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## President's Message: Donald Taylor, CPD, GPD



**H**ello Houston ASPE members.

I hope all is well with each of you and your families. I know it is pretty exciting around here for me during this time. Hot-

umn is here now. Unlike the 100 degree summers, we are in the 90's; however, we have been getting these cold fronts dipping down into the 80's. Time to bring out the coats. Halloween is here which means Halloween parties, some dress up, some not, some dressing up at parties that are not dress up parties and being the only one dressed up. My daughter's birthday is on Halloween so Happy Birthday to all the Halloween babies out there. How about those Astros? They gave us a heck of a season. I am proud to be an Astros fan and look forward to see what they bring next year. This is the first year my wife got excited about baseball.

For those of you that could not make the October general meeting, we have a special treat for everyone. Save the date for December 12<sup>th</sup>. This will be our general meeting/ Christmas party and will be in the evening. We will have a special guest from NASA attending and presenting. We cannot give all the details at this time for legal reasons; however, it is for sure to be very interesting. We will give you full details once we are allowed. You and 1 guest is invited and

the event will be held at HESS.

We are still looking for ideas for someone to host a plant tour that we plan every January. For you manufacturer's out there, this is a great time to have our members come and see how your products are made. If you are interested in hosting this event, please reach out to me or VP Tech, Jeremy Charmchizadeh, so we can get you on the calendar. It is never to early to start thinking about celebrating World Plumbing Day on March 11<sup>th</sup>. World Plumbing Day is a day people from within and outside the plumbing industry come together to learn, share knowledge, build connections through celebrations, competitions, seminars and activities all around the world. Houston is a major ASPE chapter and we have a lot of resources. Let's get more involved.

For you WOA and AYP members, Joe Brewer and Krista Villanueva have entertaining events coming up. They are still working out some details and this is a great way to network with others in the industry and have fun doing it. For those of you that are not members of these groups, reach out to others in the office who you think would benefit and have them join.

I hope to see everyone and our next meeting November 6<sup>th</sup>. Stay safe!

## Meeting notice

HESS Club

November 6

Registration opens at 11:00 am

Meeting 11:30 to 1:00

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November is here and that means turkey, turkey, and more plumbing! Plus the weather is changing and it's getting cooler so hopefully everybody is turning off those A/C units and opening up the windows.

Also in November is a great presentation on **high purity water systems**. Hopefully this presentation can supplement the great technical seminars that Houston Chapter members gained from the Technical Symposium a few short weeks ago!

Going from the past to the future – everyone should SAVE THE DATE for our December chapter dinner. The date is Thursday, December 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 and I can assure you it will be

out-of-this-world! Also on the horizon is the Chapter's next WOA event. Talk on the town is you can learn self-defense while drinking wine. I don't know about you, but that sounds like a win-win to me.

**Lastly, be sure to come to the chapter meeting a little early. We'll be having a 15-20 minute focus group on the upcoming Revit Training Workshop the chapter will be putting on.** This will give all of you who have emailed us with great interest the opportunity to better speak and discuss about what you want. With that.

I'll say adieu and see you all at the next Chapter Meeting!



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## VP Membership: Christopher Ennis, CET



Fall is here, finally!! Check out these coooooooool mornings and sunny afternoons!! I can almost smell those fried turkeys. The holidays will be here before we know it. Hope you're ready! We at ASPE plan on finishing out 2019 strong, mark your calendars for then evening of **December 12, 2019!**

### GO HOUSTON ASTROS!!

#### WELCOME NEW HOUSTON MEMBER

Alexander Mavridis – Salas O'Brien Houston, Texas

Membership delinquent list: If you are on this list, or know you haven't paid your annual dues get ready to receive a phone call from one of the Board members or at least an email. We don't want to see you go!! If there is an administration problem with the National office let us know and we'll help facilitate straightening that up. If there is a financial issue, please contact me.

See you in November. Think DOOR PRIZES!!!!!!

Please remember if any of your pertinent information has changed that it is **your** responsibility to notify ASPE National and The Houston Chapter. You'll want to do this in order to remain on our mailing list. If you need help, please contact me. [C.Ennis@fireDSI.com](mailto:C.Ennis@fireDSI.com)



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1	2977	Lucia	Spak	9/4/1975
2	5384	Ronald	Brown	10/25/1979
3	5407	John	Moehring	11/7/1979
4	6712	Cyril	Unger	10/13/1981
5	7004	Kenneth	Kilgore	3/4/1982
6	7376	William	Powell	9/27/1982
7	7380	Kenneth	Gau	9/24/1982
8	7907	John	Garner	7/15/1983
9	9204	Mary	Phelps	1/17/1985
10	9253	Chuck	Baumgarten	2/19/1985
11	9676	Roger	Clemes	7/26/1985
12	10499	Christopher	Ennis	7/21/1986
13	10626	Richard	Merz	9/23/1986
14	10665	Robert	Cross	10/15/1986
15	10712	Craig	Stephen	11/3/1986
16	12266	Pamela	Best	10/26/1988
17	12545	Michael	LeBlanc	1/21/2014
18	12766	James	Buckley	5/24/1989
19	12923	Elbert	McKinlay	7/20/1989
20	13071	Gary	Wylie	9/19/1989
21	13093	Patrick	Powell	9/29/1989
22	13320	Joseph	Kapaun	12/22/1989
23	13373	Lynn	Gibbs	1/8/1990
24	13623	Doug	Meyer	4/13/1990
25	14841	Donelle	Gull	4/30/2008
26	15530	Victor	Schneider	11/30/1992
27	15874	Steven	Aytes	5/26/1993
28	16035	Bryan	Thomas	7/16/2007
29	16038	Kim	Gaskey	9/13/1993
30	16068	Robert	Morales	9/27/1993
31	16357	Robert	Diaz	3/23/1994
32	16381	Jeff	Miller	3/28/1994
33	16488	David	Cropper	5/31/1994
34	16580	Jim	Ivey	7/31/1994
35	16613	Sheryl	Herr	2/4/2019
36	16813	Carl	Crow	12/13/2018
37	16918	Michael	Green	1/19/1995
38	17201	William	Tower	5/25/1995
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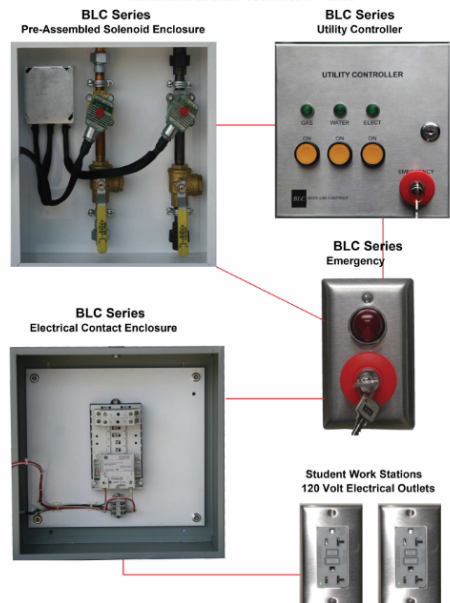
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# NOVEMBER CALENDAR

1st	Aldegundo Plata	Birthday
6th	Monthly Meeting	HESS Club
8th	BOD Meeting	Pappadeaux's
8th	Kathryn Watson	Birthday
9th	Alfred Mazzocchi	Birthday
14th	Larry Flauteros	Birthday
19th	Daniel Leos	Birthday
22nd	Zed Hernandez	Birthday
22nd	Tyler Herring, PE	Birthday
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