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**The 2010 Southeastern Chapter Fall Conference
November 4-6 in Asheville, North Carolina
Don't miss it!**



Southeastern Chapter Board of Directors to Meet Soon!

The Southeastern Chapter Board of Directors will meet in conjunction with the annual Fall Conference to be held at the Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa.

Do you have any business that should come before the board? If so, please contact the chapter office right away so that your matter can be added to the agenda.



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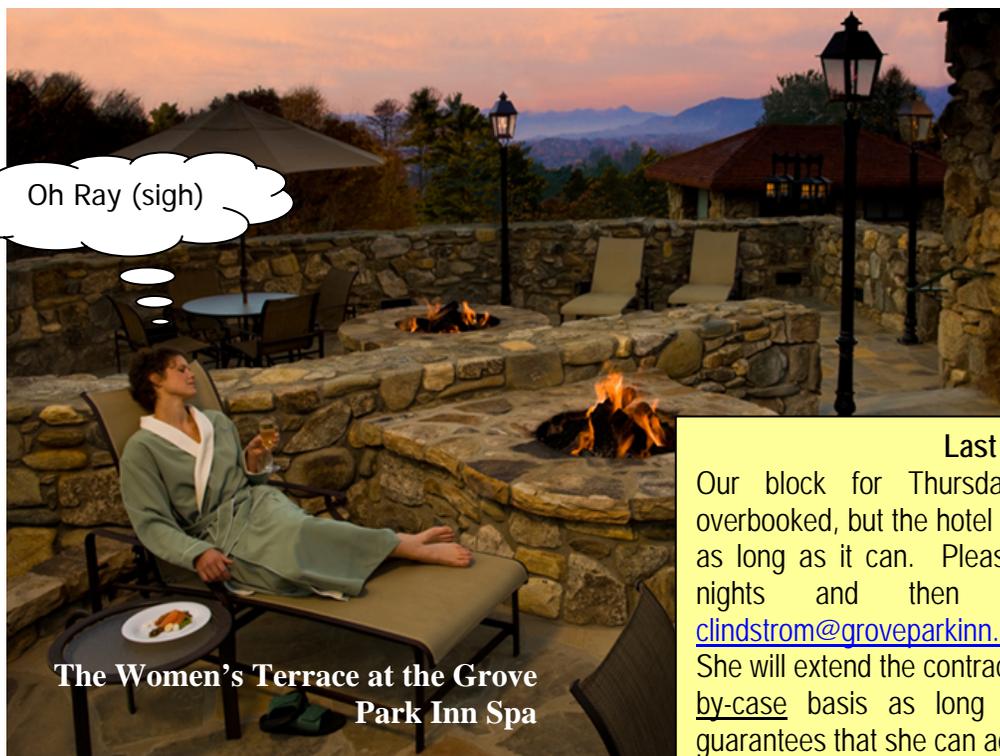
Sold Out!

Inn Resort & Spa have already been reserved—as of this writing, mostly by people who still haven't registered for the conference. *Please* do not wait until the last minute to reserve your room. Once our block is sold out the hotel may not be able to extend our contract price to you, or worse, you may be unable to get a room at all. *And please* do not wait until the last minute to

ALMOST ALL

Yes, it's true. ~~More than 75%~~ of the room nights blocked for our 2010 Fall Conference at the beautiful Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa have already been reserved—as of this writing, mostly by people who still haven't registered for the conference. *Please* do not wait until the last minute to reserve your room. Once our block is sold out the hotel may not be able to extend our contract price to you, or worse, you may be unable to get a room at all. *And please* do not wait until the last minute to register for the conference. When we do not know how many to expect it makes it very hard to plan meeting space and banquets, and to contract for tours and other events. Help us make this conference a success by sending in your registration now.

Oh Ray (sigh)



The Women's Terrace at the Grove Park Inn Spa

Last Minute News!

Our block for Thursday is SOLD OUT and already overbooked, but the hotel will extend our contracted room rate as long as it can. Please make your reservation for other nights and then email Carol Lindstrom at clindstrom@groveparkinn.com with your confirmation number. She will extend the contract room rate for Thursday on a case-by-case basis as long as possible. But there are no guarantees that she can accommodate you now.



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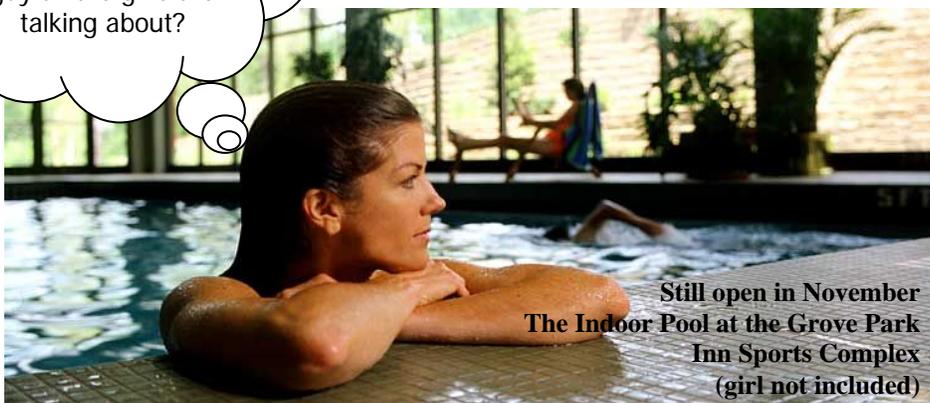
Insuring Your Success

It's not a misspelling ... just a bad pun. One way you "ensure" that you are successful is to mitigate risk through insurance. In 2009 the chapter Board of Directors approved an insurance program offered by Harleysville Insurance, through Jay Spearman of Cameron and Barkley. Harleysville has been writing policies for the electric motor repair industry for many years. They are familiar with our line of work and want to expand their business in our industry. This program, of course, is entirely voluntary and may not be a perfect fit for every member, but it has a lot to offer and you owe it to your business to give it a look. As a part of our managerial program at the 2010 Fall Conference, Jay will present more information about this program, answer your questions and twist your arm to make you sign up. No wait, I'm just kidding about the arm-twisting!

Shop managers,

you definitely don't want to miss the opportunity for your personnel to attend the technical seminars on Friday. This will be very informative for your workers who use these items on a daily basis. They've probably had questions about them or the apparatus in which they are installed, and they may have even asked you. Take advantage of the opportunity to have those questions answered by the manufacturer's experts. There will even be some hands-on demonstrations so they will be able to watch and hear instruction. I look forward to seeing you there!

Chris Raines
Chapter Vice President
Technical Training Committee



Still open in November
The Indoor Pool at the Grove Park
Inn Sports Complex
(girl not included)

Years of Service Awards

The following Southeastern Chapter members are eligible for awards honoring their years of service in the electrical apparatus repair industry. We will be happy and proud to present these awards to their representatives at the 2010 Fall Conference.

75 Years of Service

Florence Electric & Rewinding Inc. Florence, SC

60 Years of Service

Blue Ridge Electric Service Winchester, VA
Hialeah Electric Motor Repair Hialeah, FL
Kingston Armature Dynamo Works Ltd. Kingston, Jamaica
Florida Bearings Inc. Orlando, FL

50 Years of Service

Electric Motor & Contracting Co. Inc. Chesapeake, VA
Electric Motor & Contracting Co. Inc. Courtland, VA
Wye Electric Dorado, PR

40 Years of Service

Carolinas Electric Motor Service Dallas, NC
Bay Armature & Supply Co. Tampa, FL

25 Years of Service

Sanders Electric Motor Service Inc. Lenoir, NC
Southland Electrical Supply Burlington, NC
Surry Electric Motor & Controls Inc. Mount Airy, NC
United Industrial Services of VA Inc. Rick Creek, VA

Do you know of another chapter member that is eligible for a "Years of Service" award, but is not listed here? How about an individual who has passed a milestone of years of service to our industry in 2010? Please contact the chapter office so that we can honor them also.

Annual Chapter Business Meeting

The Chapter's Annual Business Meeting will be held in conjunction with our Fall Conference in Asheville, North Carolina. Please join us as we consider the following business:

- The annual financial report
- The annual membership report
- Any other business that may properly be brought before the meeting.