

Oregon Section



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Institute of Food Technologists

OREGON SECTION

IFT Meeting

Tuesday, December 11, 2007

Location:

Langdon Farms
 24377 NE Airport Road
 Aurora, Oregon 97002
 Phone: 503.678.GOLF

Times:

4:30 PM Executive Committee
 5:30 PM Social Hour/Registration
 6:30 PM Dinner
 7:30 PM Speaker

Registration Fee:

Advance Registration: \$25.00
 At the Door: \$28.00
 Students: \$13.00

Directions to Landon Farms:

Going South on I-5:

Take exit 282B, towards Charbonneau District. Turn left onto NE Miley Rd. (going over the overpass). Turn slight Right onto NE Airport Rd.

Going North on I-5

Take exit 282, toward Canby. Turn Right onto NE Miley Rd. Turn slight Right onto NE Airport Rd.

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

Jeff Clawson

Happy Holidays – I guess...

It is that time of year again; we are bombarded by flashy lights, commercial jingles, and endless holiday music from now until the first of the New Year. Seems like every store has a product we have to buy or there is that special toy that the kids must have. It is difficult to escape the advertising we see daily yet easy to push it to the background and ignore it. Quite often we, as individuals and as a society, do the same to those less fortunate than ourselves.

So far this year the outlook has been fairly grim for the Oregon Food Banks as the USDA Food Commodity Program has shrunk in both budget and food supply and people on the whole are giving less. Just last week in Eugene the Scouting for Hunger canned food drive netted 2,000 pounds of food compared to 11,000 last year.

So now is your chance to help out! Come to the December Meeting and bring at least two cans of food – more if you are able. Anyone who brings canned goods will get a ticket for the raffle at the end of the meeting – there are always awesome baskets and gifts to be raffled off. Along with the canned goods donated at the meeting the section will also be sending a check to the Oregon Food Bank for \$1,000.

Hope to see you there!

Cheers!

Jeff Clawson
OSIFT Chair

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MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Attention Oregon Regional Associate Members:
Your membership expires the end of December. The time to renew is now. Please use the updated form.

National Members:

If your membership is due by the end of the year, IFT is offering an incentive for you to renew early. Renew your membership before December 3rd, and IFT will send you a USB flash drive and enter you into a drawing for one of five iPod nanos. It's easy to renew on line, just go to www.ift.org. Remember to add the Oregon Section to your membership fee.

The membership chair is changing hands as of December 1st. Please welcome Lindsey Moreland as your new membership chair. She can be reached at Oregon Spice 503-238-0664, lindsey@oregonspice.com

Happy Holidays,

Carolyn Brown
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OSU Department of Food Science and Technology Extension Service offers Better Process Control School

Oregon Better Process Control School

January 23-31, 2008

School Location: Salbasgeon Suites

<http://www.salbasgeon.com/corvallis.html>

1730 NW 9th Street Corvallis, Oregon

\$600 if registered BY January 14, 2008

\$650 if registered AFTER January 14, 2008

Prepayment required.

Please make check payable to:

OSU Dept. of Food Science

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2007-2008 Meetings

Mark your calendars now! Meeting times are the same unless noted:

4:30 PM Executive Committee Meeting

5:30 PM Social Hour/Registration

6:30 PM Dinner

7:30 PM Presentation

Tuesday, January 15, 2008

Regional Meeting

Location: Oregon Convention Center.

Speaker/Topic: NWFPA Food Packaging Expo

Tuesday, February 5, 2008

Location: Otto and Anita's European Restaurant.

3025 SW Canby Street, Portland

Speaker/Topic: to be determined

Monday, February 25, 2008

Location: Lloyd Center Doubletree,

1000 NE Multnomah, Portland

Speaker/Topic: Suppliers' Night

Tuesday, April 8, 2008

Location: Alessandro's,

120 Commercial St NE, Salem

Speaker/Topic: 97th Annual Oregon Dairy
Industries Conference

Tuesday, May 13, 2008

Location: Northwest Viticulture Center,

215 Doaks Ferry Road NW, Salem

Speaker/Topic: Annual OSIFT Awards Program

Save the date!

IFT Annual Meeting & Food ExpoSM
June 28 - July 2, 2008, New Orleans, LA

IFT08
ANNUAL MEETING + FOOD EXPO



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Address Service Requested

December OSIFT Meeting Reservations
Please make your dinner reservations no later than 5:00 PM on Thursday, December 6th for the meeting on Tuesday, December 11th, 2007. (See meeting details on cover page.)

PLEASE PRINT:
Name: _____
Company _____

This is a confirmation of a phoned/FAXed reservation.

A person making a reservation and then not attending will be billed for the price of the dinner, unless (1) the reservation is cancelled before the indicated deadline for the month, or (2) he/she sends a replacement who has not already made a reservation.

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PLEASE MAKE YOU MEETING PAYMENT BY CHECK (EITHER PERSONAL OR BUSINESS) AND PRESENT YOUR CHECK TO THE HOSPITALITY TABLE AT MEETING CHECK-IN.