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## ***Newsletter: 2019-2020 Season***

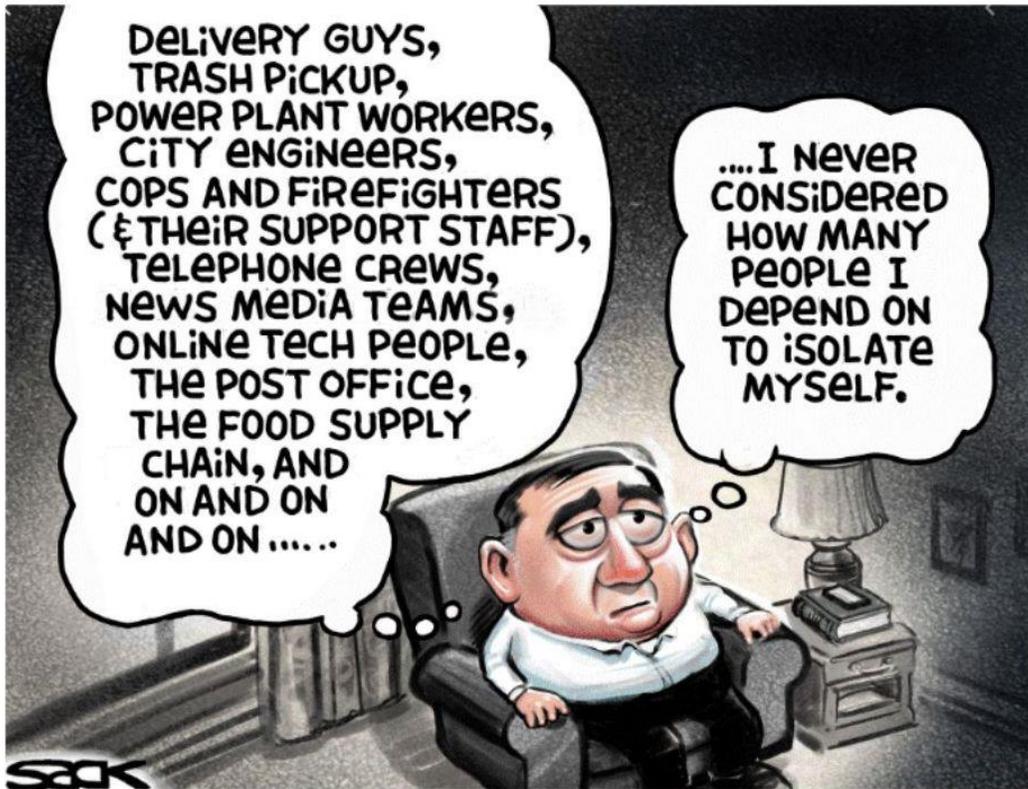


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## APICS Fun Fact



### Message from the Board of Directors

Greetings Everyone,

The COVID-19 pandemic is affecting every single one of us. This is a challenging time for people and businesses around the globe. While many of us are feeling uncertainty in our lives, I have every confidence that we'll rise up to the challenges this crisis presents and come out stronger on the other side. It is my hope that you and your family are safe and healthy during this uncertain time.

Well, here we are at the end of another great run of APICS offerings for the 2019-2020 season. As we continue to navigate the COVID-19 outbreak, I wanted to take the time to thank all of you who got involved and helped make this a great year for us! So thank you for:

- coming to our tours and Professional Development Meetings
- joining APICS and the chapter
- renewing your membership
- obtaining or maintaining your APICS certifications

- registering for and taking our CPIM module review courses
- subscribing to our newsletter
- visiting our website
- interacting with us on LinkedIn and Facebook
- and so much more

I would like to express my heartfelt thanks for your active participation and engagement in our chapter. You may have been with APICS for more than thirty years or just one, but it does not matter the numbers of years, what matters is that you decided to get involved! We cannot express in words how greatly we appreciate our members and friends for their support, so THANK YOU!

My hope is that you share your experiences with others and encourage them to join and support APICS. The rewards we all get out of APICS will increase as we get more and more people involved! There is a wealth of knowledge in the Sheboygan and Manitowoc areas, within APICS, and we try our best to tap into that resource and offer you ways to improve yourself, your company, and your networks! So, if you have questions, ideas, suggestions or thoughts on how we are doing, or what you would like to see, I encourage to reach out to any one of us. We need you to stay involved! Speaking of staying involved, we are looking new members to join our board. If your employer requires continuing education as part of your annual review, this is one way to achieve that goal. Additionally, it looks good on your resume! Of course, I would be remiss if I did not also add a special "Thank You" to the volunteers on the Chapter's Board of Directors that spend countless hours over the course of the year to educate, communicate, host events, and support chapter performance. So, thanks to Steve, Jim, Mark, Michelle, Tyler, and Joe for all that you do!

Lastly, a special Thank You to Jim Ervin who continues to act as our Student Liaison for our Student Chapter at Large and spreading the word to future supply chain professionals!

Thank you for taking the time to read this message, and as always, please send your feedback - we're excited to be your Chapter!

With Thanks! Stay Healthy!!

Respectfully,

Rhonda Shermeister, CPIM

Shoreline Chapter President

## Current PDM Information

# May PDM

Due to COVID-19 the PDM / Awards Banquet for May will be postponed.

A message will be sent out with further updates once details have been determined.

## Shoreline APICS PDM Schedule

DAY	DATE	LOCATION	SPEAKER
Wednesday	9/11/2019	<del>Meeting</del> - Chris and Sue's Place W3820 County Road C, Plymouth, WI	Tom Allen, Director of Supply Chain
Wednesday	10/16/2019	<del>Tow</del> - Plymouth Foam, LLC 1800 Sunset Drive, Plymouth, WI 53073 <del>Meeting</del> - Chris and Sue's Place W3820 County road C, Plymouth, WI	Mark Schuh, vice-President/General Manager at Plymouth Foam
Tuesday	11/12/2019	<del>Joint with ISM Chapter of Neenah</del> <del>Meeting</del> - Maekinaws Grill & Spirits 2925 Voyager Drive, Green Bay, WI 54311	Steve Elliott, Vice President Sales and Marketing at WSI (Warehouse Specialists, LLC)
<i>No December Meeting due to Holiday Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!</i>			
<b>No January Meeting</b>			
Wednesday	2/19/2020	<del>Meeting</del> - Holidays Pub & Grill 5533 Superior Avenue, Sheboygan, WI 53083	Erie Decker, Business Development Leader at WI Manufacturing Extension Partnership (WMPEP)
Wednesday	3/18/2020	<del>Meeting</del> - Wilderness Roadside Bar & Grill N5575 WI-57, Plymouth, WI	Kym Liebham, Director of Strategic Outreach, Lakeland University
Wednesday	4/15/2020	<del>Award and Upper Management Night</del> <del>Meeting</del> - Autumn Ridge Golf Course One Straight Drive, Valders, WI <del>Postponed due to COVID-19</del>	Brian Galardo, Customer Logistics Manager at Epson America Inc

**Time**

Cocktails: 5:00 PM to 5:30 PM  
 Dinner: 5:30 PM to 6:15 PM  
 Chapter Business: 6:15 PM to 6:30 PM  
 Speaker: 6:30 PM to 7:00 PM

**Cost**

Member: \$25.00  
 Guest: \$30.00  
 Student/Retiree: \$15.00

## Upcoming APICS Shoreline Events

### May Calendar

Due to COVID-19 there are no activities planned for May

## **Upcoming ASCM Events**

May 20 - Sales and Operations Planning - Chicago, IL

May 21 - Sales and Operations Planning Workshop - Chicago, IL

June 18 and 19 - The Best S&OP Conference - Chicago, IL

## **CPIM Review Course Schedule**

### **CPIM Review Courses**

Expand your knowledge of internal operations, production and inventory management by preparing for the APICS CPIM designation. Classes are sponsored by the APICS Shoreline Chapter and will be held at the Kohler Co. for area professionals. Dedicate time for your career development!

#### **2020/2021 Course Schedule**

**PART I** - Basics of Supply Chain Management (BSCM)

Thursdays, September 10, 17, 24; October 1, 8

Time: 5PM – 9PM

**PART II** - Blended Modules (SMR, MPR, DSP, ECO)

Thursdays, October 22, 29; November 5, 12, 19

January 14, 21, 28; February 4, 11

#### **Location**

Kohler Co., Kohler, WI - Kohler Learning Academy, HR/Law Building, Lower Level

(Bldg directly East of Kohler Design Center, across Highland Drive.) Directions/parking instructions will be sent following registration.

#### **Payment**

Payment must be submitted by the third week after start of class.

Part I = \$800 – APICS Members; \$1,050 – Non-APICS Members

Part II = \$1,200 – APICS Members; \$1,450 – Non-APICS Members

#### **Enrollment**

To enroll, please e-mail Joseph Duesterbeck, CPIM at: [classes@shorelineapics.org](mailto:classes@shorelineapics.org)

**REGISTRATION DEADLINE: August 14,2020**

## Chapter/APICS News

*Do you have great ideas that would help build the Shoreline APICS Chapter?  
Are you looking for a way to build your resume with leadership opportunities?*

If so, there are openings on the Shoreline APICS Board of Directors! Feel free to reach out to any board member to find out more on a position that may interest you.

## Shoreline Board of Directors

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## Board of Directors Meeting Schedule

Board Of Director meetings are planned for the first Wednesday of the month except as noted. The location of the meeting will be published in the newsletter. All members are welcome to attend any board meeting. Please let any current board member know if you would like to attend as we normally have a light meal preceding the meeting and it will help us to ensure we have enough for all.

## Editor's Note

If you have an interest in any specific news item, have a question, or wish to see something added to the newsletter, please email your request to [newsletter@shorelineapics.org](mailto:newsletter@shorelineapics.org).

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