

# **CENTRAL CHAPTER NY STATE SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS**

**NEWSLETTER**

**March 2005**

## **President's Message - Mike Hayes, PE**

I want to encourage everyone to attend the Seventh Annual Celebration of Technology Banquet, which is being held on Thursday evening, March 10, 2005 at the Holiday Inn in Liverpool. Please see the TACNY section of the newsletter for more details. Information is also on TACNY's web site at [www.tacny.org](http://www.tacny.org).

I am pleased to announce that **Jon Edinger, P.E.** has been selected as our **Engineer of the Year**. In addition, one of our own, **Tim Taber**, has been selected as **Young Technologist of the Year**. We will be presenting both awards at this function.

That's it for this month. I hope to see you at the Celebration.

## **SCHOLARSHIPS**

Your chapter is awarding three \$1000 scholarships to these outstanding students:

**Brianna Carges, E. Syracuse-Minoa** (Chemical Engineering)  
**Alexander Karas, Fayetteville-Manlius** (Mechanical Engineering)  
**Michael Lee, Jamesville-Dewitt** (Biomedical Engineering)

## **MATHCOUNTS**

Our local MATHCOUNTS competition was held at Syracuse University on Saturday, February 5, 2005. We had ten schools from the Central New York Chapter's area and five from the Oneida/Mohawk Chapter's area. The top participating schools (shown in **bold**) were as follows:

<u><b>CNY Chapter</b></u> Driver <b>Durgee</b>	<u><b>Oneida/Mohawk Chapter</b></u>  Clinton
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<b>Eagle Hill</b> Loving Education at Home <b>Manlius Pebble Hill</b> Onondaga Hill Otto Shortell Roberts Syracuse Academy of Science <b>Wellwood</b>	<b>Holland Patent</b> Ilion <b>Ralph Perry</b> <b>Sauquoit</b>
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The top schools are shown in bold above. The top schools from each chapter advance to the NY State competition at RPI in Troy, NY in March 2005. The top individuals from each chapter were:

<b>CNY Chapter</b>	
<b>Individual</b>	<b>School</b>
Yipu Wang	Wellwood
Vivek Nayar	Eagle Hill
Xiao Zheng	Wellwood
Aaron Stauter	Loving Education at Home
Jihoon Yang	Eagle Hill
Vikram Nayar	Eagle Hill
Jessica O'Laughlin	Driver
Steven Barash	Manlius Pebble Hill
Sara Bauer	Durgee
George Wanfried	Otto Shortell
Hannah Weeks	Driver
George Wong	Onondaga Hill

<b>Oneida/Mohawk Chapter</b>	
<b>Individual</b>	<b>School</b>
Akhil Reddy	Ralph Perry
Greg Jo	Clinton
Michael Eisinger	Sauquoit
Thomas Swiderski	Sauquoit
Aaryn Coker	Ralph Perry
Michael Wiegand	Ralph Perry
Kerkira Stockton	Holland Patent
Matt Bunal	Holland Patent

## Calendar

Date/Time	Topic	Speaker	Location	Cost	Contact
3/10/05 6:00 PM	Celebration Technology Banquet – Mars Rover	Robert Sullivan	Holiday Inn, Liverpool	\$30 (before 3/4/05, \$40 after)	Mike Hayes 315-455-2000 mhayes@cscos.com
6/27/05* 5:30 PM (Joint with CSI & AIA)	Last Hour Before Bid Opening	Panel Dis- cussion	Craftsman Inn, Fayetteville	\$25.00 Includes dinner	RSVP by 3/24/05 to Frank Carleo (Robson and Woese) 315-445-2650 fcarleo@robsonwoese.com
11/14/05	CNY Engineering Expo 2005	Various	Holiday Inn, Liverpool	TBD	Mike Hayes 315-455-2000 mhayes@cscos.com

\*Please note the revised date, which is still tentative, for the joint meeting with CSI (in June, instead of March 2005). Meetings for April and May 2005 are TBD.

## **THANK YOU**

We are still seeking donations for our Chapter's Scholarship Fund. Please consider furthering our efforts to support future engineers. The Chapter scholarship fund is supported by contributions from firms and individuals who take an active interest in the future of our profession. We could not reward our outstanding young people who are pursuing careers in engineering without your support. **Current contributors include:**

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CNYSSPE, c/o Microwave Filter Company, Inc., 6743 Kinne Street, E. Syracuse, New

York 13057, Attn: Nancy Young.

For additional information please contact Carl Fahrenkrug, carl-f@microwavefilter.com, 438 4722.

## **WEBSITE**

Check us out at <http://www.cnype.org/>. The site is kept up to date and includes the latest on meetings, continuing education and other details of our many professional activities. **IT INCLUDES A COMPLETE AND UPDATED SECTION ON CPC.** As with everything else concerning your Society, your comments are most appreciated.

## **BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETINGS**

NSPE members are most cordially invited to attend all board meetings. Meetings are tentatively scheduled for noon on the first Thursday of each month. Those wishing to attend should contact Mike Hayes: (315) 455-2000 ext. 384; m.hayes@ieee.org to confirm time and date.