



# THE QUALITY TIMES



The ASQ Newsletter of the Wabash Valley Section 0919

**Tuesday, Jan. 10, 2006 Meeting  
(Joint with SME and ASM)**

**Plant Tour: Thyssen Krupp Gerbach**

**Tour Leaders: Peter Eberle, Plant Manager  
Sharon Beasley, Human Resource Manager**

**Tour Location: 1597 East Industrial Drive  
Terre Haute, In 47802**

**Details: Safety glasses and closed toe shoes are required. TKG will help with glasses but wear your own if you have them.**

**Times: Tour 5:30 pm. Meal to follow after the tour at 7-7:30 pm at the Jade Garden behind Honey Creek Square.**

**Costs: Meal costs will be \$10 per person.**

**Advise: Roy Boissy, (812-237-8329) or [arrangements@asqwabashvalley.org](mailto:arrangements@asqwabashvalley.org) by Jan. 9.**

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## Certification Update

**Congratulations to Vicki Shaw for passing the CQIA exam and Bill Wortman for passing the CQPA exam. Both exams were proctored by Roy Boissy on December 3, 2005.**

## WCQI

**Are any Wabash Valley ASQ members interested in attending the World Conference on Quality and Improvement to be held in Milwaukee, WI on May 1 - 3, 2006? QCI will be attending and can probably furnish transportation if schedules permit. Contact Bill Wortman or Wes Richardson at (812) 533-4215 or (800) 660-4215 if interested.**

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### **In Case You Missed It**

The December 13 meeting was one of the best that this newsletter editor has ever attended. Gene Griffin of Capital Planning Systems presented an interesting investment planning discussion using a self-developed Excel program that allowed for a variety of real life scenarios.

Additionally, every attendee received a present. Some guests received more than one present. You also missed out on a tape of the famous light show at Mason, Ohio and Porky Pig's rendition of Blue Christmas.

### **Tentative Meeting Schedule 2005-2006**

Thursday, February 16, 2006. 6:00 PM Social, 6:30 PM Dinner, 7:15 Dr. Leroy Franklin talk.  
Updated meeting details later. Joint SME, ASM and ASQ meeting. Everyone welcome.

Tuesday, March 14, 2006. Hank Leonhardt, Tour of TRW, Marshall, IL  
Updated meeting details later. Joint SME, ASM and ASQ meeting. Everyone welcome.

Tuesday, April 11, 2006. Student Awards Night, Indiana State University campus.  
Updated meeting details later. Joint SME, ASM and ASQ meeting. Everyone welcome.

Tuesday, May 9, 2006. Challenge X presentation, project update.  
Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology, Terre Haute, IN. Updated meeting details later.  
Joint SME, ASM and ASQ meeting. Everyone welcome.