

**JANUARY, 2003 MEETING**

- DATES:** Tuesday, January 21, 2003
- TOPIC:** Downtown Cincinnati, Then and Now
- SPEAKER:** Bob Howe, Professor Emeritus of Civil Engineering, Univ. of Cincinnati
- TIME:** 11:30 AM
- LOCATION:** Unity Center of Cincinnati
1401 East McMillan
Cincinnati, Ohio
- MENU:** Homemade Meatloaf with Mushroom Gravy, Mashed Potatoes
Whole Kernel Corn
Creamy Cole Slaw
Dinner Rolls with Butter
Decorated Cake
- COST:** \$10.00 per person
- RESERVATIONS:**

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JANUARY, 2003 TOUR

- DATE:** Monday, January 27, 2003
- LOCATION:** Aronoff Center for the Arts
650 Walnut Street
Cincinnati, Ohio 45202
- Please meet in the Budig Lobby of Procter & Gamble Hall on Walnut Street. There are plenty of parking lots in the area including the Fountain Square Garage, the 580 Building Garage and other locations close to the Aronoff.
- Allow plenty of time for parking! The tour will start promptly at 10:30 AM.
- TIME:** 10:30 AM Tour of Aronoff Center
12:00 Noon Lunch - TBD

The tour will consist of the Jarson-Kaplan Theater, Procter & Gamble Hall, the Fifth Third Bank Theater and the Weston Art Gallery. Besides the regular guide we will have the facilities engineer with us to answer those technical questions all engineers have. The tour will last approximately one hour although we have allowed a little extra time for questions and answers.

Designed by renowned architect Cesar Pelli, the state-of-the-art facility opened in October 1995. The Center consist of three stunning performance spaces: Procter & Gamble Hall, Jarson-Kaplan Theater and the Fifth Third Bank.

In addition, the Aronoff Center also houses meeting and reception rooms, space for rehearsals, the Weston Art Gallery, an adjacent restaurant, and its own on-site catering facilities.

Tour and Lunch Reservations contact Jack Clock:

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Jack Clock

Hope everyone had a safe and happy holiday season. Most of the people in our area should have had a white Christmas.

We are off to a good start this year as we were finally able to schedule a tour this month. We have an excellent luncheon presentation this month by Bob Howe on the downtown area of Cincinnati. The following week there will be a tour of the Aronoff Center for the Arts. Hope you can join us for both events.

Check out our website when you get a chance. There are pictures of recent events on the site, along with copies of this and previous issues of the newsletter. There are also links to many other good websites. You owe it to yourself to take a look.

I finally received the attachments that I ordered for my new SLR digital camera. I now have a wide angle lens and an auxiliary flash attachment. The new flash should improve the quality of photos for the newsletter and the website by getting enough light where it is needed.

Hope to see you at both meetings.



The "little people" enjoy the trains in Cinergy's lobby on December 9, 2002

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Meeting Highlights

Bob Howe, Professor Emeritus of Civil Engineering from the University of Cincinnati, became interested in the history of Cincinnati while a student in Civil Engineering at the University of Cincinnati around 1940. His co-op work with the City of Cincinnati Highway Division gave him first-hand experience (driving surveyor's stakes) with the construction of several new streets of the city. In 1955 he began taking pictures of the city while Fort Washington Way was under construction.

As a candidate for City Council in 1963, he put together a slide show, *Have You Really Looked at Cincinnati Lately, Its Good Points and Its Bad*, and there were very few that were "good." Over the past forty years he has continued to take pictures, and he will take us on an imaginary walking tour of the area between 3rd Street and 12th Street from Broadway to Central Avenue to show us some of the changes that have and are taking place in downtown Cincinnati.

Please join us as we take an interesting trip back in time looking at downtown Cincinnati over the last 50 years.

Upcoming Events

February, 2003

Program 2/18

Topic: "Australia & New Zealand"

Speaker: Harold & Audrey Faye Rice

March, 2003

Program 3/18

Topic: "Digital Photography Update"

Speaker: Richard White Learn about the updates for digital cameras, graphic software & printers.

April 2003

Program 4/15

Topic: "How's That Again"

Speaker: Phil Spiess

May, 2003

Program 5/20

Topic: "Your Local Weather and How It Is Determined"

Speaker: Pete Delkus



GOLF JOKE - *Something to think about while you are waiting for the warm weather.*

Contributed by Roy Pryse.

There's a fellow who is a golf fanatic. Every Saturday morning he has an early tee time. He gets up early and eager, golf's all day long..... 36 holes sometimes. Well, one Saturday morning he gets up early, dresses quietly, gets his clubs out of the closet and goes to his car to drive to the course. Coming out of his garage rain is pouring down; it is like a torrential downpour. There is snow mixed in with the rain, and the wind is blowing 50 mph. He returns to the garage. He comes back into the house and turns the TV to the weather channel. He finds it's going to be bad weather all day long, so he puts his clubs back into the closet, quietly undresses and slips back into bed. There he cuddles up to his wife's back, now with a different anticipation, and whispers, "The weather out there is terrible."

To which she sleepily replies, "Can you believe my stupid husband is out golfing in that shit...?"

HOW ABOUT JOINING US NEXT SPRING?



John Sherman receives a certificate of appreciation from John Kuhn at the December 17, 2002 Christmas luncheon.



The Notre Dame Ensemble from Notre Dame Academy entertains us after the Christmas luncheon.



Renee Harris, center, director of the ensemble joins in on one of the numbers by the group.

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Guest Name _____ @ \$10.00 _____
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Member's E-Mail Address _____

Annual Dues For the Retired Engineers and Scientists of Cincinnati for the 2002-2003 year are now due. Our Dues Year begins October 1st and ends September 30th the following year. The RESC Control Board has reluctantly voted to increase the dues for 2002-2003 to \$10.00 in light of the postal increase in

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June and the deficits incurred in recent years. You may pay your dues when you send in your reservation for the November meeting or send them separately to RESC Treasurer Art Kupferle at: 2769 Blackberry Trail, Cincinnati, OH 45233-1721. **Checks should be made payable to RESC (not Art Kupferle).**