President’s Corner

First off I just wanted to say thank you again to everyone that participated in our 19th Annual Education and Mentoring Golf Tournament. It was a great event and I really appreciate the turn out. I especially want to thank all of our sponsors and those that donated items: Clark-Nexsen, New South Construction, Flint Energies, Geosyntec Consultants, Pond-Raymond Engineering Joint Venture, Top Gun Contracting, Test America, Georgia Power, Southern Charm General Store, Merrick, Benham/Haskell, Metro Power, and Schneider Electric. The tournament simply could not work without all of our sponsors and donors. Another big thanks goes to our volunteers that helped out on the day.

I promise that our SAME Robins AFB Post elections will not be as stressful as the other elections going on, but YES it is almost Post election time! We will be looking for leadership in every one of our positions. We have a number of people who have held leadership positions for a number of years that may remain, some may rotate to a new position, and some may rotate off all together. We have a great deal of opportunities coming up and WE REALLY NEED YOUR TALENT AND EXPERIENCE to make our Post even more productive than before. Any of the Directors and Officers listed in the back of this Flyer would be glad to talk with you about what they do. It has been said that “many hands make light work” and the same is true when it comes to running a volunteer organization like ours. So join us!

Thanks,
Mike Coats

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Meeting Time and Location Change!

We typically have our general meetings on the third Wednesday of the month but for November, we will be holding our meeting on **Monday, November 14th**. The meeting location has changed as well as we will be having a joint meeting with our Student Chapter group at Mercer University.

The meeting will be held the School of Engineering building at Mercer University, Room 210 from 12:15 to 1:45 PM. Lunch will be provided as well so if you plan on attending, please go to: [http://doodle.com/poll/eg7czhwxhakgaw2v](http://doodle.com/poll/eg7czhwxhakgaw2v) to RSVP by **10 November**. We'll see you there!

Upcoming Events: Things to do


Go Baby Go! Build Weekend: 2-3 December at Mercer University. The Student Chapter is asking for volunteers that would like to assist engineering students with building retrofitted toy cars for kids with limited mobility. Event will start on 02 December (3-6 PM) and continue on 03 December (10AM—4PM). For more information on this wonderful initiative, please visit: [http://sites.udel.edu/gobabygo/](http://sites.udel.edu/gobabygo/).

For more events, please see page 3.
Created by Drs. James Galloway and Sam Logan of the University of Delaware, the Go Baby Go initiative is a program that provides mobility to children with cognitive or physical disabilities by giving them retrofitted toy cars that they can operate themselves. This allows these children to have the ability to move and interact with their environment which so critical for their mental and physical development as they grow. Motorized wheelchairs are extremely pricey and most cannot accommodate very young children (typically reserved by kids above the age three) and so, the retrofitted toy cars are a great alternative to enable children to form a sense of independence while developing their social skills simply because they are able to play with their peers.

The Go Baby Go initiative has spread across multiple universities and communities nationwide and the Engineering Honor Society at Mercer University will be partnering with the Robins SAME Post Student Chapter and other local organizations for the first Go Baby Go workshop in Georgia.

To hear more about this program, Dr. McCreanor of Mercer University will be giving a presentation at our joint meeting scheduled for Monday, 14 November. There is also a call for volunteers who would like to help with the building of these cars at the workshop scheduled for 2-3 December (see the events section for more details). To learn more about the original Go Baby Go initiative, please visit: http://sites.udel.edu/gobabygo/.

At GoBabyGo! we are committed to a single, urgent vision: All people exploring their world via independent mobility!
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