



Engineers' News

March 2021

Vol. 83 No. 6

www.FortWayneEngineersClub.org



Find us on 

March Tour

A discussion on current semi-truck engineering and design
by FWEC Member Dave Schaller

Where: The Omni-Room in Citizens Square

Date: Thursday, March 25th

Time: 6:30 pm

Location: - 200 East Berry St Fort Wayne, IN 46804

Club member Dave Schaller will host a presentation on current trends in semi-truck design and engineering, with a focus on how to make them more fuel-efficient.

Upcoming Events

Transportation Planning OPEN HOUSE

Draft FY 2022-2026 Transportation Improvement Program

Open House: March 16, 2021 from 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Citizens Square - Omni Room (Room #045)*

200 E Berry Street, Fort Wayne IN 46802

*Face masks and social distancing will be required for the in-person Open House on
March 16th.

NIRCC - Dan Avery

April 29, 2021 at 6:30 pm

200 E Berry Street, Fort Wayne, IN

Join us for a presentation by the NIRCC to discuss the region's transportation and roadway planning council. The presentation will be held at Citizens Square in the Omni Room.

A plea to club members for help running the club

The Engineers' Club has been in continual operation since 1935. Very few clubs like ours have been around for this long, though we are currently in need of help. The club has openings for the officer positions of Vice President and Treasurer (in training), as well as First-Year Board Member, and newsletter editor. These positions do not require much time, but they are necessary to keeping the club up and running. If you have enjoyed attending our tours in the past and would like to see the club continue to operate, please consider volunteering your time. Also, please feel free to pass on our newsletters to anyone who might be interested in joining the club. Friends and co-workers are generally always welcome at our tours and presentations, and being an engineer isn't even a requirement.

General Info

Fort Wayne Engineers Club dues are \$0. Donations are welcome but strictly voluntary. In recent years, club funds have helped support Discover-E, the Regional Science and Engineering Fair, annual bridge building contests in schools, academic awards, networking events, mentoring, our website, and facilitating free tours. Please see FortWayneEngineersClub.org, LinkedIn, or Facebook for updates on current Club activities, other news, and/or prior newsletters.

Those participating in activities through FWEC and our hosts does so strictly at their own risk, including disease exposures. Participation in club events is voluntary, free, nonprofit, and solely for the benefit of participants and the community at large. Anyone with an interest may participate unless restrictions are specified for specific events, such as minimum age or minimum safety attire.

In memoriam

We were sorry to hear of the passing of long-time club member Ed Goetz Jr.

<https://www.legacy.com/obituaries/fortwayne/obituary.aspx?n=edward-j-goetz&pid=197833578&fhid=10920> He will be missed

Local Opportunities

Experimental Aircraft Association Chapter 2

The Experimental Aircraft Association's Chapter 2 is still active. Check the [EAA-2 website](#) for current information!

TekVenture

TekVenture needs donations in cash or membership to help with heating costs while repairs continue after the fire. Membership is the most useful because growth in official numbers has additional impact. See TekVenture.org, a 501(c)3.

Interested in hosting a tour?

Contact us at info@fortwayneengineersclub.org

FWEC Board Meetings

The FWEC board meets eight times a year to plan and organize tours for our members. These meetings are open for anyone to attend. We are always looking for new members to join our team! If you are interested in being a board member please attend our next board meeting or contact us at info@fortwayneengineersclub.org.

Next Meeting

Date: Tuesday, April 6th, 2021

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: Blackstone Laboratories 502 E Pettit Ave, Fort Wayne, IN 46806

FWEC roster for FY2020-2021

President: Nate Berndt

Vice President: TBD

Immediate Past President: John Magsam
Secretary: Marna Renteria
Treasurer: Ryan Stark
Treasurer-Trainee: TBD
First-year Board Members: Dave Gordon, TBD
Second-year Board Member: John Renie, Craig Welch
Third-year Board Member: Rob Cisz, Bert Spellman
Editor of Engineer News: TBD
Membership and Contact Chair: Dave Schaller
Northeast Indiana DiscoverE Chair: TBD

Advertise in the Engineers' News

The FWEC provides advertising space within the Engineers' News. Advertisements are \$10 per issue and limited to 1/2 page of content. For submissions please contact info@fortwayneengineersclub.org.

Copyright © 2021 Fort Wayne Engineers Club, All rights reserved.

[unsubscribe from this list](#) [update subscription preferences](#)

