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The Mid-Ohio Valley Safety Council is co-sponsored by the Marietta Area Chamber of Commerce and the Ohio Bureau for Workers Compensation Division of Safety and Hygiene

Thank you for your participation in the Mid-Ohio Valley Safety Council rated the #2 Safety Council in Ohio.

Safety Council News

Working for our Future!

The Mid-Ohio Valley Safety Council board of Directors announced that they will be joining with the Marietta Area Chamber of Commerce and Washington County Career Center to offer OSHA 10-Hour Construction and General Industry Training to all 400+ students.

MOVSC board member Cheryl Kiggans with Pioneer Pipe said "We know the value this training will provide to the students in increasing their own safety awareness and it will give them a competitive edge in competition for jobs".

Rhonda Knoch with the Washington County Career Center said " The Career Center is fortunate to have the strong support of the Marietta Area Chamber of Commerce and the Mid-Ohio Valley Safety Council by teaching our students that safety comes first. We want our students to not only be successful in their careers; but also by their own actions, be protected throughout their life."

This training is the second part of a youth initiative taken on by the MOVSC. In September, 2008 the council conducted a Youth Safety Day at the Career Center that involved a full-day of training (70 classes) provided by safety professionals to 250 juniors. Sessions included Fire Extinguisher Training, Hearing Protection, Eye Protection, Interactive sessions with PPE, Work Ethics, Safe Driving, Confined Space Awareness, Electrical Hazards and much more.

The Chamber would like to thank the following members for volunteering their time to conduct the OSHA training.

Greg Hutchison - GJH & Associates
Greg Adams - Lang Masonry
Joe Kunze - Leasco Equipment Services
Jim Bolinger - O'Brien's Safety Services
Kathy Archer - Pioneer Pipe
Cheryl Kiggans - Pioneer Pipe
Carmen Shafer - Shafer Safety Solutions
Jim Asbury - Solvay Advanced Polymers
Sally Beckwith - Solvay Advanced Polymers
Allen Thacker - Washington Group International - Eramet
Tracy Thompson - Ohio BWC
Howie Ebert - OSHA