

Chicago Paint & Coatings Association

Overview of 2018 Activities & Accomplishments



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Membership consists of 113 member companies in which 95 are suppliers, and 17 are manufacturers.

(M) Manufacturer of paint, varnish and lacquer or allied products.

(S) Manufacturer of the materials used in connection with the manufacture of such products.

(C) Service organization

Information:

We publish a *President's Letter* twice a year.

Annual Directory and Buyers' Guide, which continues to be one of the best reference sources in our industry. The 2018 Directory generated revenue of nearly \$70,000.

Education:

Industry Update Meetings:

Legislative & Regulatory,

Speakers include: Heidi Auliffe, American Coatings Association

Mark Biel, Chemical Industry Council of Illinois.

Economic Update Luncheon

Speaker: Allen Irish, ACA

You Be the Chemist Challenge, Sponsored by the CPCA & CSCT

Windy City Coatings Course, Sponsored by the CPCA & CSCT

College Scholarships, 4 - \$2,000 scholarships are given annually to a student of a current member of either the CPCA or CSCT.

Community Involvement:

Paint A Brighter Chicago is our annual community service project. This is a one-day paint project that helps brighten classrooms, gyms, cafeterias, and hallways throughout Chicago.

Paint A Brighter Chicago scheduled for Saturday, August 25^h at Bernard Moss Elementary/Middle School

Annual Chicago's Finest Painted Ladies and Her Court Competition, is a contest for those that beautify their home or business with a new coat of paint which promotes our mission of solidifying that paint benefits society and those that who make and sell it contribute to the quality of life.

This contest begins Memorial Day and ends after Labor Day; Our annual contest is throughout Chicago and the surrounding suburbs.

Ronald McDonald House – Providing a home cooked meal for the families.

Professional Networking:

Committee Involvement is a great way to service your industry and develop relationships while growing your business.

The following is a list of committees:

- Budget & Finance
- By-Laws
- Community Relations
- Directory & Buyers' Guide
- Legislative & Regulatory
- Membership
- Planning & Policy
- Program
- Publicity
- Website

Our Meetings and Events create networking opportunities and the benefit of increasing visibility and getting your name out among your peers. It also provides the ability to make connections and develop meaningful relationships with those in our industry. Our venues are also great for entertaining customers.

Calendar:

Theatre Night "Wicked"Saturday, January 20, 2018
Oriental Theatre – Chicago

Paint & SipThursday, February 25, 2018
Bottle & Bottega, Park Ridge

Legislative & Regulatory LuncheonTuesday, February 20, 2018
Maggiano's – Oakbrook

Theatre Night "Joseph & the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat"Saturday, February 24, 2018
Drury Lane, Oak Brook

We currently have 10 registered to attend. We need 15 for a group rate.

Chicago Wolves vs. Iowa WildSunday, March 18, 2018
Allstate Arena, Rosemont

American Coatings ShowMonday, April 9 thru Thursday, April 12, 2018
Indiana Convention Center, Indianapolis, IN

Annual Dinner MeetingThursday, May 10, 2018
Chama Gaucha, Downers Grove

Golf Outing Thursday, June 21, 2018
The Bridges of Poplar Creek Country Club - Hoffman Estates

Chicago FireSaturday, July 21, 2018
Toyota Park, Bridgeview

"Paint A Brighter Chicago"Saturday, August 25, 2018
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Air & Water Show on the Odyssey Saturday, August 18, 2018
Navy Pier - Chicago

Economics Update LuncheonThursday, October 4, 2018
Greek Islands – Lombard

"Chicago's Finest Painted Ladies & Her Court" Awards Dinner..... Thursday, October 25, 2018
Maggiano's - Schaumburg

CPCA & CSCT Holiday Party Thursday, December 13, 2018
Venuti's – Addison