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SPEAKER MEETING

- Date:** Tuesday October 10, 2006
- Time:** Check-in/Networking 6:00-6:30 PM
Dinner 6:30 PM
- RSVP:** 12 Noon, Friday, October 6, 2006
- Speaker:** Don McCrory, Executive Director, Port of Memphis
- Topic:** TBA
- Place:** Holiday Inn Select
5793 Poplar Avenue
Memphis, TN 38119
- Menu:** Garden Salad, Chicken Marsala and/or Baked Lasagna,
Potatoes au Gratin, Italian Spinach, Dessert
Iced Tea, Water and Coffee.
- Tariff:** \$25.00 TCOM Members and guests *with* reservations
\$30.00 Members & Non-Members *without* reservations
\$20 Transportation Educators and Students

Mission Statement:

The fostering of professionalism of its members by providing a networking system and a forum for presentation of transportation, distribution, and logistic topics.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The two golf tournaments that we have each year are our primary means of raising funds for the Traffic Club of Memphis Scholarship Foundation. Each year I am impressed with the generosity of our club and the local companies that contribute their resources, time and money. Helping to ensure the futures of transportation and logistics leaders now, and in the future, is something we should all be proud. A special thanks to all of the teams that participated, donated door prizes, hole sponsorships, and to the volunteers, who without them, our tournaments would not flow as smoothly as they do.

As the 2005 –2006 TCOM Board year draws to a close, it is time to select a new Board for the next year. The last two Boards that I have had the honor to serve, as well as the ones prior to my tenure, have worked very diligently to make sure the Traffic Club of Memphis strives to set the bar for trade organizations in the Memphis area. If you would like to become a contributing factor to the Club's success, I challenge you to express an interest in becoming a Board member to anyone on the current Board, or myself. If you do not feel that you can contribute, but you know someone whom you think would make a good fit, nominate them to the Board. Please get their permission before nominating them. Elections will be held at our November meeting. Members must pay dues to run for office, and vote at the election.

Thanks again for all of your, and the companies for whom you work, support. Have a safe and enjoyable month. Since the kids are back in school, remember to be safe in traveling neighborhoods and schools. See you at the next meeting.

John R. Brewer
President

2006 FALL GOLF CLASSIC RECAP

What a wonderful day of networking, golf and especially weather as we all gathered at Stonebridge on Tuesday September 12. The support that each of the participants, corporate sponsors, hole sponsors, door prize sponsors and volunteers once again made this event possible and will lead to additional funds being placed in our Traffic Club of Memphis Scholarship Foundation fund. Thanks again for your participation and we look forward to seeing each of you at our next golf event in May of 2007!

VOLUNTEERS

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Sheryl Barton

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TEAM RESULTS

1st Place 1st Flight

Glenn Bowman
Billy Fisher
Rodney Higdon
TBA

2nd Place 1st Flight

Robin Coffman
Scotty Reed
Carey Treadwell
Jim Waggoner

3rd Place 1st Flight

Bryan Hunt
Tony Maddox
Craig Savell
Dana Workman

1st Place 2nd Flight

Bob Hughes
Dave Nelson
Nel Nelson
Jeff Owen

2nd Place 2nd Flight

Gary Roberson
Larry Olson
Darren Hawkins
John Bragg

3rd Place 2nd Flight

Shawn O'Sullivan
Leon Smith
Terry Taylor
Greg Willis

1st Place 3rd Flight

Doug Christoff
Randy Digirolamo
Donnie Talbot
Wemund Sugg

2nd Place 3rd Flight

Bob Glenn
Carl Hayes
Glenn Manual
Bill Pallme

3rd Place 3rd Flight

Barry Clements
Wes Overton
Marty Morrelli
Eric Stampfle

SKILLS COMPETITION RESULTS

Longest Drive #7

Jim Waggoner

Closest to Pin

2 - Rodney Higdon
8 - Dana Workman
#10 - Al Hursey
#13 - Chris Carr
#17 - Bob Glenn

2006-07 Event Calendar

October 10- Don McCrory, Port of Memphis
November 14- Jeff Heller, AVP Int'l, NS Rwy
December 1- Christmas Party, Racquest Club
January 9- Speaker Meeting
February 13- Speaker Meeting
March 13- Speaker Meeting
April 10 – Speaker Meeting

WELCOME NEW MEMBER

Jarred Cantrell
Logistics Manager
Canadian American Transportation
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Cordova, TN 38018
901-752-2424

GREAT NEWS!

We are close to selecting an investment firm to maintain the Club's Foundation money on behalf of the Traffic Club of Memphis, which will result in more dollars on our investment, and hopefully some day perpetuate the Scholarship Fund.

ATTENDANCE DOOR PRIZE!

In order for your board to show our appreciation for your attendance at our monthly meetings, we will continue to award one door prize with a value of at least \$50.00 at each monthly speaker/tour meeting. Each attendee at our monthly speaker meeting will be issued a numbered ticket and we will draw the winning ticket at the conclusion of our meeting. **YOU MUST BE PRESENT TO WIN!!** We will recognize the company that sponsors this award both in the MTT newsletter, and also announcing their support at our monthly meeting. Companies that are interested in sponsoring this monthly prize please contact our membership director, Sherri Tipton @ 842-1050 or stipton@cornerstone-systems.com and enter on the subject line DOOR PRIZE to get signed up on the list. There are only seven (7) meetings per year that are available for sponsorship. Sign up now!

2006:

January 10	Cornerstone Systems	June 13	Mid America Int'l
February 14	Cleo, Inc.	Sept 12	Fall Golf Tourney
March 14	FedEx	Oct 10	Port of Virginia
April 11	Cleo, Inc.	Nov 14	Allied Protection Services
May 9	Spring Golf Tourney	Dec 1	Christmas Party

ELECTION BALLOT COMING!

Our annual election is coming up on Tuesday November 14 and in order to hold that election, we have formed a nomination committee of Larry Mays, Dan Pallme and Bob Glenn. They will be contacting current TCOM members that have been a member for a minimum of 6 months and have previously shown an interest in running for a board position. All election information is available on our website under the club information tab on the left. It is listed in the by-laws. If you are interested in running, please contact Larry, Dan or Bob and let your intentions be known. Their contact info is listed below!

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