

NEWS & VIEWS

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ORACCA's December Events

ORACCA Meeting at Lennox

The **December 11th meeting** of the Oregon Chapter of Air Conditioning Contractors of America is scheduled to be held at **Lennox Industries, 13101 SE 84th Ave., Bldg. A, Clackamas, OR. 97015.**

Our Holiday Lunch is being provided by Lennox so bring your appetite and join your fellow HVAC contractors to celebrate our 2014 holiday .

The time for the meeting is 11:30

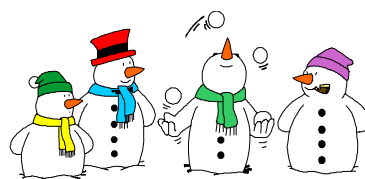
Real Estate Mold Solutions has recently joined ORACCA to support the association and partner with members to provide solutions when mold is discovered at a property.

Please join us at the December 11th general meeting to learn how to recognize mold in various growth stages and different substrates. We will also present our Referral Program which can be a valuable resource to both you and your clients. We will also have some gift card drawings...

Real Estate Mold Solutions is licensed & certified for mold inspection and remediation in Oregon & Washington through CMRC and CMI. Inspections are free and provide information regarding ongoing moisture control, testing, remediation process and service recommendations.

See you at Lennox!

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM THE STAFF
AT ORACCA HEADQUARTERS**



Sam Laurel Dick David



Suzanne

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What?

Mold Solutions

When?

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Happy Holidays! from ORACCA



**Best wishes to all for a
wonderful holiday season and
a new year filled with peace
and prosperity!**

'Tis the season of Christmas, and of all the bad luck, we're all stuck here with Dick, who thinks this whole thing just sucks.

While others keep busy with their holiday rush, he's mumbling obscenities that would make the Grinch blush.

The crew is all happy, decorating the office and the fax machines humming, the emails won't stop. The financials look great, this year has been super, but none of that changes his holiday stupor.

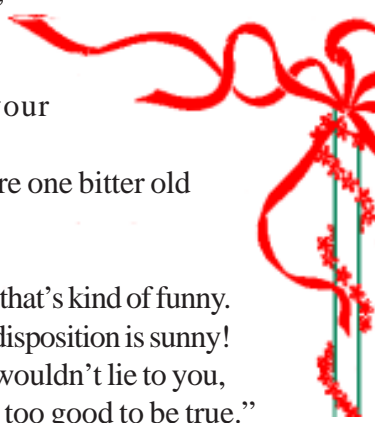
So he sits in his office, alone, Christmas Eve and what happens next he just doesn't believe. He heard a jingling outside, and the scraping of hooves. "OH NO!" he exclaimed as he climbed to the roof.

Sure enough, there he stood in all of his glory, It was Santa, just like you'd see him in a holiday story.



He dismounted his sleigh and pulled Dick aside, He said, "Let's go inside and talk before I continue my ride".

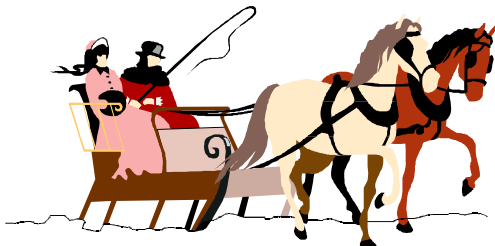
So they climbed down through the hatch and descended the ladder, Santa said, "C'mon, Dick, tell me what's the matter.



We need to discuss your holiday mood I'm starting to think you're one bitter old dude!"

"Bitter?" Dick said, "Now that's kind of funny. Compared to last year my disposition is sunny! "Seriously," he added, "I wouldn't lie to you, the year we've just had is too good to be true."

"Great," Santa said "If it's true that's fantastic! But it's hard to tell if you're just being sarcastic. The holidays come just one time each year,



Would it kill you to show just a hint of good cheer?"

As he stood up to leave, Santa said with a smile, "I want you to sit here and think for a while. Consider all the things for which you should be grateful, and find a way to express them without being mordant and hateful."

Santa went back upstairs, and they both said goodbye. "Merry Christmas, friend Dick!" he said, already on the fly.

Dick returned to his desk, once again all alone, and sat down to create this brief Christmas poem.

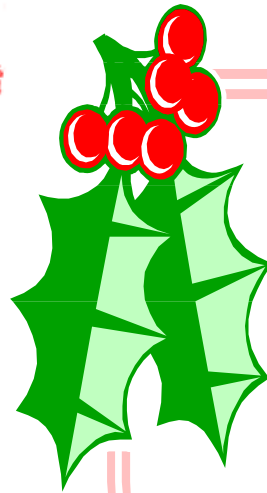
To all of our members, prospective, old and new,



Thanks for your support! We're all indebted to you!

We wish you good times, prosperity, and cheer, Success in the future, Good Health and big profits in the upcoming year!

So show up at Lennox and mix and mingle. We might share a Christmas time jingle. The food they are serving will fill you to the brim. Join with us to toast to another year, filled with the hope of peace and prosperity.



*Happy Holidays from
Your Association
Headquarters Team.
Suzanne, Dick, Dave,
Susan, Kathy, Melanie,
Collin, Laurel, Laslo,
Bruce, Sherril, Marty,
and Sam*

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Brazing Testing in Eugene at RSD on December 6th.

Brazing Testing in Portland at PCC on December 12th. Go to www.oracca.org for registration information.

Brazing Testing in Salem at RSD on December 13th.

See the ORACCA website for other training/testing opportunities in 2015. The new calendar will be posted by year end, 2014.

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	<h3>MEETING DATES</h3> <p>A. January 9, 2014 - Rebate program roundtable with ETO, PGE, NWN. B. February 13, 2014 - Honeywell Presentation @ YORK Tigard March 13, 2014 - Codes Update - York, Tigard C. March 17-20, 2014 - ACCA National Meeting, Nashville, TN. D. April 4, 2014 - Hold'M/Blackjack Night @ NW Natural E. May 8, 2014 - GENSCO Presentation @ NW College of Construction F. June 12, 2014 - Technician Day - Johnstone Supply G. July 14, 2014 - Golf Tournament H. August 2014 - No meeting I. September 20, 2014 -Shoot out Canby Rod & Gun Club J. October 09, 2014 - Johnson Air Presentation@ Johnson Air K. November 13, 2014 - Time management, York, Tigard November 18, 2014: Technicain training @ NW CC L. December 11, 2014 - Xmas party - Lennox How to deal with Mold.</p>	

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association's activities.
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