

industry news

AERA welcomes new members

ACTIVE

- Arcan Machine, Toronto, ON CANADA
- Arrow Engine & Machine, Chattanooga, TN
- BGS. Inc, Lexington, KY
- Carquest Auto Parts, Winchester, VA
- CARQUEST West Valley, West Valley, UT
- Cash & Carry Engine, Exchange, Mesa, AZ
- Central Interior Rebuilders, Kamloops, BC CANADA
- Ding's Custom Cycle, Dubois, WY
- Engine Technology, Lansing, MI
- Foaz Industrial Equipment, Jeddah, SAUDI ARABIA
- Heads Up Machine & Speed, Fort McLeod, AB CANADA
- Internotor, Chernivtsi, UKRAINE
- IRT Grupo, Quito, ECUADOR
- Jeffs Carquest & Machine, Crescent City, CA
- Melton Sales & Service, Burlington Township, NJ
- Mercer Machine & Performance, Lawrence, KS
- Precision Automotive, Texhoma, OK
- Precision Machine, Waco, TX
- R & B Automotive Machine, Riverton, WY
- Rectificadora Internacional, Rio Coca, Quito, ECUADOR
- Rectificadora Navarrete, Tumbaco, Quito, ECUADOR
- Refacciones y Rectificaciones Oscar, Puerto Vallarta, MEXICO
- S & K Automotive, Mineral Wells, TX
- S & R Machine, Moncks Corner, SC
- Schumann's Sales & Service, Blue Grass, IA

- Servicio Automotriz, Schaumburg, IL
- Springfield Engine Supply, Springfield, MO
- Tobler's Engines, Morrow, OH
- TNS Custom Engines, Maiden, NC
- Universalmotor Cia. Ltda, Sucre, Quito, ECUADOR

ASSOCIATE

- Industria de Maquinas Chinelatto Ltda, Limeira, SP BRAZIL

MEMBERGETTERS

- Dave Monyhan, Goodson Tools & Supplies, Winona, MN
- Fuad Abu Hadhood, The National Machine Shop, Jeddah, Saudi Arabia

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Kenny Burns, AERA member and machine shop manager for Harry's Machine Works, Inc., of Dodge City, Kansas is the 18th recipient of the Mahle Clevite Machinist of the Year Award.

Kenny is one of the great machinists that our industry has to offer. He was mentored by a great past recipient of this award the late Russell Rogers. Russell won the award in 1992 before passing away suddenly in April of 2004 at the young age of 42. I always knew Kenny would someday receive this honor because Russell would often tell me how talented Kenny was and it was just a matter of time.

Kenny is an ASE certified "Master Machinist" with over 20 years of industry experience (all of them at Harry's). He started working at

Harry's in the cleaning room and became proficient in every aspect of the shop. From head and block work to crankshaft grinding and engine balancing, there isn't an operation in a shop Kenny can't perform. He truly is a deserving recipient of this award.

Elgin Industries named exclusive aftermarket source of Eaton diesel engine valves

Elgin Industries and Eaton Corporation have announced a new partnership in the marketing and distribution of premium-quality, OE-technology Eaton diesel valves for the replacement parts market. Effective immediately, Elgin is the exclusive source of the complete offering of Eaton-manufactured replacement valves for all diesel engine applications.

One of the largest and most respected engine parts manufacturers for the automotive and commercial engine markets, Elgin will offer Eaton diesel technologies through its extensive network of distributors across North America and in Central and South America.

For more information regarding Eaton replacement diesel valves and the rest of the Elgin aftermarket offering, please contact your engine parts supplier, call 1-800-323-6764, send an e-mail to sales@elginind.com, or go online: www.elginind.com.

AERA to attend engine association meeting in London

In April, AERA President John Goodman will meet in London with engine building associations from several different countries to discuss common issues and their solutions.

calendar

APRIL 14-17 SAE WORLD CONGRESS

Detroit, MI
www.sae.org/congress

MAY 8, 13, 15 ASE SPRING TESTING

www.ase.com

JUNE 19-21 AUTOMECHANIKA CANADA

Toronto, Ontario, Canada
www.automechanika-canada.ca

JULY 9-11 PAACE AUTOMECHANIKA

Mexico City, Mexico
www.paace-automechanika.com

AUG. 29-31 RUJAC SHOW

Guadalajara, Mexico
www.rujac.com.mx

SEPT. 16-21 AUTOMECHANIKA

Frankfurt, Germany

NOV. 4-6 AAPEX SHOW

Sands Expo Center, Las Vegas, NV
www.aapexshow.com

NOV. 4-7 SEMA SHOW

Las Vegas Convention Center, Las Vegas, NV
www.semashow.com

DEC. 11-18 PRI SHOW

Orlando, FL
www.performanceracing.com