

SAN ANTONIO MASONRY CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION

THE MORTAR BOARD



MARCH 2009

March General Membership Meeting- Tuesday!



The San Antonio Masonry Contractors Association will hold its monthly general membership meeting at 12 p.m. **Tuesday, March 24** at Pappadeaux restaurant, 76 NE Loop 410. The meeting is on Tuesday this month because the meeting room was not available on Wednesday. The Patron of Masonry – Architect Award will be presented to O'Neill Conrad Oppelt

Architects, Inc. Then the recipient, Mickey Conrad, will be the guest speaker.

In addition, during the meeting, an application for membership will be up for vote. Brooks Stone Ranch, Inc. (John Brooks) is the applicant. The cost of lunch is \$20 per person. **Call Debbie** to make your reservation for this meeting, at (830) 606-5556.

DON'T FORGET.....The SAMCA member who has the "BEST ATTENDANCE" record for meetings and events will win a free pass to the Christmas party. In the case of a tie, the names will be placed in a hat.

2009 Golden Trowel Awards Entries!

SAMCA has received 40 entries in the 2009 Golden Trowel Awards competition. The contest should be quite exciting. The photographer started taking the photos and the judging will be in May. The awards banquet will be held at the Club at Sonterra on Thursday, June 25, so don't forget to place the banquet on your calendar.

For further information, call Debbie Mason at (830) 606-5556, or e-mail at debmason@satx.rr.com.

13th Golf Classic is scheduled!

The Thirteenth Annual Golf Classic is scheduled for Thursday, April 30 at the Republic Golf Club, 4226 S.E. Military Drive. The cost of \$100 per golfer includes green fees, range balls, lunch buffet, beverages (3 beer or soda tickets), and a golf cart. Registration will begin at 11:30 a.m., lunch will be served at 12 noon, and the shotgun start will be 1 p.m. For anyone who would like to attend the event, but does not want to play golf, the cost is \$25. Late



registration (after April 22) the fees will be \$110 for golfers and \$30 for non-golfers.

Prizes will be given for the closest to the hole, longest drive, and the straightest drive.

Sponsorships are available - First Prize Sponsorship for \$400, Second Prize Sponsorship for \$300, Third Prize Sponsorship for \$200, Beverage Sponsor for \$125, and Hole Sponsorships for \$100. Also, SAMCA is seeking donations of prizes for the closest to the hole, longest drive, and the straightest drive. If you are interested in being a sponsor, please call Michael Hunt, or email samca@satx.rr.com.

To make reservations, or obtain further information, call Michael Hunt at Curtis Hunt Restorations (210) 827-1167 or Debbie Mason (830) 606-5556

Get Well Wishes!

SAMCA sends get well wishes to Robbin Bostick (San Antonio Masonry & Tool Supply) who is recovering from a broken leg, ankle, and arm in a motorcycle accident in February. Also, Travis Crow (C.L. Crow Masonry) is recovering from an infection after he had back surgery in February. Mike Lacy (Groesbeck Masonry, Inc.) is working part-time while gaining his strength back after by-pass surgery. Best wishes and a speedy recovery to all!



News Tidbits

- Note that Debbie / SAMCA has a new email address – samca@satx.rr.com Please make this change in your email address book.
- Contractors should remind their apprentices to attend the apprentice classes.
- Central Texas Masonry Contractors Association (CTMCA) has scheduled their next general membership meeting for March 26. Their Golf Tournament will be May 18. Their association is up and running again.