The American Society of Safety Professionals Oklahoma City Chapter

# **SAFETY MATTERS**

President's Message



September 2018 Our 67th Year

Welcome to the 2018-2019 Chapter Year!

I am very excited to start a new chapter year with Oklahoma City ASSP. We had a very successful chapter year in 2017-2018 earning the **Platinum Level Status** for the 3<sup>rd</sup> consecutive year! This is a great accomplishment, it has set the Oklahoma City Chapter apart from other chapters in Region 3 and across the nation as well.

I would like to thank Paul Turner for his service and leadership in making the previous 2 years a success; as he stepped up and shouldered many tasks during his President-Elect term and continued his great efforts throughout his term as President. Thank you Paul!

We have a great year planned out, starting out with some great technical meetings and we even have the Society President Rixio Medina coming to speak at the joint meeting with the Tulsa Chapter and the Students at OSU in November. As always we will have the Sporting Clay shoot in November and Toys for Tots in December. Be looking for some new social events to come in 2019 as we look to engage our membership in new ways. So, I look forward to see you at a chapter meeting or at one of our events!

Thank You, Cody Vinyard, CSP



Cody Vinyard, CSP Sr. Safety Professional, OG&E

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#### **ASSP-OKC**

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# **SPORTING CLAY**

### Registration starts at 8:30 am Shooting starts at 9:30am Pancake Breakfast and Fish Fry Lunch Provided

WHEN: November 9, 2018 WHERE:

Quail Ridge Sporting Clays

2401 S. McLoud Rd (Hwy 102 North) McLoud, OK 74851

WHO: Singles and Groups of four

Open to the Public (100 Shots!!!) shot size to 7.5, or 8 (1 to 1 1/80z)

COST: \$85 per shooter / \$340 for 4-person Team

Team golf carts available in limited quantities (\$50 per team), Must

reserve when registering!

(Register at website and pay with Pay Pal, PO, Check or Cash)

**Raffles to include Firearms, Coolers, etc.** 



Visit our website for additional information: http://okc.assp.org/ or call Cody Vinyard 405-850-1701

# **SPORTING CLAY SHOOT**

#### **Sponsor Invitation**

Join us for an exciting day filled with safety and networking at our 10th annual Sporting Clay Shoot on **Friday, November 9, 2018**! The event will be held at Quail Ridge Sporting Clays (2401 S. Mcloud Rd. Mcloud, OK 74851).

#### **Event Highlights**

- Breakfast networking
- Lunch
- Afternoon networking
- Gun Raffle
- Other Events to come

#### **Event Sponsorship Opportunities**

Interested in promoting your company/services further? What about sponsoring a networking break, event, or the lunch and speaker?

Get your sponsorship for the Sporting Clay Event in early so you can make the most of your marketing dollars! Early sponsors will be listed in all marketing material, on the ASSP OKC website and newsletter, and as a 2018 Sporting Clay sponsor. All sponsors will be promoted during and after the event!

#### We are looking for the following "BORE" Level Sponsors:

- Cylinder Choke Sponsor \$300
- Skeet Choke Sponsor \$500
- Improved Choke Sponsor \$1000
- Modified Choke Sponsor- \$1500
- Full Choke Sponsor \$2000 (one team included with sponsorship)

We will have goody bags so we can distribute your promotional items.

#### **Event Contact Information**

Name: Mark Huddleston, CSP- OG&E Phone: (405) 538-9211 Email: <u>huddleml@oge.com</u> Name: Cody Vinyard, CSP- OG&E Phone: 405-850-1701 Email: <u>vinyarcd@oge.com</u>

#### ASSP-OKC Chapter Meeting Schedule for 2018-2019!

Date	Location
9/14/18	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 B, 11:30am-1:00pm
10/12/18	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
11/7/18	Joint Meeting with Tulsa Chapter @ OSU Campus 7:00pm
12/14/18	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
1/11/19	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
2/8/19	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
4/12/19	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
5/10/19	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm
6/14/19	FTTC Reno Campus Room A1020 A, 11:30am-1:00pm



ASSP—OKC Chapter Scholarship Application Due December 1st Scholarship awards are for University of Central Oklahoma students majoring in occupational safety, health, and the environment.

Applications are accepted through December 1 every year and must be submitted online. After applications are reviewed by the Foundation's Scholarship Award & Selection Committee, awards are disbursed to recipients the following April.

Scholarship recipients are selected by the ASSP Foundation Scholarship Selection Committee, not members of the ASSP OKC Chapter.

The following prerequisites are necessary to apply for a scholarship:

- $\cdot$  Transcripts from every university you have attended
- · Academic letter of recommendation
- $\cdot$  A 3.0 undergraduate GPA and (if applicable) a 3.5 graduate GPA
- Visit the ASSP Foundation website to apply.
- <u>https://foundation.assp.org/scholarships-and-grants/</u>

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ASSP-OKC Chapter Professional Education Grant Application Due December 1st. The Foundation's Professional Education Grant Program provides funding to help safety professionals expand their knowledge and advance their education. Professional Education Grants help participants in the profession move toward great success. Grants are made available to help working professionals pursuing advanced education through seminars, educational conferences, certification courses or college coursework.

Grants are generally valued between \$500 and \$1,000. Applications are accepted through December 1 every year and must be submitted online. After applications are reviewed by the Foundation's Scholarship Award & Selection Committee (does not include members of the ASSP OKC Chapter), awards are disbursed to recipients the following April. Grant recipients will be required to provide receipts of their purchases before grant awards will be disbursed.

- Visit the ASSP Foundation website to apply.
- <u>https://foundation.assp.org/scholarships-and-grants/</u>

#### **2018 OKC ChapterWISE Meetings & Events**

OKC ChapterWISE meetings are held quarterly at Cheever's Café in OKC from noon to 2 PM.

The small group meeting allows for connections between EOSH professionals to discuss the topic and recent events. This ASSP common interest group meeting is open to both men and women.

**OKC ChapterWISE Local Liaisons contact information:** 

Jennifer Styx: Jenniferstyx@downingusa.com

For more information about WISE visit:

http://www.ASSP.org/practicespecialties/wise/



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