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NOVEMBER TOUR & DINNER MEETING

Thursday, November 21, 2002

PROGRAM:

FALK CORPORATION

Plant Tour

• Topic: Operations, Products, Market – an Overview of the Falk Company Business History

SPEAKERS:

Glenn J. Kormanik, Director of Manufacturing Bill Hankes, Engineering Manager

For more than 100 years, the Falk Corporation has been supplying precision power transmission equipment – small and large gear drives, flexible shaft and fluid couplings, custom industrial gearing, marine power systems – to a world wide market.

The Falk Corporation has grown to become one of the world's largest and most diversified sources for gear drives, couplings and related equipment. Global application technologies, along with worldwide availability, make Falk quality accessible, no matter where you are.

Do to the nature of the plant facility tour, no one wearing high heeled shoes, sandals, or open toe nor open heel footwear will be admitted into the building. Please prepare ahead of time and dress accordingly. Closed, stable footwear is required.

--- MEETING AGENDA ---

Tour: The Falk Corporation

Location 3001 W Canal Street

Milwaukee, WI 53208

phone: 414-342-3131

Time: 3:00-4:30 pm

Dinner: American Serb Hall

Location 5101 W Oklahoma Ave

Milwaukee, WI 53219 phone: 414-545-6030

Social / Dinner: 5:00 pm / 5:45 pm

Presentation: 6:30 pm

DINNER MENU:

Buffet will be provided - *No selection is required*Main course includes <u>Beef Burgundy Tips</u>,
Chicken Cordon Blue, <u>Deep Fried Alaskan Pollack</u>

Fresh California blend, oven browns, pasta salad, tossed green salad, veggies and dip, rolls, butter and beverage (coffee, milk) and dessert.

Dinner Costs:

SAE Members / spouses: \$17.00 Retirees: \$15.00 Guests / Non-members: \$18.00 Students: \$7.00

Registration Info:

Event registrations for tour and dinner must be made prior by NOON on **Friday**, **Nov 15th**. Registration via email: milw-sae@wi.rr.com,

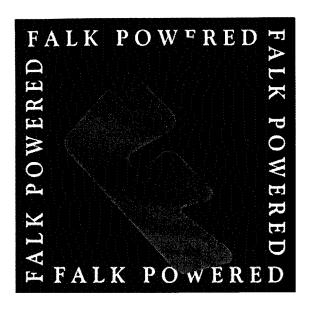
voice: 414-616-1722 (Jon Kobleske), or register with a Charge Card @ http://milwaukee.sae.org . Please include proper spelling of your name.

"No-shows" with reservations will be billed. Fifty-year members are entitled to a free meal annually.

Speaker:

Bill Hankes, P.E., Engineering Manager

Bill is a Milwaukee native who received his BSME from Marquette University in 1989. While in school Bill was active in SAE, participating in two Formula SAE events and has remained a member in good standing. After a two-year assignment overseas in Australia, Bill returned to Marquette for his MBA, which was completed in 1999. Bill is a registered Professional Engineer in Wisconsin and is currently an Engineering Manager at Falk. His responsibilities include large open gearing, marine propulsion drives, aftermarket support and new product development.



His Presentation:

- United Technologies/Hamilton Sundstrand/Falk structure
- Global operations
- Products and how we go to market
- AGMA/ISO engineering standards and participation
- Design technologies utilized

Speaker:

Glenn J. Kormanik, MBA, Director of Manufacturing

Glenn began his career at Falk as an Engineering Co-op through GMI Engineering & Management Institute (formerly the General Motors Institute and now Kettering University). Glenn has also earned an MBA from Marquette University. After completing his BS-Mechanical Engineering,



Glenn joined Falk as a Manufacturing Engineer. He has held various manufacturing engineering and operations management roles for both Falk facilities in the Milwaukee area. Currently, Glenn has responsibility for all of Falk's domestic manufacturing including technical support and plant engineering and maintenance. He is also charged with leading Falk's lean manufacturing focus and EH&S initiatives.

His Presentation:

- Manufacturing capabilities worldwide
- Technologies: steel casting, heat treat, gear manufacturing, gear tooth grinding and inspection, assembly, test
- ACE
- Value stream & lean manufacturing (outsourcing, UT500, etc)
- RENEW
- Demographics

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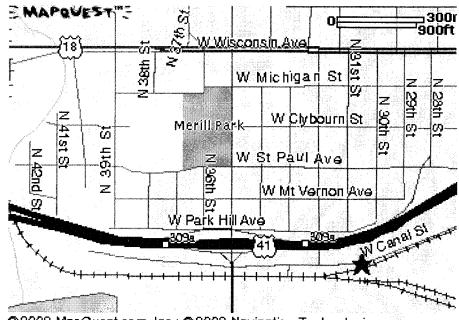
- Driving Directions to FALK-

If exiting westbound I-94 (east-west freeway to Madison) on the 35th street exit, turn RIGHT (north) at the STOP LIGHT onto 35th street, proceed 1 block to Mount Vernon Street. Turn RIGHT (east) on Mount Vernon, proceed 3 blocks to 32nd Street. Turn RIGHT onto 32nd ~ 2 blocks to Canal Street, crossing the I-94 freeway. Canal and 32nd form a "T". You will see the Falk sign here. Turn LEFT onto Canal Street for about 75 feet to Falk.

- Directions from Falk to Serb Hall -

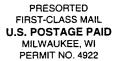
Go back to CANAL Street and 32nd. Turn Right on 32nd and just cross over I-94 to the first road, Park Hill Avenue. Turn LEFT (west) take the I-94 WEST/US-41 NORTH ramp after 35th Street. Merge onto I-94 WEST and move to left (inside) lane. Take the WI-341 SOUTH exit #308B (comes up quickly). The freeway goes past Miller Park Stadium and turns into 43rd Street. Continue on 43rd Street 2.4 miles to Oklahoma Avenue. Turn RIGHT (west) on Oklahoma, proceed to 51st Street and the Serb Hall parking lot.

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