

July 2025 Newsletter

PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Dear Central Indiana ASSP Members,

It is with immense honor and enthusiasm that I address you as your new President. Having been a part of the Central Indiana ASSP for over a decade, serving in various capacities such as Social Media Chair, Emerging Professionals, and Vice President, I have witnessed firsthand the incredible dedication and passion within our chapter. To now serve as your President is a privilege I deeply cherish, and I am incredibly excited to embrace this new role and engage with each of you.

As we move forward, I am particularly looking forward to connecting with many of you at our upcoming events. Mark your calendars for our annual Future Safety Leaders Golf Outing in July! This event is not only a fantastic opportunity to network and enjoy a day on the green, but it also serves a vital purpose. The funds

raised from the golf outing directly contribute to scholarships for occupational safety and health management students, helping to cultivate the next generation of safety leaders. Your participation directly supports these aspiring professionals and the future of our industry.

I am truly excited to see many familiar and new faces at the golf outing and at our upcoming chapter meetings. Thank you for everything you do and have a great week!

Best regards,

Karl Weisser

President, Central Indiana ASSP

UPCOMING EVENTS

Outdoor Air Quality and Permitting

Get ready to dive into a topic that's as vital as the air we breathe - literally! Join us for an engaging and informative session as we tackle outdoor air quality and permitting. We'll explore how air quality impacts our health and the environment, and why staying on top of permits and regulations is crucial. You'll leave equipped with the knowledge to ensure our air stays clean and our operations stay compliant. Don't miss out on this chance to clear the air and have some fun!

Friday, July 11, 2025 11:30am - 1:00pm

TOPIC: Outdoor Air Quality and Permitting

Speaker: Monica Dick, Compliance Consultant at August Mack Environmental, Inc.

Venue: Associated Builders and Contractors (ABC)
5001 N. Shadeland Ave., Indianapolis, Indiana, 46226

Special THANKS to ABC for providing our meeting space!



Special THANKS to August Mack for providing lunch!



REGISTER HERE!

2025 Chapter Meeting Calendar

We continue to work hard to plan a year filled with events focused on **relevant safety topics** and top-notch **speakers** for our Central Indiana ASSP membership. Below is a preliminary list of dates and topics for 2025. While these are subject to change, we hope this gives you a chance to plan ahead and ensure you can join us for these valuable events!

Wednesday, August 13, 2025 - 8:00am - 10:00am

TOPIC: Ethics

Speaker: Nancy McClellan

Venue: Fishers Dept. of Public Works

Special Note: *All BCSP credential holders must earn recert points from courses on ethics - don't miss this opportunity!*

Register Here!

Friday, September 12, 2025 - 12:00pm - 4:00pm

TOPIC: Multi-Generational Workforce Workshop

Speaker: Mitch Isaacs

Venue: BCSP

Wednesday, October 8, 2025 - 8:00am - 9:30am

TOPIC: Positive Mental Health Practices from an Emergency Responder

Speaker: Ephina Desinger

Venue: SMG - Safety Yard, Lebanon

Friday, November 7, 2025 - 11:30am - 1:00pm

TOPIC: 4 Reasons Frontline Leaders Struggle to Deliver Safety Results

Speaker: Rodney Grieves

Venue: TBD

Special Note: *If you or your company is available to host and/or provide the meal, please reach out to Ginger.Dayton@atipt.com*

Wednesday, December 10, 2025

TOPIC: IOSHA Update

Check out our [EVENT CALENDAR](#) for more info on these upcoming topics!

1. In addition to monthly chapter meetings, CI ASSP is offering quarterly events focused on the following special interests:

- Construction – May, August, and November
- WISE – June, September, and December
- BISE – April, July, and October

Everyone is invited to attend – please register online for any event you plan to attend to ensure we have seating, food (if applicable), and any handouts available for all attendees.

2. Based on positive feedback, we will be continuing the “Breakfast and Best Practices” events. This is an opportunity to network, share successes, get information on something you are working on, learn something new and meet other safety professionals.
3. Periodically, about every other month, there will be Online Technical Meetings where members who attend can earn CEUs at no additional cost.
4. We have several very special chapter meetings scheduled, as listed above.
5. Please add all the CI ASSP activities to your calendar and join us! Remember, based on input, we are alternating monthly chapter meetings between Wednesday morning and Friday lunch.

Meeting Hosts and Meal Sponsors

We are looking for meeting hosts and meal sponsors:

- November 7th 11:30 – 1pm location and meal

If you or your company is available to host and/or provide the meal, please reach out to Ginger.Dayton@atipt.com

If you have a suggestion for a location – email Ginger.Dayton@atipt.com

Become More Involved with CI ASSP

Looking for a way to get more involved in our chapter? Join us at one of our **board meetings!** This is a great opportunity to gain insight into the planning and preparation behind our **monthly chapter meetings, annual Health & Safety Conference, and other events** like **Breakfast & Best Practices, BISE, WISE, and our Student Section gatherings.**

We'd love to have you sit in on a meeting and see how you can contribute! There are opportunities that require both **larger and smaller time commitments**, so you can get involved in a way that fits your schedule.

Interested? Reach out to **Mark Frye** at mcfrye@mmm.com to learn more!

13th Annual Future Safety Leaders Golf Outing **Friday, July 25, 2025**

ONLY 10 SPOTS REMAIN - SIGN UP TODAY!

Mark your calendars for **Friday, July 25, 2025**—the Central Indiana Chapter's **13th Annual Future Safety Leaders Golf Outing** is just around the corner! This exciting event is your chance to enjoy a day on the course while making a lasting impact on the future of the safety profession.

Thanks to your continued support, **over the past 12 years, our chapter has awarded 45 scholarships** to Indiana students pursuing careers in Occupational Safety and Health. Your participation and sponsorship directly help shape the next generation of safety professionals.

Sponsorship opportunities are still available! Whether you're interested in being a hole sponsor, beverage cart sponsor, or providing raffle prizes, there's a level for every organization to get involved and be recognized.

Sponsorship Opportunities are available for this event! Please reach out to ciasspgolfouting@gmail.com for more details!

Premier Sponsor - \$3,500



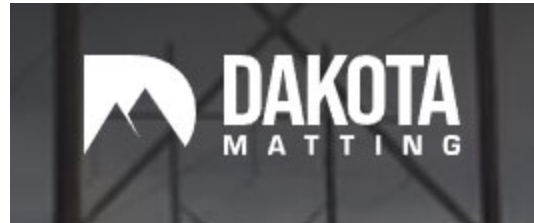
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Partner Sponsor - \$2,000 *(Includes: Opportunity to welcome attendees at registration and shotgun start, tent at hole of choice, foursome, large sponsorship sign, tee and green sponsorship, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Sign Sponsor - \$1,500 *(Includes: Company logo will be placed on all golf outing signs)*

Lunch Sponsor - \$1,000 *(Includes: Large sponsorship sign, tee and green sponsorship, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Hole Sponsor with Foursome - \$750 *(Includes: Foursome, tent at hole of choice, sponsorship sign at tee box, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Hole Sponsor with Twosome - \$500 *(Includes: Registration for Two golfers, tent at hole of choice, sponsorship sign at tee box, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Beverage/Snack Cart Sponsor - \$500 *(Includes: Tent at hole of choice, sponsorship sign on beverage cart, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Hole Sponsor - \$350 *(Includes: Tent at hole of choice, sponsorship sign at tee box, logo in chapter newsletters and name on website, and special recognition at Outing)*

Sponsorship Opportunities are available for this event!

Information Here!



Chapter Member Appreciation/ Construction Member Networking Event Thursday, August 7, 2025

Central Indiana Chapter members are encouraged to join Chapter officers and leaders at Indy's premier golf experience, Back 9, for an afternoon of FUN and networking!
This is an exclusive event, limited to 40 Chapter members.

Join us for FOOD, DRINKS, and GOLF!

Thursday, August 7, 2025 - 3:00pm - 5:00pm
Venue: Back 9 Golf and Entertainment
1415 Drover Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46221



[Register Here!](#)

ASSP Annual Conference

Workplace safety and health will continue to evolve, and the American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP) will continue to connect you with industry expertise, a network of like-minded peers and the latest innovations. 2024 was a SOLD OUT year so be sure to save the date for our 64th annual Conference and Expo.

[Get more information here](#)

2026 Indiana Safety & Health Conference **February 23 - 25, 2026**

The 2026 Indiana Safety and Health Conference & Expo is filled with need-to-know training to keep your employees and colleagues safe on the job site. Featuring more than 70 breakout sessions and over 100 exhibitors and sponsors, this is a conference you DON'T want to miss!

[Get more information here](#)

NEWS

July is National Fireworks Safety Month

July brings warmer weather, backyard bar-b-ques, fun, family, and FIREWORKS! But every year, firework-related incidents are bad enough that medical treatment is required. Additionally, fireworks are responsible for nearly 19,000 fires each year!

Our work as safety professionals doesn't stop at the office. As consumers of fireworks, whether we choose to watch them or set them off ourselves, we must ensure we are doing so safely.

The National Safety Council shares the following tips:

- Never allow young children to handle fireworks

- Older children should use them only under close adult supervision
- Never use fireworks while impaired by drugs or alcohol
- Anyone using fireworks or standing nearby should wear protective eyewear
- Never hold lighted fireworks in your hands
- Never light them indoors
- Only use them away from people, houses and flammable material
- Never point or throw fireworks at another person
- Only light one device at a time and maintain a safe distance after lighting
- Never ignite devices in a container
- Do not try to re-light or handle malfunctioning fireworks
- Soak both spent and unused fireworks in water for a few hours before discarding
- Keep a bucket of water nearby to fully extinguish fireworks that don't go off or in case of fire
- Never use illegal fireworks



Photo Roundup!



Fun times at The SMG Safety Yard for our JUNE chapter meeting!

Career Opportunities

[Safety Director \(Avon, IN\)](#)

April 18, 2025

2024 Central Indiana ASSP Chapter Officers & Committee Chairs