



PEP...TALK

Partners For Environmental Progress

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2010 Calendar

Membership

Breakfasts

September 16

Sponsored by
Hurricane Electronics

November 18

Reverse Trade Show

October 14
Ft Whiting

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2010 Reverse Trade Show Tickets: On SALE NOW!

Visit Major Industries at One Location

WHAT: PEP's industrial reverse trade show brings decision-makers from large industry together in one location. Plant managers, purchasing managers, and engineers and maintenance managers from more than 35 companies will be available. The diverse Exhibitors include **Austal, Evonik Degussa, ThyssenKrupp Steel and Stainless, Ineos Phenol, White-Spinner Construction, and so many more.**

WHEN: October 14th 1pm - 5pm; **WHERE:** Ft Whiting, Brookley Complex

WHY: It is a cost effective and efficient method of making sales calls! **Your competitors show up – so should you.** Last year, more than 350 individuals from all over the Southeast attended the show.

HOW: Go to www.pepmobile.org for a ticket purchase form and the complete list of exhibitors.

COST: \$75 per ticket for PEP Members; \$125 per ticket for Non-PEP members Anyone attending the show as a visitor, including spouses, must purchase a ticket.

For information, 251-345-7269 or www.pepmobile.org

Welcome New Members

Brightworks

**Becks Networking All
Trades**

Referred by Smith Industrial Services

Aerotek

Thank you to our referring
members!

Membership Breakfast Sponsor

Hurricane Electronics, Inc

HEI is a full-service provider of two-way radio equipment, employee warning systems, SCADA and microwave communication systems, CCTV camera systems and card access control.

Robert Nelson states, "We are dedicated to our clients and their productivity and efficiency being achieved by reliable communications."

"A Clean Environment is Good for Business"



PEP Sponsors Local Events to Create a Sustainable Region

Ten years ago, PEP was formed to promote a sustainable Alabama Gulf Coast by preserving for future generations the *social, economic and environmental* diversity that makes the Gulf Coast a unique and desirable place to live and do business. In addition to our own By-Product Synergy Central Gulf Coast project, PEP supports key community projects and events that will result in a more sustainable region.



WORLDS of OPPORTUNITY

On September 29th & 30th, more than 8000 eighth grade students, teachers, school administrators, parents, industry leaders and volunteers will converge on the Fairgrounds in Mobile, Alabama for the first annual **“Worlds of Opportunity” Career Expo**. The purpose of the Expo is to create awareness about career options among students and educators and will enable students to complete a career portfolio upon entering 9th grade that will serve as a roadmap for education courses.

This expo, a project of the Southwest Alabama Workforce Development Council (SAWDC), will be a fun, educational, hands-on opportunity for students to become familiar with a broad overview of jobs available in the area. Attendance to the expo will be available to students from the eight county workforce development region which includes Baldwin, Choctaw, Clarke, Conecuh, Escambia, Mobile, Monroe and Washington Counties.

Many PEP members are actively engaged in the planning and execution of the event. In addition, PEP is a sponsor of the volunteers and PEP staff will be helping out during the event. There are a great number of volunteers needed. *If you are interested in volunteering at the event, please contact:*



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Registration is now open for the December 1-2, 2010, **Alabama-Mississippi Bays & Bayous Symposium 2010**, hosted by the Mobile Bay National Estuary Program, the Mississippi-Alabama Sea Grant Consortium and their partners. This bi-annual event will focus on the health of our coastal environment. This symposium brings together a broad array of scientists, resource managers, industry representatives, community groups and policy makers from throughout the Southeast to promote information exchange and networking related to coastal issues that impact long-term sustainability.

The focus for the 2010 Symposium is **Science, Industry, Community: Building Bridges to Coastal Health**. With two days of oral and poster presentations, keynote speakers and networking opportunities, the event will bring together scientists, local industry and community groups to educate participants about:

- ♦ the status of our understanding about the Northern Gulf coastal ecosystem and processes that alter it,
- ♦ what local industry is implementing to sustain our coastal resources,
- ♦ how citizens groups are participating in sustaining our coastal resources.

PEP is a sponsor and will have a booth. PEP has also submitted an abstract to be a speaker at the conference describing the initial success of the By-Product Synergy Central Gulf Coast.

To register or for more information, please contact:

www.mobilebaynep.com/baysandbayous