

Richard Smith

From: yellowcat <yellowcat@myactv.net>
Sent: Saturday, July 20, 2013 9:16 AM
To: Martin
Cc: Western Masonry Inc; 'Richard Smith'; chris@priorfire.com; 'Glenn Overk'; 'Jerry Frisch'; 'John McDougall'; 'Michael Gilmore'; 'Norbert Senf'; 'Patrick Jenkins'; 'Steve Bushway'; ambiundo@yahoo.com; 'Dan Givens'
Subject: Re: Education Committee Update

Here's two more,

" Integral Ovens in Masonry Heaters ! "Is it merely a black, white, or gray issue! How can you be so sure?

" Keeping Up With the Frisch's ! " How, you too can become a certified heater mason in six easy steps and be well on your way to health, wealth, wisdom, and of course find true happiness !!!

David Moore

On Jul 19, 2013, at 6:13 PM, Martin <mpearson3@cox.net> wrote:

ditto,marty

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Thanks David,

I love your titles. They are very creative and whimsical, exactly what people will read and say " hum... I wonder what that's all about...maybe I should listen in". Thanks for all the thought, I think this is a great start to the next Ed Committee meeting. Anyone else wish to try top David's "Titles". How about: "A December Day in the Sun"..... The do's and Don'ts of fire building.

Jim

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Knowing how this sometimes works, that is if you suggest something , it becomes "YOUR" baby !!! And, it may grow to be an " UGLY BABY" !!! I will throw out a few title suggestions, anyway.

" Good Masonry Heater, Bad Masonry Heater "....Some design criteria that may tilt the odds either way !!!
Hint: Bigger is not always better !

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"Clearances to Combustibles "..... Looking beneath, behind and above the obvious...and if you must cheat, some legal ways to do it !

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Thanks, Dick, now I have these things stuck in my head !!

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Date: August 18th

Time: 8 P.M. Eastern Time

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Both of us agreed that it would be beneficial to have a short one hour webinar to begin with. If it goes well, and received well, we could then proceed to attempt a HMED Level 1, Module 1 webinar.

Third: **YOU'RE HOMEWORK**. If we are going to put together a one hour webinar we need a subject that is interesting and would be well received by the membership. Please reply to this email (use reply to all button) and suggest a title and subject (i.e. Correct Way to Connect a Chimney to a Masonry Heater, the Do's and Don'ts). If we can have a handful of subject ideas before the meeting on August 18th it will make the meeting go so much better.

There are many companies that offer webinars but ConferTel has been working with MHA for a couple of years now and have been very informative. The details of administrating a webinar and costs will be given at the committee meeting.

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