

CHAPTER NEWS

CHAPTERS COMMITTEE CHAIR'S LETTER



MARK LeMAY

The first two months of 2016 have been nothing but a blur to me—I hope you are staying busy as well! Spring is upon us, and that means blooming flowers, leaves on the trees, construction projects cranking up....and a new management company for ICRI!

I am sure you may have heard by now that Dale Regnier has been hired by ICRI's new management company (Ewald Consulting) to continue his work as ICRI's Manager of Chapters. During his first few days on the job at World of Concrete, Dale proved to be a huge asset to the new management team. We are happy to have him, and we are sure he will continue to be a vital contributor to ICRI going forward. Dale's new e-mail address is daler@icri.org, and his new phone number is 847-447-1701.

Working the ICRI booth at World of Concrete, Dale had several inquiries regarding the potential of forming Chapters in Toronto, Columbus, Ohio, Albuquerque, India, Peru, and re-starting the Chapter in Puerto Rico. These are exciting times! If your company has offices or representatives in these areas, please make them aware that ICRI may be forming a Chapter, and encourage them to contact Dale to express their interest in being a part of the new Chapter!

It was wonderful to see several Chapter leaders at ICRI's 2016 Kick Off held on Monday, February 1 in Las Vegas. As in years past, the party provided a great opportunity to re-connect with fellow members from around the country, and to make new acquaintances. What a great way to start off the year!

We sincerely hope your Chapter has designated a Delegate to represent your Chapter at the Spring Convention in Puerto Rico, March 16-18. Please remind your Delegate of the following requirements for Delegates:

- Attend at least one Technical Session
- Attend at least one Committee meeting
- Attend the Inter-Chapter Luncheon on Friday (12 noon to 1:30 PM)
- Attend the Chapters Committee meeting on Friday from 1:30 to 3:30 PM
- Provide a written report to your Chapter, with a copy to Dale Regnier

Chapter Awards will be handed out at the Spring Convention—it would be great to have your Chapter Delegate on hand to accept this award!!

By now, we hope you have had a chance to visit and peruse the new ICRI website. As of this writing, the folks at Ewald are still working to populate the website with the more than 700 documents that were on the old website. If you did not have a chance to participate in the website training webinar held on February 11, a video of that training should be available on the website. If you are having trouble, please contact Dale.

Please continue to send in your Chapter news articles and upcoming events to Dale for inclusion in the upcoming issues of the *Concrete Repair Bulletin*. It is always great to see the fun and informative activities put on by ICRI's local Chapters – please make it a point to share your news with an article and photos in the CRB! Deadlines are as follows:

- March 15 for the May/June edition
- May 15 for the July/August edition
- July 10 for the September/October edition, and
- September 10 for the November/December edition

Enjoy the Spring!



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