

SAFETY TASK FORCE MEETING – NEW MANUFACTURING ALLIANCE

March 19, 2024 | 8:30 AM

NWTC's Green Bay Campus - Eagle Event Center, Room SC142

ATTENDEES: Brenda Bayerl-RGL Logistics, Kayla Beardsley-Village Companies, Robert Bergstrom-LaForce, Cullen Bernetzke-Hatco Corp., Rod Biadasz-Nueske's Meats, Jenny Brown-Services Plus, Mark Callow-SPVG, Ann Franz-NEWMA, Jody Graetz-Graetz Mfg., Stephanie Haines-Cherry Optical Lab, Steve Haldiman-L.E. Jones, Mark Hank-Alive & Kickin Pizza, Dan Hardtke-Voith, Mark Heindel-CMD Corp., Dan Jansen-Precision Paper Converters, Buckley Kain-Cruisers Yachts, Ken Kurtis-Fosber America, Ryan Lindeman-Crescent Electric, Mark Pappas-Voith, Melissa Samuels-ErgoFactor, Joe Schuelke-Nicolet Plastics, Mike Winkler-SPVG, Sara Ziegele-Preempt PT

PRESENTATION BY SARA ZIEGELE WITH PREEMPT PHYSICAL THERAPY: What are MSDs and what are effective strategies that safety professionals can use to prevent them.



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Force March 2024.pdf

NEXT MEETINGS:

NEWMA's next Safety task force meeting is on April 16 from 8:30 a.m. – 10 a.m. at NWTC

The Safety taskforce members are invited to the Future of Work – Mental Health in the Workplace Summit on May 1, 2024 from 8 a.m. – noon at Fox Valley Technical College. Registration will be emailed to you. Please register for this free event. This event will replace our regularly scheduled meeting for the month.

Some of the presentations at the May 1st event:

- **Leadership, Well-being, and Safety.** Discover the current mental health landscape and its impact on leadership, employee well-being, and psychological safety. Gain actionable strategies for fostering a supportive workplace environment conducive to mental well-being.
- **Recognizing signs of substance use.**
- **Mental Health at Work: Breaking Stigma in the Trades** One of the gravest trends in every industry over the last decade has been the rise of mental health issues for employees. It is a cold reality that is not only detrimental to employees well-beings but also is a costly health issue to find resources to help. Many leaders, especially in trades like trucking, construction, or manufacturing, may not have a roadmap to start to handle these rising trends. However, they do not have to navigate it alone.

The June 18th Safety taskforce meeting will be in person at Samuel Pressure Vessel Group.