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UP COMING EVENTS

The 2nd Prof. Y.O. Beredugo Annual Lecture.
Date: 15th November, 2007.
Time: 4pm prompt
Venue: Hotel Presidential, Port Harcourt

NSE (NATIONAL) AGM

Notice is here by given that the 40th Annual General Meeting of the Nigerian Society of Engineers will hold at the International Conference Centre, Abuja Thursday, December 6, 2007 by 10:00am.

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NSE PH BEGINS ENGINEERING WEEK ON THE 12TH NOVEMBER, 2007

The Annual Engineering Week Programme of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, Port Harcourt Branch starts on Monday the 12th of November, 2007. The Executive Governor of Rivers State, His Excellency Rt. Hon. Chibuike Amaechi is expected to declare the year 2007 Engineering Week Open at the NSE Secretariat, #3 Bernard Carr Street, Water Works Yard Port Harcourt. Engr. Dr. S. O. Amachri will deliver the key note address at the opening ceremony.

YEAR 2007 ENGINEERING WEEK—12TH TO 18TH November 2007

THEME: "HUMAN RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT IN ENGINEERING FOR SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH."

PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES

DAY	ACTIVITY	TIME	VENUE	
Monday 12/11/07	Opening Ceremony	1000- 1200hrs	NSE-Mini Secretariat	
	1 Keynote Address by Engr.Dr. S. O. Amachree, FNSE			
	2 Engineering Professional Developments For Sustainable Industrial Growth by Engr. Dr C.C. Katchy, FNSE	1200-1400hrs		
Tuesday 13/11/07	Career Talk in selected Sec. Schools	1000hr to 1400hrs	Various	
Wednesday 14/11/07	Charity Visit	1730 – 1800hrs	Daughters of Charity Old Peoples' Home Nkporgu, Port Harcourt	
Thursday 15/11/07	Technical Visit	0900-1400hrs	Ministry of Power 150mw Gas Turbine Omoku (Take- off Point NSE Mini Secretariat)	
	Lecture Evening Engineering Resource Centre and Human Capacity Building by Engr., B.J. Benibo, FNSE, Chairman Nigerian Society of Engineers, Port Harcourt Branch	1400 – 1930hrs		NSEPH Mini Secretariat
	Challenges of Human Capacity Building In Engineering by Engr. George Okoyo, MNSE, MD Point Engineering, Port Harcourt			
	Human Capacity Building In Engineering: The Role of The Organised Private Sector by Engr E.A Amah, MNSE			
Friday 16/11/07	Courtesy Call Managing Director, NDDC, PH	1100 to 1300hr	NDDC Secretariat, Aba Road Port Harcourt	
Saturday 17/11/07	Annual Dinner/Induction/Fellowship Celebration	1300 -1800hrs	Banquet Hall, Hotel Presi- dential, Port Harcourt	
Sunday 18/11/07	Thanksgiving Service	1000 -1200hrs	African Church, 26 Anozie Street, Mile 2 Diobu, Port Harcourt	

ENGR. OJUM'S INVESTITURE AS NICE NATIONAL CHAIRMAN

The mantle of leadership of the Nigerian Institution of Civil Engineers changed hands on Friday the 2nd of November, 2007, at the Main Banquet Hall of the Hotel Presidential, Port Harcourt. Engr. Beriah Ojum (FNSE), the Executive Director of Project NDDC took over as the new NICE National Chairman. The Occasion, which was a carnival of sort, saw the Rivers State Government House virtually relocated to Hotel Presidential with the presence of the Executive Governor of Rivers State, Rt. Hon. Sir Rotimi Chibuike Ameachi (KSJ) and His Deputy Engr. Tele Ikuru (MNSE) and other prominent personalities of the Rivers State Government. Also present at the handing over and investiture ceremony is the National President of the Nigerian Society of Engineers, Engr. Emeka Momah Eze (FNSE), the President of ACEN, Engr. Mrs. Mayen Adetiba (FNSE) and other key executive officers and prominent members of NSE.

NSE PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT BOARD AND TECHNICAL COMMITTEE HELD MEETING IN LAGOS

The Nigerian Society of Engineers Professional Development Board held a meeting in Lagos on Saturday the 3rd of November, 2007 at the National Engineering Centre, 1 Engineering Close, Victoria Island, Lagos. The meeting was presided over by Engr. Osvoduwale, an Exco member of the National Executive Committee. The Vice President (PD) Engr. Dr. C. C. Catchy sent his apology.

The Board deliberated on numerous issues, aimed at evolving activities that will improve the



TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

professional development of various committees such as Human Resources Development Committee, Education, NSE Training Programme, Codes and Standards, ERM, Prevention, Investigation and Failure Analysis Committee, Technical and Publication committee. It made conscious effort to critically appraise and review the reports and activities of the various committees. The Board equally reviewed scope of the Awards and Endowment Committee and the School of Engineering Lagos and subsequently resolved that it should be given a more programmatic approach.



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The Nigerian Society of Engineers Nationwide is set to celebrate its 50th anniversary with fun fare. All the branches of the NSE throughout the Federation would be grouped into zones for the formation of zonal committees. The Nigerian Society of Engineers Port Harcourt Branch has set up a committee to co-ordinate and collaborate in the society. All engineers are enjoined to forward their opinions in contribution towards the anniversary.

COREN

The Council for the Regulation of Engineering (Practice) in Nigeria (COREN) Port Harcourt Zone has resumed full activities @ its new zonal office at Maintenance/ FERMA Yard located at plot 41, Birabi Street, opposite Hotel Presidential, G. R. A. , Phase II, off Port Harcourt-Aba Express way,

For more information visit our website @ www.corenng.org or you can e-mail us: Headquarter: coren@corenng.org; Registration Dept: registration@corenng.org; Accounts Dept: accounts@corenng.org; Port Harcourt zonal office: coren-ph@yahoo.com; Port Harcourt phone No.08023626349. All COREN payments should be made at Zenith International Bank Plc. And official COREN receipt obtained at the zonal office on presentation of payment teller. Zenith Int. Bank Plc Acc. No. 6012005088. Sign: Mr. Goodluck Ugbodaga

NOTICE! NOTICE!! NOTICE!!!

This is to inform all members of NSEPH that the annual branch due of N4000 and compulsory levy of N5000 towards the Engineer Resource Center is due.

All payment should be made at the Branch Secretariat or via Branch Account:

UBA ACC. NO: 0802080000194 (Port Harcourt main Branch). Also pay National Annual Subscription of N5,500.00 directly to AFRIBANK ACC No. 1420202215613 & forward all tellers to the secretariat for reconciliation.