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Annual Charity Golf Scramble First Place Winners - Team U.S.T. – consisted of Brad Bashore, Nathan Taylor, Dan Orvets, and Jon Burke. See pages 4 through 8 for a recap of the event.



Message from the President
Robert E. Andrews, CPG-11975

Greetings fellow AIPG Ohio Section members,

I hope as you read this newsletter you all continue to remain safe and healthy. I also hope everyone has had an enjoyable summer given the current conditions we all now live under.

As I indicated in last quarter’s newsletter, the Ohio Section’s Executive Committee continues to monitor the COVID-19 situation. Unfortunately, the current outbreak has caused the Section to cancel and reschedule our events planned for September.

The field trip that was scheduled for September 12th has been postponed until the Fall of 2021. Additionally, this year’s Fall Quarterly Meeting scheduled for September 24th in Streetsboro, OH has been canceled. The Section wanted to have both of these events, but the logistics and safety concerns associated with COVID-19 are making it hard for us to have them this year.

I wish I had better news to report on our September events. However, the Section is still hopeful to be able to hold our Annual Meeting on November 19th at La Scala Restaurant in Dublin, OH. Look for more details on this event soon.

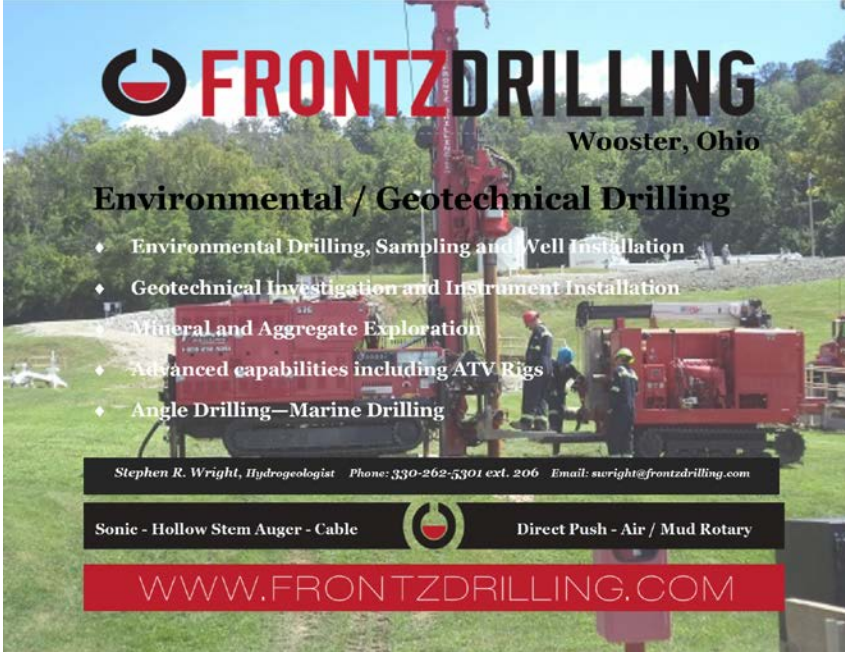
On a positive note, the Section held its 2nd Annual Charity Golf Scramble on July 24th at the Pine Hill Golf Club in Carroll, OH. This event was well attended and raised over \$2,100 for our Student Chapters. An article on this event can be found on page 4 of this newsletter.

Lastly, I want to end this message by sending a callout to those individuals looking to get more involved in Ohio Section’s and its activities. The Section is searching for volunteers to serve on our Executive Committee for 2021. If you are interested, please contact me.

Again, I hope everyone remains healthy. If you have any questions or concerns about activities of the Ohio Section, please feel free to contact me.

Robert E. Andrews, CPG-11975
 2020 AIPG Ohio Section President

Calendar of Upcoming Events	
November 19, 2020	AIPG Ohio Section Annual Meeting and Dinner Presentation – La Scala Italian Bistro, 4199 West Dublin-Granville Road, Dublin – <i>details to be announced</i> ; www.aipg-ohio.org .




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AIPG Ohio Section Second Annual Charity Golf Scramble

By: **Timothy E. Brown, CPG-11637**

The AIPG Ohio Section held its second charity golf scramble at Pine Hill Golf Club in Carroll, Ohio on July 24, 2020. The event was held to raise money for Ohio Section student chapters. The Section was excited to hold the event as the COVID-19 pandemic has played havoc with the 2020 calendar, and the appropriate precautions were followed including extensive sanitizing, social distancing, and the donning of masks inside the Pine Hill facilities. The event included prizes for the top three teams as well as awards for the longest drive and closest to the pin. Following the conclusion of golfing activities, attendees enjoyed a boxed dinner provided by City Barbecue, and an abundance of raffle prizes were given out to lucky ticket holders. The event was attended by 27 golfers comprising seven teams. By all accounts, participants had a great experience and enjoyed the golf course. The event was an incredible success and exceeded last year's revenues, as nearly \$2,200 was raised for Ohio student chapters!



The Section is appreciative of the generous sponsors that supported the event. Team sponsors included Alpha Analytical, Buckeye Elm, SME, and U.S.T. Environmental Contractor. Hole sponsors included Air Seven Heating and Cooling, ERC, Envirocore, and Hull & Associates. Alpha Analytical, Terracon, and White Oak Environmental were dinner sponsors. Raffle items were donated by Air Seven Heating and Cooling, Alpha Analytical, Buckeye Elm, North High Brewing Company, and Pine Hill Golf Club, and U.S.T. Environmental Contractor, and White Oak Environmental.



First place was claimed by Team U.S.T., with a winning score of 58, which tied the 2019 mark set by Buckeye Elm. The U.S.T. team consisted of Dan Orvets, Nathan Taylor, Brad Bashore, and Jon Burke.

Team Alpha came in second place in the event, five strokes off the pace set by U.S.T. The team consisted of Ban Dressman, Dave Mustafaga, Steve Gross, and Doug Stuart.



Third place was claimed by Team Roth, which shot a 65. The team was comprised of Robin Roth, Andy Musilli, Howard Prigosin, and Vince Monti.

Fourth place was claimed by Team SME, which shot a 67. The team was comprised of Colin Flaherty, Ben Chenoweth, Robert Eggleton, and Dave Grubbs.



The Buckeye Elm teams finished fifth and sixth in the tournament, with Buckeye Elm 2 shooting a 68 (Brandon Markey, Mike Leone, Matt Kessler, and Susan Hoop) and a score of 70 for Buckeye Elm 1 (Joel Miller, Bruce Markey, Andy McCorkle, and Brent Smith).





Finishing last at 18 strokes off the lead was Team Nortz, consisting of Greg Nortz, Pat Nortz, and Michael Friedhoff.

2020 AIPG OHIO SECTION CHARITY GOLF SCRAMBLE RESULTS	
TEAM	SCORE
TEAM U.S.T.	58
TEAM ALPHA ANALYTICAL	63
TEAM ROTH	65
TEAM SME	67
TEAM BUCKEYE ELM 2	68
TEAM BUCKEYE ELM 1	70
TEAM NORTZ	76

The longest drive winner was Susan Hoopé, while the prize for being closest to the pin was claimed by Andy Musilli.

Coordination of the event was tasked to a special golf outing committee, which was organized in early 2020 and met virtually several times before the event. Committee members included Dave Follett, Nelson Novak, Robert Andrews, and Tim Brown. Significant tasks included procuring a host golf course and establishing a date, determining sponsor categories and soliciting sponsors, coordinating the production of sponsor signs, arrangement of a catered dinner, and obtaining items for the raffle. Pine Hill Golf Club staff was incredibly helpful during the entire process and made everything run smoothly on the day of the event.





Overall, the Ohio Section's second charity golf scramble was a success and an enjoyable event for all who attended. The Section is appreciative of all participants and sponsors that contributed to the outing. Nearly \$2,200 was raised for Ohio Section AIPG student chapters. The Executive Committee looks forward to using the funds for student scholarships and for student chapter activities. Thanks again to all participants and sponsors. We look forward to seeing you again in 2021! ●





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Request for Documents from Early Years of AIPG-OH

Contributing author Brent Huntsman, CPG-04620

As the current Historian for the Ohio Section of AIPG, I have been working with the Section Officers to collect, review and electronically archive the Section's history. We have had modest success in assembling a surprisingly good account of the Section's activities over the last 30 years. Unfortunately, written records from the 1960s, 70s and 80s are few and fragmental.



I have been in contact with some of our senior members who have scoured their files and found single copies of old newsletters, photographs, award announcements or correspondences pertaining to AIPG. This is exactly what we are looking for to fill-in our records for the early years of the Section.

If you are looking for a repository to donate your old files pertaining to AIPG or are willing to lend us your records so that we can scan them for our archives, please contact me, Brent Huntsman at 937-320-3601 or behuntsman@terrancorp.com. We will make arrangements to collect and/or copy any of the pertinent information you will share.

With that said, it has been a challenge to collect these records from some of our members during the COVID-19 crisis. For example, Tom Berg, I will pick up the file boxes from your garage when Franklin County is out of the Red designation. Honest, I will. Don't throw them away.

I thank all our members in advance for considering and acting upon this request. Greatly appreciated!

Brent Huntsman, CPG



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News from Wright State University *Student Chapter of AIPG*



The WSU Student Chapter of AIPG has provided the *Newsletter* with a listing of officers for the 2020-2021 academic year. The WSU Student Chapter is led by Dr. Stacey Hundley. The WSU Student Chapter of AIPG officers for the current academic year include the following:

Wright State University Chapter of AIPG, 2020 – 2021		
OFFICERS	President	Paige Wilms
	Vice President	Lilly Holmes
	Secretary	Caitlin Erbacher
	Treasurer	Margaret Lingane
ADVISOR	Stacey Hundley, Ph.D., Lecturer, Earth & Environmental Sciences Department, MEM-2546	

The chapter is hopeful that they will be able to host a field trip to Ohio Caverns in the Spring of 2021. Please take a moment and welcome these WSU Student Chapter of AIPG officers and their fellow student members at a future AIPG event. ●

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**News from Youngstown State University
Student Chapter of AIPG**



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Three Ohio collegiate earth science students will be selected

COLUMBUS, Ohio – The Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR), Division of Geological Survey is accepting applications for the Ohio Geology Student Research Grant program. In its sixth academic year, the program supports both graduate and undergraduate students who conduct geologic research in the state.

The ODNR Division of Geological Survey will award grants of \$2,500 each to three earth science students at Ohio colleges and universities. Each grantee will be selected based on the quality of their application, the strength of their professor's letter of recommendation, and the relevancy of their proposed research.

"I always look forward to receiving the grant applications each year and seeing the wide variety of interesting projects being undertaken across the state," said ODNR Division of Geological Survey Chief and State Geologist Mike Angle. "Last year was the first year that we accepted undergraduate applications, so we now get to see some exciting proposals from students at colleges without graduate programs."

Previous grant recipients have conducted studies that further our understanding of Ohio geology, including mapping of stratigraphy and glacial features, analysis of building stone, and delineating stream patterns, among other projects.

The deadline for application submission is [Friday, Dec. 4](#). The application and complete submission guidelines can be found on the division's website at <https://ohiodnr.gov/wps/portal/gov/odnr/buy-and-apply/apply-for-grants/grants/ohio-geology-student-research>. Candidates must be enrolled in a full-time graduate or undergraduate earth science studies program at an accredited college or university in Ohio for the 2020–2021 year.

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Public Outreach Opportunity

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The Cleveland Geological Society is looking for informal speakers to attend their regular meetings and speak on topics of geologic interest. Meetings are held on the third Wednesday of the month from September through May at 7:30 pm in Classroom A on the Cleveland Museum of Natural History's lower level (unless otherwise noted on the website).

The Cleveland Geologic Society was founded in 1957. Membership is open to people interested in all aspects of geology. Monthly meetings feature talks on diverse topics, such as the geology of far-flung places, explanations of local points of interest, and paleontology. Members and visiting geologists are invited to speak. The society also holds field trips to local sites and occasionally more distant locales.

The Cleveland Geologic Society helps support a number of museum programs. Among these are the summer **Kirtlandia Research Internship Program** and **Archaeology & Earth Science Day** in October.

For additional information, check out the website at <https://www.cmnh.org/join-support/clubs-societies/Cleveland-Geological-Society>. To present a topic as a speaker please contact Doug Dunn (DDunn@cmnh.org) at the Cleveland Museum of Natural History.





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1. Scientific interpretations should include accurate and effective references.
2. Opinion pieces should be presented with reasoning. Fellow members may choose to comment or challenge a submittal with their own contribution.
3. Authors must abide by the AIPG Code of Ethics. Any author who violates this code will not be published. Authors must be respectful to fellow members, all political parties, officials and candidates.
4. Letters to the Editor should be under one page in 12 pt. Arial font.
5. Member authors should provide their name and certification number.
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