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JANUARY MEETING:

We would like to thank Tom Ramsden, General Sales Manager and Scott Lafonatine, Territory Manager for giving us a historical view of the company, Manac innovations in trailer manufacturing, features and benefits of the Manac product and the adaptability as a Canadian manufacture to the specific needs of each order.

Also a special thank you to Manac for the desk pads and golf shirts they supplied for every one in attendance. It was a great way to start off 2006.

FEBRUARY MEETING:

Waycon International Trucks Ltd. along with International Truck and Engine Corp. Canada are again sponsoring our February meeting. Dan Webster is with International Truck and Engine and has been for 7 years. He is a 30 veteran years in the trucking industry in all areas, from mechanic to Service Manager, Parts and Sales. He is currently involved with the history making venture into Hybrid Technology International is undertaking. He will be doing a presentation on the International Big Bore engine. We are sure this will be an interesting and informative meeting and hope to see you there.

MEMBERSHIP:

We would like to welcome the following new members: Craig Doering of the City Of Kitchener and Rudy Martinovic of Thermo King - Toronto.

CFMS SEMINAR:

PLEASE NOTE: There was a printing error in the May 28th - May 31st 2006 CFMS seminar brochures the correct price for this years event is \$399.00 which does include the GST. If you have any questions please call Rod Henderson at 519-886-6265. Marc Poland, one of our new executive members has volunteered to represent our branch on the CFMS committee. If anyone else wished to also represent our branch at the CFMS please give Jim Pinder a call for more information.

TRANSPORTATION REFRIGERATION TECHNICIAN:

For those that were not able to attend the meeting, Rachel Banham addressed the meeting asking for feed back on the position of "Transportation Refrigeration Technician". Those wishing to contact Rachel can do so at rachel.banham@edu.gov.on.ca

MEMBERSHIP DUES:

Don Herner reports that there are still a number of members that have not paid for the 2006 memberships. Please pay attention to the invoices and pay them ASAP. If you are not the person that pays the invoice please ensure they get it to the correct person for payment. Your prompt attention to this matter is greatly appreciated.

FROM THE KITCHEN STAFF:

Fresh Baked Rolls, Assorted Salads, Ham, Scallop potatoes and Fresh Vegetable Medley.

MEETING INFORMATION:

MEETING PLACE:
MEETING DATE:
MEETING TIME:

Holiday Inn
February 2/2006
6:00 p.m. Dinner at 7:00 (Sharp)