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### From the President:



I would like to thank Zach Dufala with Zurn / Elkay for being our guest speaker at the December Technical Meeting.

The January Technical Session will be on the topic; Engineered Infection Prevention, presented by Tim Dallas with Franke.

NEW VENUE! January 8, 2025.

Dinner Meeting will be held at Slyman's Tavern Independence located at 6901 Rockside Road, Independence, Ohio 44131.

5:00 – 5:30 Chapter Board Meeting

5:30 – 6:00 Sign-In / Meet and Greet

6:00 – 6:30 Dinner

6:30 – 7:30 Presentation

7:30 – 8:00 Q & A / Vendor Display

Please RSVP by Noon on January 6, 2025, with Kevin Noble at [knoble@sbmce.com](mailto:knoble@sbmce.com). Dinner price is \$20. Please support your local chapter by attending. Please note, if you RSVP and are unable to attend, please cancel your reservation ASAP! ASPE is financially responsible for all registered attendees and therefore all associated costs shall be forwarded to any registered no-show individuals! Thank you for your cooperation.

Let us know if there are any specific topics you would like to see our chapter sponsor. We are always looking for new ideas. Remember, without membership and participation there is no local chapter.

John A. Varga, P.E.  
President, ASPE Cleveland Chapter

**2024 - 2025 ASPE Meeting/Plumbing Class Schedule  
January 2025**

<u>Date – Time – Place</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Speaker(s)</u>	<u>Exhibitors</u>
September 18, 2024 – 6:00 PM Cleveland Yachting Club	Clam Bake Topic – Social Event ASPE Cleveland Chapter	N/A	N/A
October 9, 2024 – 6:00 PM Harry's Steakhouse  Cost: FREE	Specifying Emergency Fixtures	Jonny Pingry - Guardian	Midwest Spec
November 13, 2024 – 6:00 PM KD Party Center 6085 State Rd. Parma, OH 44130  Cost: \$20	Pre-action Fire Protection Systems	Sam Schwander Reliable Automatic Sprinkler Co., Inc.	Reliable Automatic Sprinkler Co., Inc.
December 11, 2024 – 12:00PM North Royalton Public Library 5071 Wallings Road, North Royalton  Cost: FREE	Drinking Water Filtration Legislation	Zach Dufala – ZURN / Elkay	BWA South
<b>January 8, 2025 – 6:00 PM</b> <b>Slyman's Tavern Independence</b>  <b>Cost: \$20</b>	<b>Engineered Infection Prevention</b>	<b>Tim Dallas - Franke</b>	<b>Rep Source, LLC</b>
February 12, 2025 Time and Location TBD  Cost: TBD	New Innovations in Medical Gas Piping	Mathis Carlson - MediTrac	Omega Flex, Inc.
March 12, 2025 – 6:00PM Location TBD  Cost: TBD	Ohio Updates to NFPA 99	Josh Pedraja	Josh Pedraja
April 9, 2025 – 12:00 PM R.L. Deppmann  Cost: FREE	TBD	R.L. Deppmann	R.L. Deppmann
May 14, 2025 Time and Location TBD  Cost: TBD	PVDF Piping Overview and Applications  Chapter Board Elections	Marco Deangelo - Arkema	Arkemo

**2024 - 2025 ASPE Meeting/Plumbing Class Schedule  
January 2025**

The above is the meeting/plumbing class schedule for the 2023-2024 ASPE year. Updated information will appear in subsequent newsletter issues. All meetings will be at Harry's Steakhouse, 5664 Old Brecksville Road, Independence unless otherwise indicated. The meeting/plumbing class, including dinner, is \$20.00 Unless noted otherwise. Reservations are required. A mini product show will be held before each meeting/plumbing class highlighting some of the materials discussed in class or products that will assist the engineer in understanding what they are designing or specifying. All plumbing classes will qualify for 0.1CEU hours and will assist in preparation for the ASPE CPD examination.

The following times will be enforced as strictly as possible.  
Make your reservations a minimum of two days before the meeting/class and try to be on time.

Evening Seminars:

- Chapter Board Meeting 5:00 - 5:30 pm
- Sign-in / Meet and Greet / Vendor Product Displays 5:00 - 6:00 pm
- Dinner 6:00 - 6:30 pm
- Presentation 6:30 - 6:45 pm
- Vendor Product Displays 6:45 - 7:45 pm

Lunchtime Seminars:

- Mini Product Show 11:30 - 11:45 am
- Sign-In / Meet and Greet / Vendor Product Displays 11:45 - 12:00 pm
- Lunch 12:00 - 12:30 pm (Seminar to begin during lunch)
- Presentation 12:00 - 1:00pm



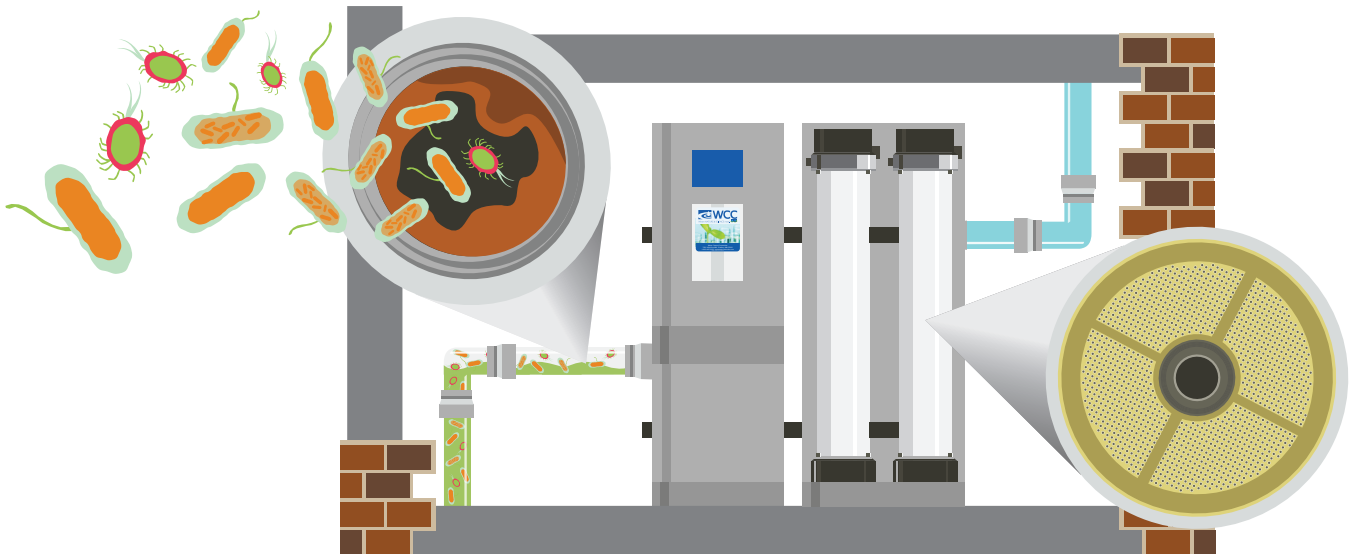
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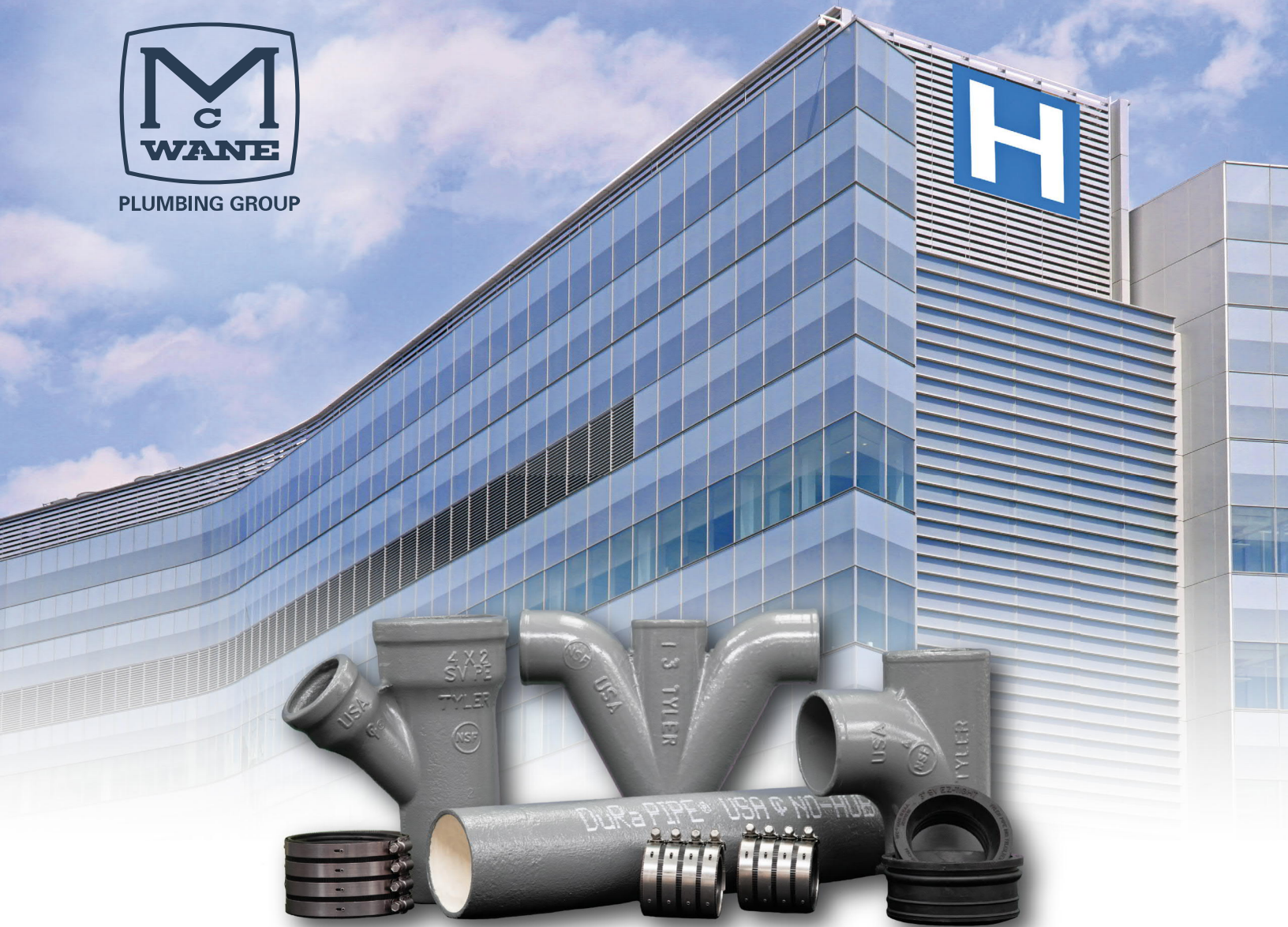
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