

NEWS & VIEWS

June, 2020

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Due to the spread of the Coronavirus we have canceled our June Meetings

June 18th ORACCA/ OMOA meeting is can- celled!

ORACCA Calendar
**We are starting to clear
the air a bit. ORACCA
Golf is ON!! See page 2
for registration.**

ORACCA Annual Golf Tournament

July 13, 2020, Monday, 1:00PM Tee
off. Oregon City Golf Course.



Brazing Test Completed May 20, 2020

Many thanks to MarHy Distributors for allowing us to use their meeting room, following all the safe spacing and area cleaning criteria, between each shift. Forty participants were able to test at shift intervals throughout the day. The ORACCA crew did a great job in running this test in trying times.

ORACCA is planning their fall meeting and testing schedule, using virtual meeting technology in September's IAQ presentation. We continue to follow all mandated safety requirements in our planning. Stay tuned for details!

The ORACCA member benefit that should not be overlooked

As a member of ORACCA, you have access to the largest, and most successful, group health plan in Oregon: The ORACCA Health Plan.

The ORACCA Health Plan is available exclusively to both CCB licensed members and suppliers of contractors.

The Plan offers over a dozen medical plans, multiple prescription plans, vision, dental, and short-term disability coverage. The broad offering means members can assemble a custom plan to fit their needs and budget.

The ORACCA Health Plan partners some well-known names: HealthNet; Samaritan Health Services; United Dental; and TELADOC.

Items to keep in mind:

- All health plans are a month-to-month contract. You have the flexibility to change any plan at any time -with ANY plan.
- With the ORACCA Plan each business is independently underwritten and will have unique rates.
- Due to above, not all businesses will be a perfect fit for the ORACCA plan. We do, however, have an acceptance rate around 75% for the last 5 years.
- The design of the ORACCA plan results in market fluctuations. This is normal and expected. The ORACCA Plan has shown an average of 15-20% less cost than the open market over the last twenty years. Some years are significantly more competitive.

A final note of caution. Recently, we have seen offerings that appear to be full fledged health plans but are not. If something seems too good to be true, please read the fine print or consult with your benefits provider.

To review options for the ORACCA Health Plan, shoot me a note at ljohnson@laporte-insurance.com and we can give you a comparison.

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What? CANCELLED

June Meeting at NW
Natural - Sherwood

**ORACCA Golf
is July 13th
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ORACCA 2020 GOLF TOURNAMENT



MONDAY
JULY 13, 2020

12:00 pm REGISTRATION & DRIVING RANGE
1:00 pm SHOTGUN START SCRAMBLE FORMAT

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On-Demand Training /Testing. This means the tests are scheduled with both your availability and that of the the Proctor in mind. Once you feel comfortable to take the test, a date and place are set up through the ORACCA office. Call 360-824-3805 for information. These on demand training/testing sessions include the following:

EPA 608 CFC Training/Test - Now Available!
NATE Training/Test Core, Gas Heat and Heat Pump

Brazing Certification Test,
New Dates will be determined once a school opening is announced.

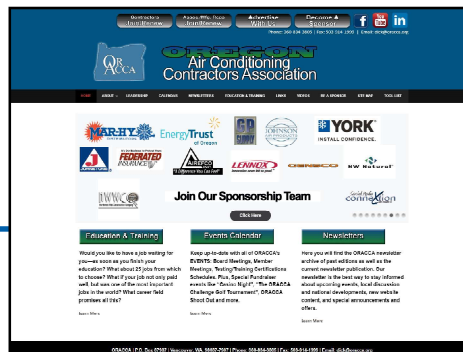
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