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The "Tally Sheet" Newsletter

It is hard to believe that I am now writing my last column of 2005. In retrospect, the last six months have been a pleasant blur. My thanks to everyone who has stepped up to help me keep this great Section on track and moving forward!!

The worst part of writing this month's Chairman's Corner is that I am finding myself singularly uninspired during a season of inspiration. Go figure! Don't worry though...I still have a lot to write about!

Past ... I would like to thank Lori Knous for a very enjoyable and well received presentation in November. The surveys and follow-up e-mails were very complimentary. I think that it is safe to say that we look forward to hearing from Lori again in the future.

Present, soon to be Past ... I would like to thank The Timken Company for allowing both Dick Mautz and Kari Lab to host our December Tour. My thanks also go out to Dick and Kari for arranging this tour!! Of course, by the time that this article reaches your doorstep, I trust that many of you will have enjoyed the tour and fellowship.

Future ... Looking ahead to 2006, the SLC is working hard to fill in our schedule. Watch for the Education Committee to jumpstart our education program in January. Also, in January, Mansfield Section Chair Jeff Massoni will be giving us insights into managing our Quality Management Systems.

We have A2LA Vice-President, Roxanne Robinson, discussing both changes in ISO 17025 and the status of domestic laboratory accreditations in February.

And, in March we will be co-hosting the Spring Conference with Cleveland and Elyria/Lorain at the Kent State Stark Conference Center. Our very own Jill Cochran is Conference Chair and her group has already lined up several nationally known speakers, including Dan Reid of Automotive Division fame and Grace Duffy (whose article I trust you enjoyed in the November Tally Sheet) from Quality Management and Healthcare. The group is also busy lining up regional and local experts to address a variety of subjects.

Speaking of Spring, Les Heckler is busy putting together the Akron Aeros outings complete with meals and fireworks!! The view is good from just about anyplace, the food is pretty decent, and it is a great outing for youngsters!! My son experienced his first Aeros game this last Summer during a special event for area little leaguers and he is ready to go back!!

Well that is it ... Past, Present, and Future. Remind you of anything? Here's hoping you had a Merry Christmas and are looking forward to a Happy New Year!!

Jeff Pfouts - Section Chair (ASQ CQT, CQA)

Technical Clinic & Dinner Meeting

Thursday, January 19th

356th Fighter Group Restaurant

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Technical Clinic

5:30PM —> 6:30PM

Free Admission

"Managing Your Quality Management System Day To Day; Guidance For Responsibility, Authority And Accountability."

Jeff Massoni (ASQ CQT)

Mansfield Screw Machine Products Company, Inc.

Dinner Meeting

6:30PM —> 8:30PM

Dinner ... 6:30PM Start ... \$20
Meeting ... 7:30PM Start ... Free

"See Tech Clinic"
[continued from Tech Clinic]

Jeff Massoni (ASQ CQT)

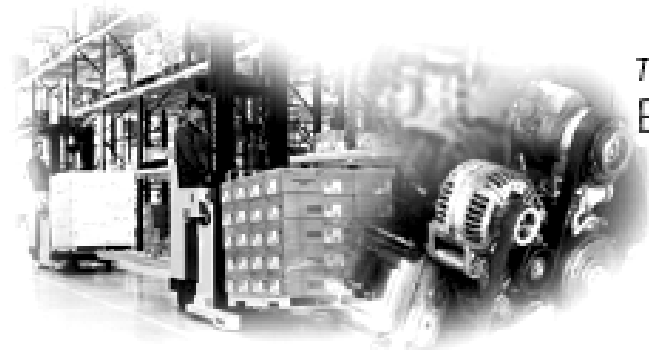
Mansfield Screw Machine Products Company, Inc.

Make Reservations To Attend The January-2006 Meetings Through Either Your ARRANGEMENTS COMMITTEE

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Jan 10-11

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Jan 25-26

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Feb 16-17

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Beth Glasgow	Oakwood Laboratories
John H Ritchie	Parker Hannifin Corp
Cathy J Ryan	Highway Metal Services
Jeffrey C Smith	Severn Trent Laboratories

“Abstract” - Tech Clinic / Dinner Meeting

Viewing your quality management system as a “set of laws” that need to be followed, how are the laws/procedures enforced? What happens when “Murphy’s Law” prevails? Is this the end, or another opportunity to take a negative situation and make it into a positive one? Practical applications and examples will give insight into how we can apply responsibility, authority, and accountability to maintain “status quo” throughout the year, without scrambling days or weeks before the third party audit.

Tally Sheet Articles

Articles For Publication In The Section’s Newsletter Can Be Forwarded To The Editor For Consideration. They Should Be Pertinent To Aspects Of Quality And Reliability, And Can Be Either Business Related Or A Personal ‘Lessons Learned’ That Might Benefit The Membership. Forward Articles To “michael_marley@goodyear.com”.

Speaker “Bio”
Tech Clinic / Dinner Meeting

Jeff Massoni (ASQ CQT) is a Quality Assurance Manager with Mansfield Screw Machine Products Company, Inc., based in Lexington, Ohio. This is a fourth generation, family owned business, with owner Richard D. Witchey III serving as President / C.E.O.

Jeff served as President of the International Management Council Wooster / Wayne Chapter, and as Chairperson of both the Mansfield and the Akron-Canton Sections of the American Society for Quality, and is currently Chairperson of the Quality Committee of the Precision Machined Products Association, a national organization serving the precision machining industry. He resides in Wooster with his wife of 24 years.

Jeff has been in the quality field for 22 years, and has made presentations for Kent State University and numerous Sections of the American Society for Quality. He has extensive experience implementing quality systems and auditing systems for QS-9000 and ISO-9000:2000. Jeff has served as a consultant to many local industries.