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Double Tree Westborough 5400 Computer Drive, Westborough, MA, 01581 TEL: 1-508-366-5511

Meeting and Dinner 6 PM Speakers 7—8:30 PM Q&A 8:30 till 9PM On your way home!

April 28th Dinner Meeting

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Automatic Fire Alarm Association of New England



April 28, 2016 Dinner Meeting

<u>Radio and Cellular Communication Introduction and Panel</u> <u>Discussion</u>

Hosted by AFAA-NE Featuring: Introduction & Moderator, Tony DiFranco of RB Allen

Jeff Parent, Municipal & Industrial Alarm Reporting for RB Allen Will present the Digitize 1221 radio line

Steve Sargent, VP of Sales and Engineering for Keltron Corporation Will present the Keltron line

Paul Hoey, Eastern Regional Sales Manager for NAPCO Security Will present Cellular products

Mario Bulhoes, VP & General Manager for King-Fisher Company Will present the King-Fisher line

James Lynch, Northeast Regional Sales Mgr. for AES Corporation Will present the AES Mesh Network

POTS lines are rapidly going the way of the dinosaurs. Radio and cellular technologies have gained major acceptance in our industry for some time.

Come and listen to 4 of the New England area's finest talk about their technology and how their individual products and methods can help you better understand this advancement in Alarm Reporting.

After our Moderator gives us a basic understanding of wireless reporting, each member of the dais will have an opportunity to differentiate themselves and give you the best application advice for their particular product.

At the end there will be a 45 minute Question & Answer panel discussion where you can have your questions and concerns answered.

So please come have a sumptuous buffet dinner and join in on this informative and interactive evening!

AFAA-NE, Taking The Lead in bringing technology to light!

Welcome to the AFAA-NE 2016!!!

- We started off 2015 off with a Call To Action, for the membership and local businesses to come and give us their thoughts on the new Building Code as it pertains to the Permitting Process. We had a great turnout and the participation was extraordinary. We will keep you informed of our progress with the board.
- Another event to look forward to is our 2nd Annual Cruise In Summer Event to be held at Space Age Electronics in Sterling, MA. Put July 11th aside for some family fun, learn what it is like to work with the Pit Crew of a Sportsman Modified race car and check out some custom motorcycles. Bring your own custom chopper or classic car and show off your baby to your peers. It should be a fun day away from work. There will be plenty of food, beverages, games and face painting as well as live music, as well as a Pine Wood Derby with live betting, time to build the car of your dreams and compete with your peers for the title of AFAA-NE's Pine Wood Derby Pro...
- Our September Meeting was held in Vermont. As a New England organization, we feld we neede to expand into the other States and Vermont was the first. They were in the process of accepting the NFPA 72 2013 edition so we went up and gave them a Chapter by Chapter review of the code. A very well attended meeting hosted by our VP of State, Matt Buehrer.
- One of the gems from the April 2015 Call to Action Meeting was Jacob from the State Fire Marshal's • office, we are actively pursuing him to come back and speak to us for our next Dinner Meeting.
- AFAA-NE is a certified Provider for Massachusetts State C and D License renewal training • (Providership #390) in our third training cycle.
- AFAA-NE is constantly looking to find ways to be of value and interest to our members and local industry • as well. If you come across anything that involves the Codes, is an impediment to your normal way of doing business or just something that you feel needs to be changed or addressed; please let us know. Just like April's subject, we want to be that "conduit of information and change" we all need to make our business lives fair, equitable and Code Compliant.

2015 was an exciting year for us and 2016 is looking to surpass it.... Sign up below and we'll see you on the 28th!!!

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