



## SAFPA NEWSLETTER – June 2011

To ALL our valued SAFPA Members both Corporate and Individual

It has only been a few weeks since our last Newsletter in March but it was felt that we have to get our membership au fait with progress on the SAFPA Safety Training Course.

### Our Next Technical Meeting:-

- A presentation by Walter Zimmerman  
On "Filtration" Venue and Date to be confirmed.

**Annual General Meeting:-** Again turnout and support of your association was extremely disappointing for this meeting. We can only assume that your Council are performing well or that the membership is apathetic which we hope is not the case. The newly elected incoming Council will comprise;

Norman Hall – Hyflo (President)                      Walter Zimmerman- Hydraulic Training & Consultants (Vice President)  
Willem Gijzelaar – Hytec                      Russell Gill – EHS      Manny Vieira – Ernest Lowe      Craig Sim – Turnkey Hydraulics  
Fritz Kern – Axiom                      Paul Tift – Hydrastatic Sales      Bruce Garner - Genflex

### The SAFPA Web Site & SAFPA Safety Training Course:-

Our website has been updated and on it you will find details of the SAFPA Safety Course which we are now ready to start holding. We have 4 trainers Russell Gill and Walter Zimmerman (Johannesburg) Bob van As (Durban) and Bryan Kelly (Cape Town) and the secretariat are standing by to take bookings. Let us know if you are interested in attending and when we have sufficient numbers we will confirm a date and venue. For those of you not having access to internet here are the details of the course.

A one day course covering the basics of working safely with hydraulic hose for ONLY R1750 including refreshments and lunch.

### Purpose of Course

This one day course has been developed to provide an introduction into hydraulic hose, connectors and the safe assembly of these components for industry use. On completion the attendee will have a knowledge and understanding of safe hose assembly manufacture and, if applied, will only enhance the safety within the fluid power industry and the attendee .

### ***In-House Courses;***

In-house courses may be conducted. Prices on application.

### ***Who should attend?***

OEM artisans, foremen, supervisors and managers  
All personnel involved in the assembly and supply of hydraulic hose and connectors

### ***Course Content:***

- Basic Hose Principles
- Health, Safety and environment
- Hose and Connector Selection
- Hose Assembly
- Hose and Connectors Failure
- Important Rules
- Two Video presentations on hose manufacture and hose safety

### Market Survey:-

We will shortly be approaching all of our membership to participate in an updated Market Survey and will request information as at the end of 2010. The survey will again be conducted by Tshwane University of Technology.

### Dates to Diarise:-

Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> June 2011	Captains of Industry meeting – Bryanston Country Club
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September 2011	SAFPA Annual Dinner – Bryanston Country Club
Sunday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October 2011	SAFPA Inter Company 6 A-Side Soccer Tournament
Wednesday 2 <sup>nd</sup> November 2011	SAFPA Annual Golf Day – Benoni Country Club

Regards  
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