



CHICAGO DRUG & CHEMICAL ASSOCIATION

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News from President Pat Kapsa:

It is with great pleasure that I announce **Dawn Drass** as our new Executive Administrator of the CD&CA. Dawn will take the lead when Karen Desmond fulfills her contractual CD&CA Executive commitment.

Let's give Dawn a shout out of congratulations and a big thanks to Karen for her dedication and job well done!

Mark Your Calendar:

CD&CA 2018 Golf Outing Dates

- Monday, July 16 at Seven Bridges Golf Course (Woodridge IL).
- Monday, August 27 at Old Orchard C.C. (Mt. Prospect, IL). Visa Card cash drawing for members who played in 2 or 3 outings in 2018



Lou Depasquale • Larry Kelly • Allie Lenzen • Heather Boritzke • Dino Deluca • Scott Heck • Derek Paulowski
• Dawn Drass • Chris Wrobel • Bob Miller • Ex-Officio Diana Watson

Karen Desmond, Executive Administrator
DIRECTORS 2018

MEMBER NEWS

Cathy Lee

Member Cathy Lee from CJ Chemicals received an award at the WPO Conference for the 24th Fastest Growing Women-Owned/ Led Company in the nation”.

Congratulations Cathy!



Dawn Drass, Rowell and her daughter Kate at recent ½ marathon and 10 K runs.

EVENT RECAPS

February Luncheon – Transportation Panel

On February 1, a large crowd gathered for the CD&CA luncheon and to hear the panel discussion centered on electronic logging, the aging workforce and hours of service. This event was moderated by Dawn Drass of Rowell Chemical.

The panel members included:

Joe Kocher/Luckey Transportation, Brett Jasik/MC Tank, Joe Vandenhouten/LT Hamnett, Dave Sweigert/Producers Chemical and Patrick Donley/Seeler Industries.

The group offered their enlightened views of the current dire situation along with a dose of humor. There is a near crisis level

with trucking mostly due to a lack of younger drivers entering the field. This is compounded by the cost of new equipment and electronic logging which is unwieldy for most firms to manage. For example, drivers must log off for 10 hours once their maximum driving period has ended.

The panel concluded that there must be a more common-sense approach to these regulations and their recruiting efforts to attract new drivers must be more effective.

Congrats to the lucky bucks winners; John Coppens won \$150.00 and Jim McHatton won \$105.00.



Bowlero Bowling Night Outing

We had a spirited group at the Bowlero Bowling outing April 19th in Naperville.

Congratulations to the high score winners; from Rowell, Mari Gallivan shot 165 and Loren Gallivan shot 209.



CD&CA group for Bowling Night



Derek Paulowski, Columbus Chemical

EVENT RECAPS

Chevy Chase Golf Outing

Just like we ended last golf season with a date change due to inclement weather, our first golf outing this season was postponed on May 21st and rescheduled to June 7th, due to major rain and the course closing.

For those who were able to play on the 7th, they were awarded with a beautiful day of sunshine and lots of laughs!

Thanks to all who were able to play and a big thank you to volunteers, Megan Peboontom, Dawn Drass, Cheryl DePasquale, and to Larry Kelly, Scott Heck, Jim McHatton, and John Eterno for coordinating the outing and handling the prizes.

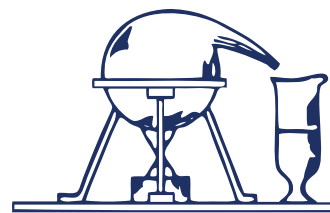


Pat Kapsa, President on the tee.



Karen Desmond with her caddie.

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Chicago Drug & Chemical LinkedIn Group

We have created a group on LinkedIn for the CD&CA. It is a great way to have discussions, share information and stay in touch, etc. To join the group, please go to:

<https://www.linkedin.com/groups/3775030>

To join the CD&CA group, you must be a member of LinkedIn. LinkedIn is free and setting up a new account only takes a few minutes. Please join the discussion on LinkedIn.

Welcome to Shutterfly

We have created a website called "Chicago Drug & Chemical Association" to share pictures with our members. Please check it out at

<https://cdca.shutterfly.com/pictures>



CHICAGO DRUG & CHEMICAL ASSOCIATION CALENDAR OF MEETINGS & EVENTS 2018

July 16, 2018

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Golf Outing
Seven Bridges

August 27, 2018

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Golf Outing
Old Orchard

November 8, 2018

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Annual Meeting
Silent Auction
LaGrange CC

December 6, 2018

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Holiday Party
Hilton Hotel Lisle

