaction I've experienced a professional group of men and women who are active and interested in their discipline. I say this not only as an academician, but also as a past industrial trainer with 20 years' experience in process and safety training.

It is my belief that the work of our ASSE chapter and the quality of professionals that it develops, validates its candidacy as Outstanding Student Section Award. Thank you for your consideration.

In sincerity,

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Noise Exposure on CVNs During Maintenance Periods

The student section is currently participating in a five year industrial hygiene research project for the United States Navy through Murray State University. The study is to investigate a 24-hour time weighted average noise exposure for U.S. Navy sailors aboard the U.S.S Ronald Reagan Aircraft Carrier. The methods include students spending weeks at a time aboard the naval ship using 3M The Edge Eg 5 Noise Dosimeters and 3M Sound Level Meters to conduct noise exposure surveys. The students have participated in four monitoring trips to date. The next trip is scheduled for five students in late May. Students intend to present the research at Safety 2015. The abstract featured on the page directly following the Poster Session acceptance letter is part of a paper currently going through the publishing process for Professional Safety.



American Society of Safety Engineers * 520 N. Northwest Hwy. * Park Ridge, IL 60068

March 26, 2015

Gary A. Morris

Murray State University

157 Industry and Technology Center

Murray, KY 42071

Dear Gary.:

Congratulations! The American Society of Safety Engineers is happy to inform you that your Poster Session abstract submission listed below has been accepted for display at the Safety 2015 Professional Development Conference and Exposition (PDC). The conference will be held on June 7-10, 2015 at the Kay Bailey Hutchison Convention Center in Dallas, TX.

NOTE: Your poster display should be designed to fit one side of a standard bulletin board (4' x 8'). Attached is the Poster Session Setup and Participation information. Please take a few minutes to review the information.

Poster Abstract Number and Title: S104 *Noise Exposures on CVNs During Maintenance Periods*

As a 2015 Poster Presenter, you are eligible for \$100 discount of your PDC registration fee. To receive the discount:

1. Register online at <http://www.asse.org/safety-2015/> Proceed to the checkout page and enter the code **15PPD**.
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As a reminder, if you have not done so already, please book your hotel room. Go to www.safety2015.org and click on the Hotel & Travel tab.

Thank you for participating in ASSE's Poster Session Program. We hope that you reap many benefits for attending ASSE's Safety 2015 Professional Conference & Expo. We look forward to seeing you in Dallas!

Sincerely,

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David Natalizia
Chair, Professional Development Conference Planning Committee

Significant Noise Exposure to Sailors in US Navy Shipyards

Abstract

United States nuclear-powered aircraft carriers have a highly structured schedule that involves recurring periods of training, deployment, and maintenance. Noise-induced hearing loss (NIHL) is a significant problem among Sailors aboard these carriers due to the nature of ongoing shipboard operations and extended periods of exposure. This study aims to characterize Sailors' exposure to noise during all phases of carrier activity; in this phase of the study, noise exposures were collected during the carrier's maintenance period. Over half of the collected samples showed overexposure during relatively short time periods. Rehabilitation work involving the use of needle-guns was a significant contributor to the excessive noise doses. As maintenance work is scheduled months in advance of actual operations, the Navy's safety team should become involved in the scheduling of operations with potentially significant noise exposures to protect Sailors from overexposure and NIHL.

Global Thirst for Safety

PURPOSE

To compare the bourbon industry in Kentucky and the wine-making industry in Argentina to determine the similarities and differences in safety practices and the ways safety is regulated.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

The objective was to compare safety practices in distilleries in Louisville, Kentucky, and vineyards in Mendoza, Argentina. Through this it was hoped that there might be some exchange between practices in the two countries with the possibility of providing a program of safety management for the vineyards in Argentina.

ABSTRACT

A comparative study is being undertaken that is examining the safety practices in the bourbon industry in Kentucky and the wine industry in Argentina. The bourbon industry in Kentucky, which dates back to the first steam distillery being created in 1815, is now a \$3 billion industry, employing over 15,400 jobs. Overseen by the Kentucky Distillers' Association, it is a highly regulated industry that has numerous safety practices in place. By contrast, while they have been drinking wine in Argentina for many centuries, it is only more recently that Argentina has become one of the world's largest exporters of wine. Indeed, Argentina is the world's fifth producer of wine by volume, following France, Italy, Spain, and the United States. It hopes to increase its production and become a serious international competitor with large scale industry and modern methods. Therefore, we will be examining a very important industry within this country that employs many people, all of whom must be kept safe in the workplace.

Unfortunately, Argentinian safety practices lag behind as present wineries are expanding and new wineries are cropping up. Argentina has yet to develop standardized and enforced safety practices in their distilleries. To help meet this need, the Occupational Safety and Health

Department at Murray State University, under the leadership of Dr. Gary Morris, began developing a study during the fall semester of 2014 that first would look at safety practices in the bourbon industry of Kentucky and, during the January term of 2015, would travel to Mendoza, Argentina to visit a number of vineyards. Seven OSH students accompanied Dr. Morris on local visits both in Kentucky and in Argentina. In Kentucky, the students were able to observe the many safety hazards associated with the bourbon industry along with the safety regulations that were put in place. With this background in mind, they were able to see which safety practices were carried out in Argentina and which were not. It was noted that the Argentinian wine industry needs to develop well defined safety practices.

METHODS

The methodology included becoming familiar with the literature already available on safety practices in distilleries and hands-on visits to distilleries in Kentucky and vineyards in Mendoza, Argentina, as well as interviews with workers.

CONTENT

The final project will include a detailed summary of findings, which also will include photographs, and recommendations.

RESULTS

In the United States we identify, evaluate, and control possible hazards; whereas, in Argentina, this is not being done. A hazard is only realized at the vineyards in Argentina after an accident occurs. If a person gets injured, they avoid doing the same thing instead of fixing the problem. They control awareness by putting up signs related to a small number of potential hazards, not by changing the methods by which work is done. There is a strong need for safety regulations to be put in place in vineyards in Argentina.

CONCLUSIONS

Workers are at risk of accidents and injuries in vineyards. As Argentina continues to expand and compete globally with its wine-making industry, it must take seriously developing and enforcing practices that will keep workers safe from accidents and injuries. Safety regulations need to be developed and put in place so that hazards can be identified, evaluated, and controlled to prevent employees from getting hurt.

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Streamed Television on Electronic Devices

Abstract

Streaming television is becoming increasingly popular, especially among college students. We compared three different categories: the amount of time spent watching streamed television, the type of electronic device used, and the position in which you are in the most, to the level of discomfort experienced. We conducted a survey among the students of Murray State University and received 182 completed surveys. We ran an ANOVA: Single factor statistical analysis and found that, 80% of the total variability is explained by the type of the electronic device used. Our data showed that the strongest correlation was between type of electronic device used and level of discomfort.

Streamed Television on Electronic Devices

Age: _____

Sex: _____

Class: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior Non-Traditional Graduate

How many hours do you watch streamed television per week?

0 1-5hrs 6-10hrs 11-15hrs 16-20hrs 21-30hrs +31hrs

What is the primary electronic device you use when streaming television?

Smartphone Tablet Laptop Desktop Television

Do you binge watch television?

Yes No

Which do you generally watch more of?

Movies Television Series Other _____ (please briefly explain)

Pick the position you most frequently use when streaming television on your primary electronic device:



Upright



Slouched



Looking Up



Reclining



Sitting/ Laying

Lying Down

OTHER POSITION

_____ (Explain)

Please circle the score which you feel best describes your level of comfort for each body:

	😊					☹️
Neck	1	2	3	4	5	
Back	1	2	3	4	5	
Shoulders	1	2	3	4	5	
Wrists/ Hands	1	2	3	4	5	

After Streaming Television are your eyes dried or fatigued?

Yes

No

If yes how frequently are your eyes dried or fatigued?

Very Often

Often

Sometimes

Rarely

Never

Actual Script Used

Hello,

My name is _____, I am with the Occupational Safety and Health department. We were just wondering if you would be willing to take a quick survey on streamed television on electronic devices. This survey is completely voluntary and anonymous and will only take about 2 minutes of your time. We are trying to see if there could be any potential adverse effects with watching streamed television. Would you be interested in participating?

* This project was approved by Murray State University's Institutional Review Board, and everyone who handed out surveys participated received training through the Collaborative Institutional Training Initiative.

Tablet Project

As safety increases and technology broadens, many are looking for ways to develop and create new devices to make the job more effective and efficient. We would like to help safety professionals maintain, analyze, and evaluate safety constraints through a tablet device. The device used in our study will consist of many applications to determine qualitative and quantitative safety measures, make trainings and safety meetings more effective, and create more efficient audit templates. Doing this will give safety professionals access to a multitude of information while increasing the ability to stay organized.

The study was initiated by an AECOM, a Fortune 500 construction company, with the goal of finding more uses for android tablets in safety training environments. The assignment was presented to the ASSE student section at Murray State University, and a team to head the project was developed. The tablet team conducted research on visual and interactive training aids, developed software applications for use in android devices, and worked in unison with a major software developing company on creating interactive safety training games. The project started as a simple task but thanks to the creativity and ingenuity of the ASSE student section it has now evolved into a research and development intensive assignment that could ignite a new era in safety training. The project is still on going and will be passed on to next year's Student Section to further research and conduct detailed studies on the use of interactive training software in tablet devices. They hope to publish an article in the Professional Safety Journal with their results.

Appendix F

Community Involvement Scrapbook

KY Trophy Deer Hunt Raffle

Every member helped to sell tickets in the Deer Hunt Raffle. Many of the tickets sold will be named in honor of wounded veterans with hopes that it can become an annual gift to some of our nation's heroes.



Trail of Treats



Candy



Safety Tips



Fun



Face Painting

The perfect opportunity to get to know one another while serving the community. Throughout the night, fifteen to twenty ASSE members manned the booth at a time.

Operation Christmas Child

National

Samaritan's Purse is an evangelical Christian humanitarian organization that provides aid to people in physical need as a key part of Christian missionary work. Students were encouraged to create a shoebox sized present full of small toys, school supplies, personal hygiene supplies, and other fun things to be donated to children in need at Christmas; through Operation Christmas Child project. The boxes donated were assembled by the students; they chose between a boy and girl and then determined the age group. These boxes were sent to the Atlanta distribution center to then be sent to areas such as Jamaica, Mali, South Sudan, Burundi, and the Congo.

*There is a thank you letter from Need Line on the following page of the Appendix for our donation.

Local

Need Line is a non-profit local organization in Murray, KY and serves the purpose to give assistance to those in need in the area. Our section took the idea of Operation Christmas Child project and carried it over to help our community locally. Shoebox sized gifts were assembled for boys and girls of various ages full of small toys, school supplies, personal hygiene supplies, and other fun things.



Construction Career Fair



The Expo center in Murray hosted a Construction Career Fair where students and community members could attend and visualize various opportunities in the construction field. Companies who rent equipment, local farmers, and others involved in this field displayed their equipment and company for those participating to enjoy. Our student section set up an ASSE booth to display Murray State University, Occupational Safety and Health, as well as our ASSE student section and answered any questions related or involving construction.

Need Line

"A Church and Community Cooperative Ministry"



509 North 8th Street

Murray Kentucky 42071

270-753-NEED (6333)

1/6/2015

Dear Friends,

It is hard to believe that yet another year is upon us. As we start this New Year I would like to express my sincere gratitude for all you have done and are doing on behalf of Need Line to make a difference in our community.

Need Line has a rich history of serving others, founded on God's Word: "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink, I was a stranger and you welcomed me, I was naked and you clothed me, I was sick and you visited me, I was in prison and you came to me... Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me" (Matt 25:35-37, 40).

After forty years Need Line continues to serve those who are in crisis. Whether due to unemployment, underemployment, sudden personal crisis or other extenuating circumstances, Need Line is a source of refuge in the storms of life providing assistance with mortgage and rent payments, utility bills, food, homelessness, pharmaceuticals, medical travel and many other types of assistance. NL continues to be a ray of hope because of people like you who freely give their money, time and effort to help those in need.

You represent Need Line very well and the board of directors, staff and I are proud and honored to have the opportunity to work alongside you. For all your donations, time, effort, hard work, and prayers, please accept our sincere thanks and appreciation. I pray you have a magnificent New Year!

Sincerely,


Tonia Casey
Executive Director



Calloway County Safety Days

The local Expo Center in town hosted "Safety Days" on November 10th, 12th, and 13th where local elementary through high school aged children came and had an informational day. Our student section set up a booth focusing on agricultural disabilities. We had obstacles set up for the students to experience blindness and paralysis. We set up an obstacle course for students to pair up, one blindfolded, and the other guiding them by voice through the cones. Paralysis was simulated by the student sitting in a wheelchair with their legs tied in a bandana, they then had to wheel to a lawn mower and get onto the machine. This activity allowed the students to experience the complications of disability and how one can overcome the struggles associated with being disabled.



Habitat for Humanity

ASSE Members partnered with the Student Construction Association of Murray State University on multiple occasions to help make a dream come true for a member of the Murray community. From putting up siding to painting the interior of the home, students were given the opportunity to be exposed to a construction environment while simultaneously providing a roof over the head of a deserving family.



Ice Bucket Challenge



2014 Talon Falls 5K Zombie Mud Run

"I'm Layne Hardison and I ❤️ Safety because it kept me from becoming a real life zombie."



Located in Paducah, Kentucky, the mud run consisted of a series of man-made obstacles that each runner had to complete in order to move through the course. Included in the mud were "flesh eating zombies" that attempted to "infect" each runner by grabbing their flags attached to their belts. The objective of the event was to complete the course as quickly as possible, working individually or with a team, without losing a flag to the zombies. The event exhibited health promotion as an essential role in an effective safety and health program.

K-12 Connect Day



This semester a group of fifty-five 8th grade students from Olmstead, KY visited Murray State University for a tour of the OSH department. There were three stops on each tour: the training center, the emergency medical lab, and the ergonomics lab. At each stop student members spoke about their personal experiences as safety professionals, the benefits of being in ASSE, different career opportunities in the safety field, and the outstanding safety program at Murray State.

A Taste of Africa

Student Section members were able to immerse themselves in African culture through traditional African foods, music, and dance performances and a fashion show put on by the African Student Organization.



Holi One

The Indian Student Association hosted the festival of colors. This is called Holi One, and it is a national holiday for Indian people. Two ASSE members, Allison France and Meagan Moffat, celebrated this holiday with Dr. Shah, an Occupational Safety and Health professor at Murray State. At Holi One colors are thrown in the air and on each other to signify ridding one of past errors and ending conflicts by meeting others as a day to forget and forgive. Holi also marks the start of spring and for many the start of a new year.

2014 MSU Campus Fire Safety Days



A few of the ASSE members waiting for Fire Extinguisher Training.

Josh Reed nailing a target with a fire hose.



Professional Trainings



Appendix G

Support of the ASSE Foundation

Future Safety Leaders Conference

MSU ASSE Student Section Officers



Dawson Montfort in a Teamwork Exercise



Check out the Future Safety Leaders 2014 Video featuring one of MSU's officers at <https://vimeo.com/111892678>

I Safety Campaign



Appendix H

Recognition

Rho Sigma Kappa Honors Night



New Inductees

Current Members



Who's Who Among Students In American University's and Colleges



James Nance, Josh Reed, and Cody Sieben

Appendix I

Student Participation


Percentage of Section Members in Attendance

Meeting Date	Topic	Speaker	#/Percentage of Section Members in Attendance
9/11/2014	Safety Superheroes	Mr. Mickey Miller	50/ 29.59%
9/25/2014	The Petroleum Industry	Marathon Petroleum	60/ 35.50%
10/16/2014	Brown-Foreman Tour*	Tour Guide	11/ 6.51%
10/17/2014	Brown-Foreman Tour*	Tour Guide	10/ 5.92%
10/23/2014	International Safety	Dr. Dilip Shah	37/ 21.89%
11/19/2014	Risk Assessment	Dr. Scott Dotson	26/ 15.38%
12/29/2014	Bodega Don Bosco Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
12/30/2014	Bodega Trapiche Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
1/2/2015	Bodega Tempus Alba Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
1/3/2015	Bodega Finca Propia Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
1/5/2014	National Institute Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
1/5/2014	Dominio Del Plata Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
1/7/2015	Bodega Familia Zuccardi Tour*	Tour Guide	7/ 4.14%
2/26/2015	Plastics and Innovation	Greg Jones	33/ 19.53%
9/09/2015	Welcome Back Cookout	Lead: Josh Reed	>60/ >35.50%
2/05/2015	Wild Welcome Back Event	Lead: Josh Reed	25/ 14.79%
3/26/2015	Motivation for Life	Mr. Jan Stowe	23/ 13.61%

*Space on the Tours was limited. Not everyone wishing to attend was able to participate.

Appendix I

Other Support Documentation




ASSE MEETING

Wednesday, November 19

4:45pm

OSH Training Center



ASSE

Guest Speaker: Dr. Scott Dotson

Dr. Scott Dotson is an industrial hygienist with NIOSH. His current responsibilities focus on conducting research focus on the development and implementation of scientific-decision making strategies for the assignment of skin notations and acute inhalation exposure guidelines. He obtained a PhD in toxicology and risk assessment from the University of South Florida and an MSc in occupational safety and health/industrial hygiene from Murray State University. Dr. Dotson is a CIH, assistant coordinator of the NIOSH Dermal Cross Sector Program, and vice chair of the AIHA® Risk Assessment Committee.



OSH



WELCOME BACK
Cookout

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9
11:30-1:00



OSH Group Picture
12:20

ASSE STUDENT EVENT

Presenting: Mickey Miller

“Safety Superheroes”

- September 11, 4:45pm
- OSH Training Center

After this event our ASSE officers will participate in the Ice Bucket Challenge! All profits raised will directly benefit the ALS foundation for Life. Donations greatly appreciated!



\$10

\$10

KY Trophy Deer Hunt Raffle

Sponsored by Murray State ASSE

\$4000 Value!!!



\$4000 Value!!!

Prize includes three full days of hunting, lodging on site, home cooked meals, one on one guide, NO license required, NO hidden trophy fees, onsite game processing equipped with a walk-in cooler and the hunting experience of a lifetime!!!

<http://www.facebook.com/MurrayStateASSE.com>

<http://www.kentuckytrophydeer.com>

For more information, contact Gary Morris at 270-809- 6654

\$10

\$10

Detach and return with cash (or check if mailed) to be entered in the raffle
Visit our Facebook page for instructions to purchase online using PayPal! www.Facebook.com/MurrayStateASSE

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

Sold by _____

(ASSE Student Member Name)

For mail-in raffle submissions, please mail to: Dr. Gary Morris, 157 Industrial and Technology Ctr, Murray, KY 42071
Raffle tickets are \$10 each and count as one chance in the raffle

A.S.S.E Polo Order Form



A.S.S.E.



* Orders must be received by October 1st

Women Sizes \$35

Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X-Large _____ 2XL _____

Total \$ _____

(Please indicate number of each size)

Men Sizes \$35

Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X-Large _____ 2XL _____

Total \$ _____

(Please indicate number of each size)

- Make checks payable to: Murray State ASSE
- Give form with check or cash to Dr. Morris
 - Office Location: 157B IT
- Contact ASSE Student Section President Josh Reed if you have any questions
 - jreed15@murraystate.edu

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Name

Address, including city and zip

Email Address

Phone

A.S.S.E Pullover Order Form



A.S.S.E.



* Orders must be received by October 1st.

Women Sizes \$45

Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X-Large _____ 2XL _____

Total \$ _____

(Please indicate number of each size)

Men Sizes \$45

Small _____ Medium _____ Large _____ X-Large _____ 2XL _____

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(Please indicate number of each size)

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