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ASHRAE – Memphis Chapter  
<http://www.ashraememphis.org/>

January, 2007

**LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY,  
January 09, 2007**

Meeting Location:

**Kemmons Wilson Center Holiday Inn  
3700 Central Ave. in Memphis, TN**

**Tour - Smith & Nephew Orthopaedics  
(901) 396-2121**

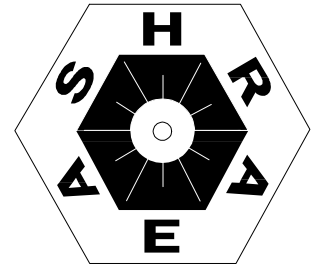
**By: Brent Wiseman**

Smith & Nephew develops and markets advanced medical devices that help healthcare professionals treat patients more effectively – and patients get back to their normal lives faster. Our dedicated Global Business Units – Orthopaedic Reconstruction, Orthopaedic Trauma & Clinical Therapies, Endoscopy and Advanced Wound Management – specialise in innovative, cost-effective products that meet pressing healthcare needs.

Smith & Nephew was founded in 1856. A leader in each of our three specialist markets, we now operate in 33 countries, employ over 8,500 people and generate annual sales of \$2.6 billion. We stay ahead in our markets through substantial investment in our products, research and development and through our close, long-term relationships with customers.

Please see the attached pdf map for driving instructions to Smith Nephew Orthopaedics.

Earn PDHs/CEUs by attending.  
Visitors are welcome.



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## THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

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After you turn on Coughlin Dr, there will be a newer building (H-Building) on your left. Start looking for the guard shack to turn at. We have been asked to park a little further out than the rest of the employees. We meet in the lobby of that building and wait on Mr. Bobby for further instructions.

**2007 Engineers Week** is February 18-24, 2007.

**Introduce a Girl to Engineering Day** is February 22, 2007.

**DESIGN SQUAD** is coming to PBS during National Engineers Week 2007. DESIGN SQUAD is a new television series that's part reality competition, all engineering, and major fun. Visit <http://pbskidsgo.org/designsquad> and watch a clip from the pilot, meet the cast, and learn how you can get involved in the outreach.

**Membership:** The following is my understanding of the changes in Membership.

Month end	JUN	JLY	AUG	SEP	OCT
<b>Members</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>213</b>	<b>214</b>	<b>228</b>	<b>213</b>
Net Change	-10	+1	-9	+14	-15

We are seeking a volunteers to serve as:  
Awards Committee Chairman  
At-Large Board Member.

Brian Schaffler asked that all the companies send updates for their info [shown at <http://www.ashraememphis.org/page8.html>]. Let us know any changes to their companies info we will make the changes. They can email any changes to [kcrosby@gorhamschaffler.com](mailto:kcrosby@gorhamschaffler.com) .

I am looking forward to seeing everyone Tuesday!

James Copeland  
Chapter President



## Programs Topics 2006-2007

Date:	<b>JANUARY</b> , 01/09/07 LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY
Program Topic:	TOUR: Smith & Nephew
Speaker:	
Meeting Manager:	Brent Wiseman w/Power Equipment
Location:	Kemmons Wilson Center Holiday Inn 3700 Central Ave.

Date:	<b>FEBRUARY</b> , 02/13/07 LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY
Program Topic:	Harmonic Mitigation and Energy saving Technology using variable speed drives.
Speaker:	Jack Bailey
Meeting Manager:	Chip Bilbrey w/Tom Barrow
Location:	Kemmons Wilson Center Holiday Inn 3700 Central Ave.

### PDH SEMINAR

Date:	<b>MARCH</b> , 03/13/07 MORNING MEETING
Program Topic:	Cooling Towers & Legionella
Speaker:	<b>[not confirmed]</b> Sharon Berk, 931-372-3451, Fax: (931) 372-6346, sberk@tntech.edu, Professor, Center for the Management, Utilization and Protection of Water Resources, Tennessee Technological University. <a href="https://www2.tntech.edu/evs/faculty/Berk.htm">https://www2.tntech.edu/evs/faculty/Berk.htm</a> <a href="http://www.tntech.edu/wrc/SBerk.htm">http://www.tntech.edu/wrc/SBerk.htm</a> Dr. Berk's Research Specialty Areas - Legionella-protozoa interactions.
Meeting Manager:	James Copeland w/FedEx

Date:	<b>MARCH</b> , 03/13/07 LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY
Program Topic:	Cooling Towers & Legionella
Speaker(s):	Russell Brown 901-274-9011, 901-848-7745 cell, 901-725-0871 Fax, T.J. O'Brien - CRBWN@BellSouth.net
Meeting Manager:	James Copeland w/FedEx
Location:	Kemmons Wilson Center Holiday Inn 3700 Central Ave.

Date:	<b>APRIL</b> , 04/10/07 LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY
Program Topic:	
Speaker:	
Meeting Manager:	

### PDH SEMINAR

Date:	<b>APRIL</b> , 04/19/07
Program Topic:	Indoor Air Quality
Speaker:	Chapter Technology Transfer Committee free Satellite Broadcast/Webcast
Meeting Manager:	Brent Wiseman w/Power Equipment

Date:	<b>MAY</b> , 05/08/07 LUNCH MEETING 11:30 TUESDAY
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## THE HISTORIAN

### PEOPLE IN MEMPHIS ASHRAE HISTORY

Charlie Schaffler  
(ASHRAE 1964 to present)

Charlie was born in Memphis, attended Christian Brothers High School, graduating in 1959. After getting a Bachelor of Science Degree in Mechanical Engineering from Notre Dame University, he went to work for the Trane Company in 1963. He was assigned to the Memphis sales office where he worked until 1971. In 1971, he and Cliff Gorham left the Memphis Trane Company office to open their own business, Gorham/Schaffler, Inc.

Charlie has been a member of ASHRAE since 1964 and has been very active in the past, serving as president in 1969/1970 ASHRAE year.

Charlie has been married to Mickey for 39 years on January 27, 2007. They have three sons, Brian, Tim and Charles, Jr. (Chad) and six fabulous grandchildren ranging in age from 4 months to five years old.

Charlie is now semi-retired. Brian Schaffler and Gary Gorham are the new owners of the company their father's started.

Charlie has been very active in several civic and church related ventures. He is a member of the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Parish having served on many boards within the church, most recently as Chairman of the Building Committee for their renovation project.

Charlie has served on the Central Board of the Boys and Girls Clubs of Memphis for a number of years and served as Chairman of the Samuelson Boys Club. He was honored to receive the Ira Samuelson, Jr. Distinguished Service Award from the Boys Clubs in 1986. He is a member of The University Club of Memphis and served as President in 1988.

He is currently serving on the boards of Opera Memphis (Secretary), Concerts International (Chairman) and The Assisi Foundation, where he serves as Treasurer of the Board and Co-Chairman of the Grants Review Committee.

Thank you Charlie for the great example that you have been to so many and for your commitment to your family, church, community and business.

## MEMBER NOTICES

### ASHRAE MEMBERSHIP GROWTH

Please inform colleagues interested in becoming members of ASHRAE to log on to <http://www.ashrae.org> to fill out an electronic application. Once at the site click on "Join ASHRAE" on the left side of the page then scroll down to the appropriate application for the desired membership grade (This link will take you directly to the membership application selection page - <http://www.ashrae.org/template/AboutLinkLanding/category/1872;jsessionid=aaaglpHers1BeQ> ). Also, have each interested colleague go to the Memphis Chapter Internet site (<http://www.ashraememphis.org/page2.html>) and fill out a local chapter application. If the prospective members do not have internet access just have them contact me directly and give me their mailing address for me to send hard copies.

Total dues are \$150 National and \$85 local. Local dues are only \$15 if they will not attend the lunch meetings.

Please feel free to call or write with any questions.

James Fleck, P.E.  
(ASHRAE Membership Promotion Chairman)  
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## OFFICERS & CHAIRS

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At-Large BOG	--- OPEN ---
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Chapter Memorials	Ken Jack 901-324-6610
Awards	--- OPEN ---
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Christmas Party	Jimmy Fleck 901-384-8400
Golf Tournament	David George / Stan Wilson 901-373-5100
CRC 2008 Memphis	Evans Jack 901-324-6610

## NOTICES

### • ASHRAE Endorsed Events

ASHRAE Winter Dallas Jan 27-31, 2007  
AHR Expo 2007, Dallas, TX Jan 29-31, 2007  
ASHRAE Annual Long Beach, CA Jun 23-27, 2007

2007 Region VII Chapters Regional Conference in  
Huntsville, Alabama. August 2-4, 2007

### • Update your Membership Information

Please update your email, phone #s, and  
contact information by logging in at  
[www.ashrae.org](http://www.ashrae.org)

<http://www.ashrae.org/template/MemberLinkLanding/category/1570>

Manage Your Membership  
Manage Personal Information  
Address Changes

The Memphis Chapter Newsletter mailing list  
and roster are based on those records.