

# National Association Purchasing Management – Southern Nevada Inc.

## Buyliner

### April 2002



## April Meeting

April 16, 2002  
Angle Park Golf Course

5:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.  
South on Rampart, off Summerlin Pkwy

### Putt Putt Golf Social & BBQ

Here is your chance to unwind, network, enjoy the Vegas weather, and have a **BLAST!** We are going to have a BBQ and play Putt Putt Golf. Don't worry if you can't golf, this is just for fun! Bring your other half, a friend, or your kids!

Putt Putt Golf is similar to miniature golf, but forget the "astro turf" we are playing on the real stuff! You will have fun and get to network with your fellow Supply Management colleagues. **This is a "DON'T MISS" event!**

The cost for members is \$25 for an advance reservation (includes Putt Putt Golf and BBQ). Guests and members without a RSVP are \$30. "No shows" will be billed.

**Please RSVP by Friday, April 12, 2002 at 12 noon.**  
Call 702-225-4205 or on the website, [www.napmsn.org](http://www.napmsn.org)

## **Prez Says**

**By Jim Haining, C.P.M., A.P.P.**

We had an extremely successful Supplier Opportunity Faire on March 27, 2002. A big thanks to all of the companies and government agencies that participated. We could not do this without your support in having and manning your booths!

This year we had approximately 850 supplier attendees with approximately 50 buyer booths. Over 600 of the attendees pre-registered saving a tremendous amount of time in the registration process.

I want to give a special thanks to the ladies that worked the registration area. We could NOT have done it without you!

Yoli Jones – McCarran Airport

Rachelle Tyler-Martin – McCarran Airport

Lillian Cadelinia - Sprint

Marianne Littledike - Sprint

Joyce Santos – UNLV Graduate Student

Penny Mazen – New member

Until next year.....

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## **Dues Billing** (for Membership from June 1, 2002 through May 31, 2003)

Our affiliate is once again using the free services of ISM to process our dues billing this year. ISM will send out a total of 2 invoices beginning in April 2002. All invoices NOT paid by June 1, 2002 **will be dropped**.

To keep your membership current, please pay your invoice on time. If your invoice comes from ISM, your payment must be returned to ISM. Any payments made to NAPM-SN may not be processed properly. We will forward payments to ISM, but if they are late.....we can't guarantee you membership will not be dropped. However, we will reinstate your membership once payment is received.

Some of you, in your 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year of membership, have already received pro-rated invoices. These are pro-rated from the month that you joined through May 31, 2003. The pro-rated invoices are coming directly from NAPM-Southern Nevada. Do NOT send these payments to ISM directly. If you have any questions about how your invoice amount was calculated, please contact Jim Haining, Treasurer at 702-244-2261.

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## **Elections for Board of Directors**

Members, watch your email for the ballot for Board of Director election in April! We have a great slate of Directors for a 2 year term.

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## **FYI...**

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We have added an additional option to request C.P.M. points for meetings attended. Enter the [www.napmsn.org](http://www.napmsn.org) website. Select the C.P.M. Points Request Form designation on the left of the website. Please enter your name, name of event attended, date of event, phone number, fax number and email address. We will respond to the request with an evaluation form. Once the evaluation form is returned a certificate will be provided. This is just another way the Southern Nevada Chapters continue support to our members in maintaining their educational needs!

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## **Marketing News By Valerie Harper**

The Supplier Opportunity Faire held Wednesday March 27<sup>th</sup> was a huge success! Our heartfelt thanks go out to everyone who participated and stopped by. It was a tremendous opportunity to meet others with similar objectives and it was apparent that networking is contagious. We hope that those attending enjoyed a beneficial experience as well!

Special thanks to the NAPM-SN booth volunteers:

Don Woods, NAPM-SN/ICC

Carol Thompson, Women's Summit

Mitsi Johnson, Women's Summit

Judy Alvarez, Hickman Telecom

Meri Bogdon, Hickman Telecom

Hopefully, we will have attracted new members for our affiliate.

Also, a drawing was held for a free NAPM-SN dinner or luncheon. The winners were:

Monique Mills, Account Executive, Air Group Express

Phil Cirone, Vice President Sales

Look for these lucky winners at a future monthly meeting!

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## **Satellite Seminar News By Lucille Carruthers, C.P.M.**

We have all felt the effects of 9-11 in both our professional lives and our personal lives. But from this tragedy we've emerged as a country that is not only a world leader, but also a people of commitment and compassion. Many have returned to the core values upon which our great country was founded. The Board of Directors of NAPM-SN also remains committed to providing "best value" educational opportunities to its members. Therefore, we are pleased to announce that the Satellite Seminar cost will remain at the current rate of \$20 for members and \$30 for non-members for the duration of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2002.

The next Satellite Seminar scheduled for April 11, 2002. The topic is **"DOING BUSINESS ELECTRONICALLY: SELECTING THE BEST OPTIONS"**. The seminar begins at 7:00 a.m. and will be held at Community College of Southern Nevada, West Charleston campus, Building A Room 123.

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Check out the NAPM-SN web site at [www.napmsn.org](http://www.napmsn.org) for up-to-date newsletter, meeting information, job postings, and seminar information. See what the **buzz** is all about!

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR



April 11, 2002	Satellite Seminar	<a href="#"><i>Doing Business Electronically: Selecting the Best Options</i></a> -
April 16, 2002	Dinner Meeting	Angel Park Golf Club - <b>Putt-Putt Golf!</b>
May 5 - 8, 2002		<a href="#"><b>ISM 87th Annual International Conference</b></a> - San Francisco, CA
May 21, 2002	Luncheon Meeting	"Negotiations", Gold Coast Casino
June 10-13, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Fundamentals of Purchasing"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
June 13, 2002	Satellite Seminar	Satellite Seminar - <a href="#"><i>Services Purchasing: Making the Right Decisions</i></a>
June 18, 2002	Dinner Meeting	TBD
August 12-13, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Leading &amp; Managing Supply Relationships"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
August 12-13, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Internet Enabled Supply Management &amp; Business"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
August 14-15, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Achieving Value Add through Supply Alliances"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
August 22-23, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Advanced Contract Writing"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
September 23 - 25, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Developing a Framework for Purchasing"</b></a> (3 day), held in Las Vegas
September 30 - Oct 1, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Purchasing and Materials Management"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas
November 7 - 8, 2002	ISM Seminar	<a href="#"><b>"Driving Down Costs through Cost/Price Analysis"</b></a> , held in Las Vegas