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KITCHENER-WATERLOO AND DISTRICT ATSSA NEWSLETTER

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JANUARY MEETING:

We would like to thank Groeneveld / CPL Systems, Jonathan Fava and Jim Pinder for sponsoring the January 6th dinner meeting. Jonathan Fava, North American Support Manager of Active and Passive Safety Systems for Groeneveld gave an interesting presentation. He covered reversing obstacle detection devices, camera and radar systems and the proper application of these products. With "due diligence" becoming more of an issue in the workplace these products can pay for themselves when the alternative is considered. Thank you again to Groeneveld / CPL Systems.

FEBRUARY MEETING:

We are pleased, to again welcome Waycon as our February 3rd 2005 sponsor. Steve Mollon will be our speaker for the evening. Steve is the Canadian National Account Manager for International Truck and Engine Corporation and brings with him 20 years of experience. His subject for the evening will be Telematics. Join us and find out about this interesting technology and to show support to our sponsor.

MEMBERSHIP DUES:

For those that have already taken care of the dues, Thank You. For those few that still not have paid for the 2005 membership fees please ensure you send your money to Don Herner.

APPRENTICESHIP:

Stratford Transit is doing their part in helping the OYAP program as they are sending two automatic transmissions, one for each school. There are 38 students in the OYAP program this semester, only 4 placements still need to be filled. If you have a placement for one of the students let any of the executive know.

CFMS:

The CFMS has a new home, it will be held at the Double tree International Plaza Hotel in Toronto. This year the CFMS will be held from May 8 - 11 2005. If anyone that has not yet been to the CFMS and would like to be sponsored by the KW ATSSA please let any of the executive know. We will put your name into the draw for this year.

GOLF:

SOLD OUT. This years, May 27th 2005 Golf Tournament is sold out.

NOTE: Due to the great demand on the tickets. If you have not paid for you tickets by February 11 / 2005 your name will be removed from the list and the next paid group will be put in its place. PLEASE ENSURE YOU SEND YOUR CHEQUE / MONEY TO THE ADDRESS ON THE NOTICE:.

FROM THE KITCHEN STAFF:

Fresh Baked Rolls, Assorted Salads, Honey Baked Ham, Scalloped Potatoes, and Fresh Vegetable Medley.

MEETING INFORMATION:

MEETING PLACE:
MEETING DATE:
MEETING TIME:

Holiday Inn
February 3/2005
6:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:00 (sharp)