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(Mailing Label)

From the President

I would thank you thank all of you for attending the March Indiana Biomedical Society meeting in Elkhart! Spring is here and that means National Biomed/Clinical Engineering Week is right around the corner! This year this special occasion will be held May 23-29, 2010. This is an annual celebration specifically designed to promote and show appreciation for biomedical and clinical engineering professionals. This is a time to encourage others to stop and acknowledge what BMET's and clinical engineers do. Show your pride and make the people in your facility aware of this special recognition by advertising, hold a meet and greet open house, and display information about you department throughout our facility.

This year Hill-Rom will be hosting the Indiana Biomedical Society mid-year meeting June 11-12, 2010. This meeting will include a tour of the Hill-Rom facility along with overnight accommodations at the farm. There are a very limited number of spots available so please contact a board member right away if you are certain you would like to attend. We will begin planning for our 20th annual conference. If you would like to participate or volunteer your time, it would be greatly appreciated.

Coming this summer is the AAMI conference and expo, located in Tamped FL. June 26-28, 2010. This is an excellent opportunity to get

Matt Dimino

From the Secretary

Secretary Notes

The IBS met at Elkhart General Hospital for its March meeting on 3/31/10. Members present were: Kim Lusty, Gary Shields, Steve Hilty, Demetrius Dillard Sr., Matt Dimino, Mohamed Dwaidari, Karen Waninger, Mark Waninger, Judy Wyatt, Doug George, Ed Drone, Lester Zybura, and Kelly VanDeWalker.

Don DeJong of Innovative Medical Systems presented the Hugs Infant Protection with Kisses System, which is currently being used at Elkhart. If your facility is considering this system and you have any questions you may contact our meeting hosts Ed, Steve, Lester or Doug at EGH.

Door prize winners were Mohamed, Steve and Ed.

After the presentation the business meeting was conducted. Gary Shields passed out the Treasurer's Report and other topics of discussion were:

FMESA Membership

The members present voted to become members of FMESA. Mike DeJaeger and Gary Shields will count the total members and paid members then take an average to calculate our cost of

membership. A preliminary estimate is between 170 and 175. FMESA membership dues are \$1.00 for each member of an Association. To learn more about FMESA visit www.fmesa.wildapricot.org

FMESA Congress

A motion was brought to support FMESA by sending a delegate from the IBS to each of the Biomedical Congress meetings. The IBS would cover the majority of the cost. Kelly VanDeWalker, already a FMESA Board Member has been chosen as this year's Congress delegate. The meeting will take place during the 2010 MD Expo in Austin Texas this October.

AAMI Membership

The IBS has also become a Biomedical Society Member of AAMI. Kelly VanDeWalker, Matt Dimino, and Kim Lusty were the recipients of this years full membership benefits.

IBS Website

A database of members will be sent to Derek Smart at MD Publishing. Matt Dimino will be the main contact with Derek for website management. It was decided that all board members as well as Brad Garner will be administrators for the site.

IBS Logo Shirt Forms

When the IBS website is complete members will be able to order our logo shirts from the website.

Mid Year Conference

Hill-Rom will sponsor the Mid-year Conference at JAWACDAH Farm this June. There will only be 25 rooms available this year. The first 25 to respond via fax will be given a room. Members attending the March meeting were given the opportunity to sign up at that time. Currently seven rooms have been reserved.

2011 Annual Conference

The 20th Annual IBS conference will be held on January 22, 2011 at the Sheraton. Gary Shields has signed the contract and the keynote speaker will be Mary Logan of AAMI.

And finally don't forget to log your certification points for the March meeting. Give yourself ½ point for meeting attendance.

Kim Lusty

Mid-Year Meeting Information

The next IBS meeting will be our mid-year conference. It is scheduled for Friday and Saturday, June 11 & 12, at the Hill-Rom facility in Batesville, IN. We will start at 9:30 (EDT) on Friday morning with a tour of the Customer Experience Center. Following that, there will be a presentation by a Hill-Rom representative to introduce some of their new products and features related to the integration of various patient related systems and the medical record charting system. Our

business meeting will happen that afternoon at the lodge, where Hill-Rom has provided No Charge meals and overnight accommodations for up to 25 people. On Saturday beginning at 9:30, GE will present information about their integration of basic vital-signs measurements into an Electronic Medical Record system. The meeting is expected to end by about 1:00 Saturday afternoon.

IMPORTANT: There is no-charge for any of this, courtesy of Hill-Rom, however we need to let them know how many people to expect, and our maximum is 25. Reservations are accepted on a first-come basis. Please contact Becky Burton at 317-355-2104 if you plan to attend. Tell her how many people will be in your group, and whether you are staying overnight. If you plan to stay overnight, specify how many rooms you will need.

See the Hill-Rom facility address, and the map and directions at the end of the newsletter.

Remaining 2010 Meetings

June 11 & 12: Mid-Year Conference (Details above)

September 11: St. Vincent Hospital Indianapolis, Intra-Aortic Balloon Pumps

November 13, 2010 (Location and topic to be determined)

**Save the Date: 20th Annual Conference,
January 22, 2011 - Sheraton City Centre**

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Thank You Regarding IUPUI Scholarship

INDIANA UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION

March 10, 2010

Mr. Kelly VanDeWalker
President
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Dear Mr. VanDewalker:

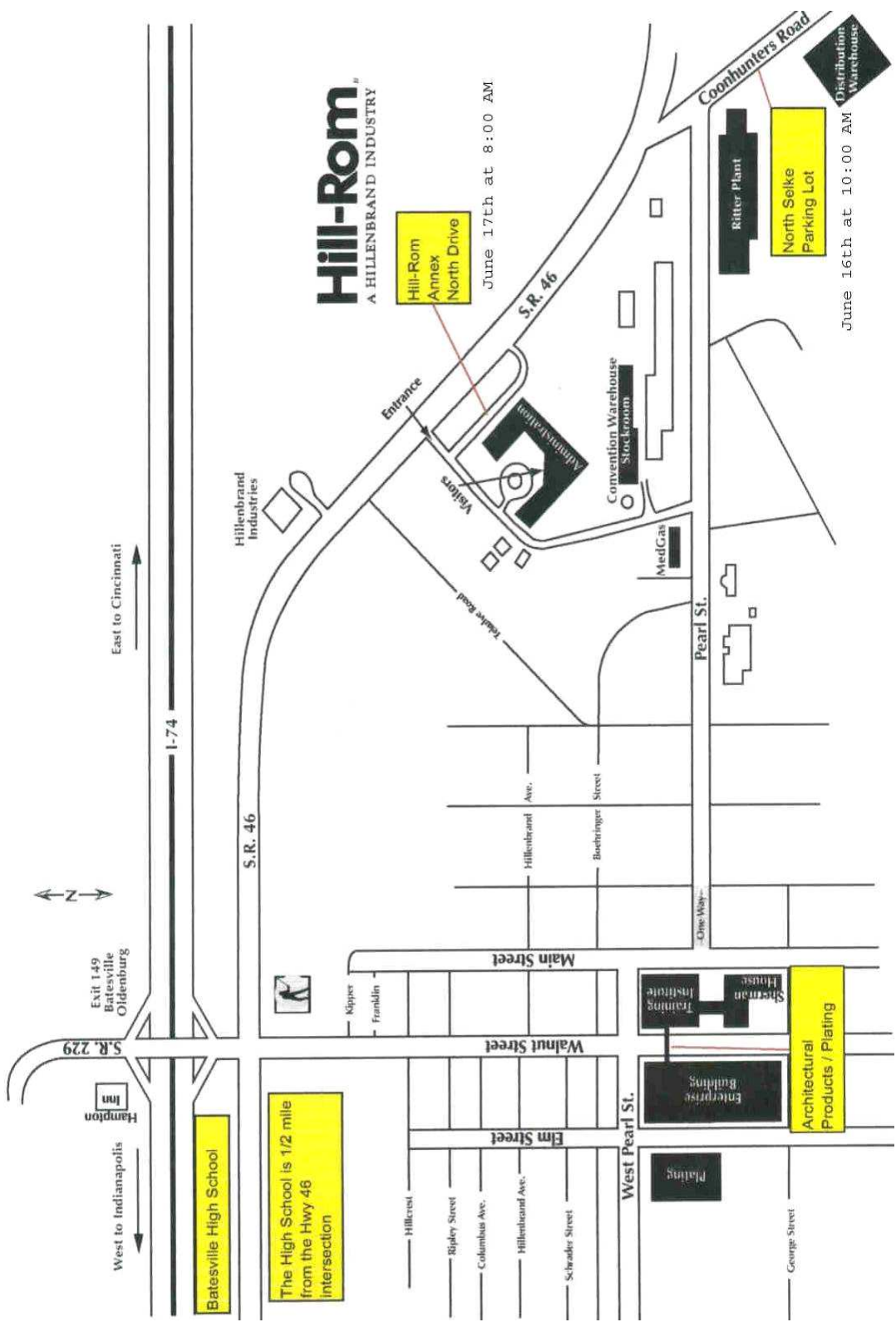
Thank you for your gift to the Phil Diehl Biomedical Scholarship at the IUPUI School of Engineering and Technology. IUPUI is able to retain award winning faculty, conduct groundbreaking research, and provide numerous opportunities for students because of the generosity of corporations, charitable foundations, and organizations, like yours.

Through your investment in our community, our state, and ultimately the world, you partner with us to help IUPUI secure a brighter future.

On behalf of all those at Indiana University — Purdue University Indianapolis who benefit from your altruism, thank you again for your support of IUPUI, and best wishes!

Sincerely,
Barbara S. Bosch
Executive Director
Corporate and Foundation Relations

Map and Directions



DIRECTIONS TO JAWACDAH FARM
812-934-7150

FROM INDIANAPOLIS
I-74 East to Exit 143 (New Point-St. Maurice) Left at end of ramp
At the bottom of the hill, turn right onto Base Road. (2.1 miles to Enochsburg)
At the Church turn left onto County Line Rd. (1 mile to Jawacdah Farm)

FROM CINCINNATI
I-74 West to Exit 143 (New Point-St. Maurice) Right at end of ramp
At the bottom of the hill, turn right onto Base Road. (2.1 miles to Enochsburg)
At the Church turn left onto County Line Rd. (1 mile to Jawacdah Farm)

FROM BATESVILLE
S.R. 46 West then turn right onto County Line Rd (4.5 miles to Enochsburg)
At the Church turn right onto County Line Rd.
(1 mile to Jawacdah Farm)

