

**JOINT APPRENTICESHIP TRAINING**

Congratulations go to the Apprentices who competed in the Sheet Metal Apprenticeship Region 10 Contest, held in Ventura California, March 17th - 19th. All four gentlemen will go a long way in this Industry and are an asset to Local #88 and the Contractors they are employed by.

**Geremiah Robnett**, 4th year, won 2nd place and only missed taking 1st place by 2.63 points. With a maximum of 600 points awarded for the contest, it was extremely close.

**Brian Kelly**, 3rd year, missed placing, however, tied for 1st in the written, 3rd in drafting and 1st in plans and specifications.

**Nicholas Cox**, 2nd year, won 3rd place. He also tied for 1st in written and 1st in drafting.

**Marshal Hampton**, 1st year, did not place, but was 3rd in drafting.

I am extremely proud of the way they conducted themselves and their drive to excel and compete again next year.

Submitted by Dan Rose,

**CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Sunday - April 3, 2005  
**Daylight Savings Begins**  
 Don't Forget to Set Your Clocks Ahead



Tuesday - April 5, 2005  
**Membership Meeting**  
 3:00 PM  
 SMACNA Board Room

Thursday - April 7, 2005  
**Labor/Negotiations Meeting**  
 9:00 AM  
 SMACNA Board Room

Tuesday - April 26, 2005  
**Board of Directors Meeting**  
 11:30 AM  
 SMACNA Board Room

**SMACNA Duct Talk**

Duct Talk is issued twelve times a year. If you have an idea for an article, please call the SMACNA of Southern Nevada office at (702) 384-1894. We want to hear from you! Deadline for submitting articles is the 25th of each month.

**Executive Committee**

President:	Bill Blazvick
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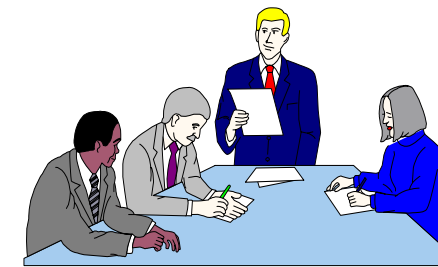
**DUCT TALK**

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**MEMBERSHIP MEETING!!**



SMACNA of Southern Nevada is hosting a full membership meeting for all members of SMACNA, Associate Members and other Signatory Contractors. We will be updating everyone on current issues and the progress of negotiations. Please join us for this important meeting

**Tuesday - April 5, 2005**

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**3:00 P.M.**

**SMACNA BOARD ROOM**

**1550 Western Avenue**

**PLEASE RSVP TO ROBIN AT (702) 384-1894**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY  
 IN APRIL TO:**



**MAX CHRISTIANSEN**

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**CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY  
LEGISLATIVE COALITION &  
PEEL BRIMLEY LLP**



SMACNA of Southern Nevada along with MCA, NECA, PIPE & PMCN hosted a Legislative Coalition Seminar with guest speaker, Attorney Richard Peel. The seminar was held at Desert Pines Golf Club on Thursday - March 3, 2005. Issues regarding Nevada's Prompt Pay Statute, Right to Stop Work Statute and the New Mechanic's Lien Statute were presented and discussed.

Thank you to everyone who attended this event and made it a big success.

