

The logo features the word "ASHRAE" in a bold, white, sans-serif font, enclosed within a white hexagonal outline that has a registered trademark symbol (®) at its top right vertex. To the right of this graphic, the words "Regina Chapter" are written in a large, white, serif font.

# ASHRAE Regina Chapter

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## President's Message

By Tyler Gamble

Happy Thanksgiving and Happy Halloween Everyone!

I hope you all have had a great fall thus far; it feels like it will be over soon and we'll see sn- NOPE! I won't say it! Hopefully that makes it stay away longer.

The ASHRAE year is in full swing as we approach our 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting of the year with special Distinguished Lecturer Darryl Boyce on October 23<sup>rd</sup>! Dave Samayoa, CTTC & ASHRAE Regina VP has also been busy at work lining up future topics based on your feedback on the survey he presented. He'll be drawing out a special prize for one lucky individual who filled out the survey.

Special recognition goes out this week to ASHRAE Regina board member Emily Albano who recently attended the inaugural 2024 Women In ASHRAE event held in Chicago in late September.

Nominations for various ASHRAE honours and awards are coming up on December 1<sup>st</sup>! Think you know of someone who deserves special recognition? Go to: <https://www.ashrae.org/membership/honors-and-awards> and then reach out to the BOG and see what we can do to help get the recognition that someone rightfully deserves!

### Meeting Notice

Wednesday October 23, 2024

Chapter Meeting  
Designing for Operational Excellence  
Darryl K. Boyce

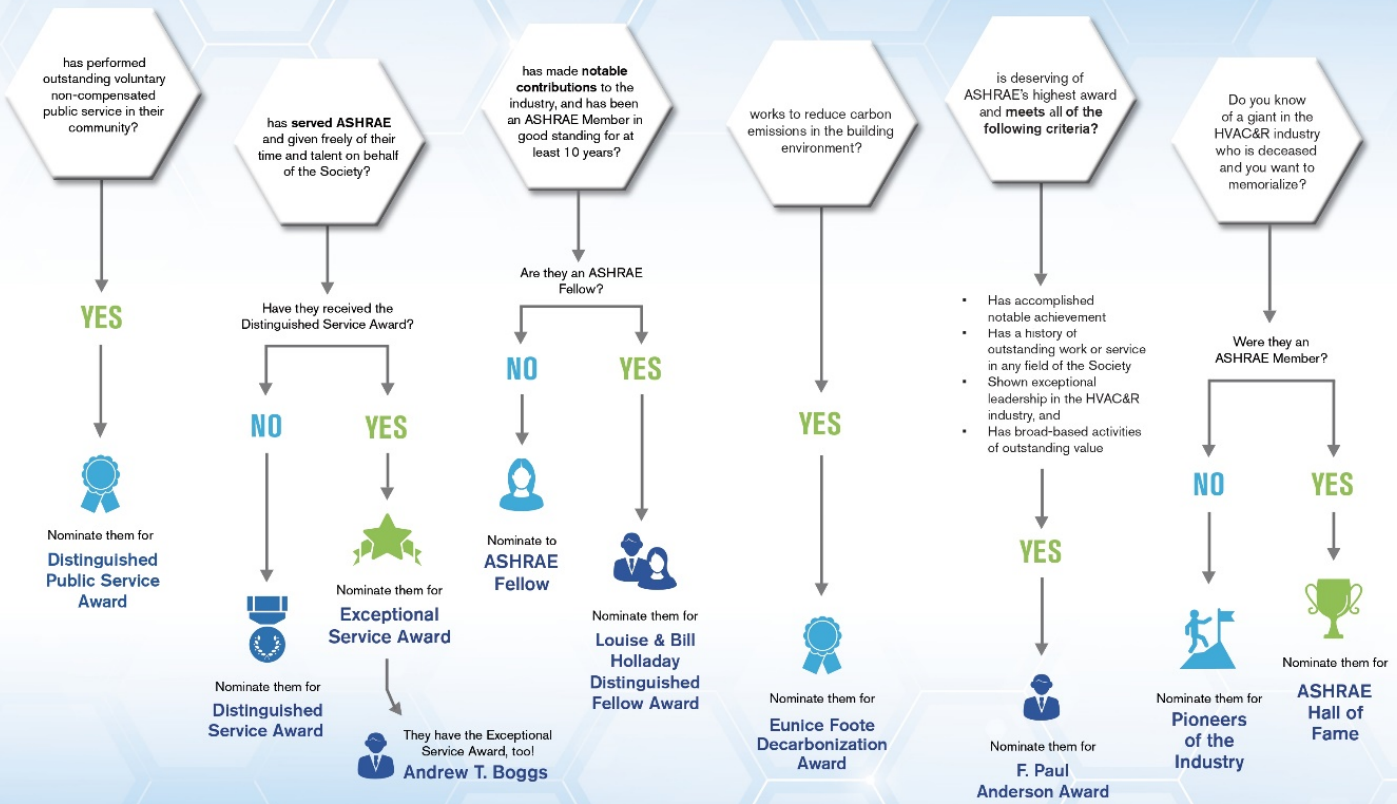
Meeting Location:  
Lakeshore Restaurant  
1350 – 23<sup>rd</sup> Avenue  
Regina, SK S4S 3S5

5:00pm – 5:30pm: Happy Hour  
5:30pm – 6:30pm: Presentation  
6:30pm – 7:30pm: Supper and  
Chapter Meeting



# ASHRAE SOCIETY HONORS & AWARDS

## Do you know an ASHRAE member who...



Learn more and nominate someone today at [ashrae.org/honorsandawards](http://ashrae.org/honorsandawards)

Our own Christmas party planning is on the go as well! We liked it so much Our very own Events coordinator Taylor Brezsinsky has us going back to see who the Cornhole Champion can be! Look for details in the newsletter.

Have an event or accomplishment you would like highlighted in our newsletter? Send it to our Chapter President and we'll make sure the word gets out!

Events around town!

**Construction Specifications Canada**

Connections Café 2024

October 24, 2024 5:00pm to 9:00pm

Hotel Saskatchewan Regency Ballroom

<https://regina.csc-dcc.ca/>

**Regina Construction Association**

President's Ball

October 25, 2025

Double Tree by Hilton – 1975 Broad Street

<https://constructionska.ca/>

**Mechanical Contractors Association of Saskatchewan**

BREAK THE MOLD – Women's Networking Event

October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2024 4pm-7pm

Queen City Pickleball Hub, 1700 Elphinstone, Regina

<https://www.mca-sask.com/>

**CSC**  
Regina Chapter  
<https://regina.csc-dcc.ca/>

Thursday, October 24, 2024  
5:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
Hotel Saskatchewan Regency Ballroom

**CONNECTIONS**  
*cafe*  
**2024**

**ADMIT ONE**

Mingle with many of Saskatchewan's construction professionals. Enjoy complimentary hors d'oeuvres while you connect with people you know and people you have just met.

This ticket courtesy of:

Printed and Digital  
Tickets Accepted  
Complimentary hors d'oeuvres  
Beverages available for purchase

**Major Door Prizes:**  
Garmin Dash Cam 47  
\$200 Victoria's Tavern Gift Card  
Ninja Creami Ice Cream Maker  
Beats Wireless Noise Cancelling Ear Buds

## Committee Chair Reports

### Research Promotion

By Chris Klatt

This month we will be raising money for Research Promotion (RP) by selling raffle tickets for an Ecobee Smart Thermostat Premium (valued at \$329.99) generously donated by Ecco Supply. See link for more details <https://www.ecobee.com/en-ca/smart-thermostats/smart-thermostat-premium/> Raffle tickets will be available for purchase at the October Chapter Meeting priced at: **1 for \$5, 3 for \$10, and 10 for \$20.** Ecco Supply will be recognized as the contributor for all money raised for this item.



Next month (November) Chapter meeting, we will be competing with a Wine Survivor. This is a great way to stock up on wine for the upcoming holiday season! Members will need to bring a bottle of their favourite wine and a \$20 donation to be able to compete. Players will be randomly eliminated throughout the meeting, with the last person standing wining all the wine. A second chance idol will be auctioned off to help your chances of winning!

Tickets are still available for the ASHRAE Regina Chapter Super 50/50. Tickets will be available all year long with the draw being held at the May Chapter meeting. Each ticket is \$20, and the winner will take home half of the jackpot. Jackpot is currently sitting at \$1,000.

A raffle ticket for the ASHRAE Regina Chapter Super 50/50. The ticket is green and white with a checkered pattern. It features the ASHRAE logo and the text 'Regina Chapter SUPER 50/50'. The donation amount is \$20. The draw will be held at the May 2025 Chapter Meeting. The ticket includes fields for Name, Phone, and Email.

RESEARCH PROMOTION

DONATION \$20

ASHRAE<sup>®</sup> Regina Chapter

**SUPER 50/50**

DRAW WILL BE HELD AT MAY 2025 CHAPTER MEETING  
DO NOT HAVE TO BE PRESENT TO WIN

ASHRAE RP  
SUPER 50/50

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

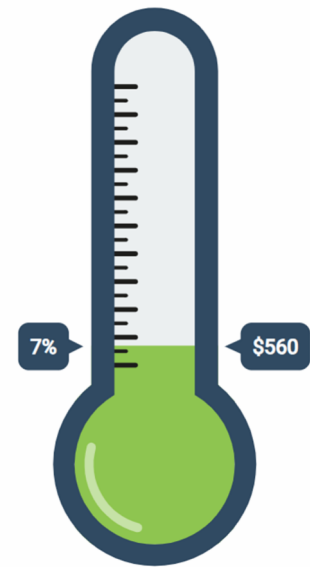
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Lastly, Region XI has revised our Chapter RP goal this year to \$8,000. We have already received a few donations and are currently sitting at a total of \$560.18 (7.0%) for the current year. Thank you to all who have donated.



**GOAL: \$8,000**



### **Student Branch Advisor & Student Activities**

By Emily Elbano

We had a number of University and SaskPoly students apply for the Grant Dawson and Don Bell Scholarships this year. I am please to announce the Blake Angus of the University of Regina was awarded the Grant Dawson Scholarship and Nathan Duncan of Saskatchewan Polytechnic was awarded the Don Bell Scholarship. Both of these students showed dedication to ASHRAE, their studies, and their future careers in the industry. I would like to thank all of the applicants and extend a heartfelt congratulations to our winners.

### **Special Events**

By Taylor Brezinsky

**SAVE THE DATE!**

Hello ASHRAE members! Mark your calendars for this year's ASHRAE Regina's Christmas Party & Cornhole Tournament! On Thursday, December 5<sup>th</sup>, we hope you'll join us again at The Backyard here in Regina for a fun and casual night of socializing, eating, drinking and of course cornhole. Non-members are welcome and the night will be complete with cash prizes for top three teams, raffle/door prizes, a cornhole prize wheel and ugly Christmas sweaters! If you or your company would like to donate a prize for this event, please contact me at [t.brezinsky@mac-eng.ca](mailto:t.brezinsky@mac-eng.ca). More details to follow in the coming weeks, cheers!

## Programs Chair

By Dave Samayoa

Thank you all for joining us at our first ASHRAE meeting of the year in September! We had an excellent presentation by Hadi Ramen of SaskEnergy where Hadi discussed emerging natural gas heat pump technologies and was able to discuss performance results from natural gas heat pumps installed in Saskatchewan.

This month we welcome distinguished lecturer, Darryl Boyce, P. Eng. Boyce is also a Fellow/Life Member and was the ASHRAE President for the 2019-2020 term. Boyce is retired and was previously special advisor to the vice-president (Finance and Administration) and the assistant vice president of facilities management and planning at Carleton University in Ottawa, Ontario. Boyce has worked on various projects to increase energy efficiency. His most recent projects include the SNOLAB project in Sudbury, Ontario, where he is responsible for the design and construction of a world class research facility for underground science. This presentation will focus on the critical issues for the design team as well as effective transition to operations. We are very excited to welcome Boyce to Regina.

Reminder to fill out the ASHRAE Regina Member Survey (<https://forms.office.com/r/FLrZ0ury2G>) before October 23, 2024 to be entered to win a \$100 gift card. Thank you to everyone who has filled out the survey so far. We will draw for the gift card during our Chapter meeting on October 23.

Please register for the November Globe Theatre Renovation Tour using this link ASAP:

<https://forms.gle/rZLz5RwfR4VCF4L88>

See our updated tentative Chapter meeting schedule below:

October 23, 2024 – Distinguished Lecturer Darryl Boyce P.Eng. “Designing for Operational Excellence.”

November 13, 2024 – Globe Theatre Renovation Tour led by Cailin MacPherson, P.Eng.

December 5, 2024 – Christmas Party

January 15, 2025 – Lunch Meeting – Project Management Principles and Strategies

February 5, 2025 – Wastewater Heat Pump Webinar

February 26, 2025 – ASHRAE Presidential Visit. Dennis Knight, P.E., BEMP

March 19, 2025 – Radiant Heating / Cooling Strategies

April 9, 2025 – Student Night

May 14, 2025 – TBC

June – Golf Tournament

## Social Media / Webmaster Chair

By Carla Drager

Keep up to date on activities and events from our local chapter by following us on LinkedIn and Instagram.



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## ASHRAE Society Events

2024 ASHRAE Decarbonization Conference: Decarbonizing Existing Tall Buildings

October 21-23

New York, NY

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/topical-conferences/2024-ashrae-decarbonization-conference>

ASHRAE Winter Conference

February 8-12, 2025

Orlando, FL

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/2025-winter-conference-orlando>

Third International Conference on Energy and Indoor Environment for Hot Climates

April 23-24, 2025

Doha, Qatar

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/topical-conferences/third-international-conference-on-energy-and-indoor-environment-for-hot-climates>

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ASHRAE Annual Conference

June 21-25, 2025

Phoenix, AZ

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/2025-annual-conference-phoenix>

IEQ 2025 Conference

September 24-26, 2025

Montreal QC

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/topical-conferences/ieq-2025-conference>

Buildings XVI Conference

December 8-11, 2025

Clear Water Beach, FL

<https://www.ashrae.org/conferences/topical-conferences/2025-building-xvi-conference>

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-YEA (Young Engineers in ASHRAE) Chair  
-Historian