

DSTA HEADLIGHT

Duluth-Superior Transportation Association News

December 2018

President's Note

2018 is coming to a close all too quickly. So much has happened during the year and I just wanted to remind you of the highlights.

In January, DSTA members donated/raised over \$2,000 for the DSTA Scholarship Fund during the live auction at the Holiday Party.

In June, we held the 5th Annual DSTA Fill A Truck, Feed A Family food and fund drive. There were around 70 volunteers who helped raise almost \$8,500 in cash donations and 21-22 pallets of food. Thanks again to all the volunteers and the Duluth/Superior community for the donations. Since the inception of this event, the DSTA and the donors have provided approximately 106,000 meals to northland families in need.

In July, the DSTA hosted a golf outing with 120 golfers and 23 sponsors.

In September, the first DSTA Scholarship was paid out.

In November we honored our past presidents and voted in the 2019 board of directors.

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered their time and served the transportation industry through the DSTA board.

Please join us for the Holiday Party on January 4th!

Gina Schneider, DSTA President



UPCOMING EVENTS

January 4— Holiday Gathering (VIP)

February 20—Highway Patrol;
Commercial Vehicle Inspection

March 20 – TBD

April 17 – TBD

May 15 – TBD

June 6, 7 – Fill A Truck Food Drive

July 17 – Golf Outing (Nemadji)

August 21 – Vista Cruise

September 18 – TBD

October 17 – TBD

November 14 – Past Presidents' Night

Thank you from your DSTA Board of Directors and Officers for your continued support.

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Election and Past Presidents' Night Meeting Recap

By Gina Schneider

Close to 40 people attended the Election and Past Presidents' Night on November 14th, 2018 at Blackwoods Event Center. There were several Past Presidents' in attendance including: Al Dirksen (1991-1992), Bob Johnson (1998, 2002), Leo Naumann (1999), Kenneth Butler (2001), Brian Foster (2009), Denise McDougall (2010, 2012), Joe Schiff (2013), Jay Baker (2014-2015), and Leyla Aktekin (2017). Thank you for your service to the transportation industry and the DSTA! They shared their wisdom and some historical memories with us.

The election for the 2019 Board of Directors followed up the advice from Past Presidents.

The 2019 Board of Directors consists of:

President – **Gina Schneider**

1st VP – **Joe Schiff**

2nd VP – **Buck Hammann**

Secretary – **Ian Schoenike**

Treasurer – **Dawn Evans**

Director 2018-2019 – **Pat Murphy and Scott Franzen**

Director 2019-2020 – **Joe Neubauer and Daniel Rust**

Past President/Advisor – **Carl Svendsen**

Editor – **Chelsea Loining**

Thank you for your service to the DSTA!

The DSTA Fall Into Fitness Challenge winners were also awarded. Since the results were already sent out, I'll just cover the final team results.

First Place Team: Zipper Rippers Chafing the Dream (Halvor Lines) ~~ lost 7.29%!

Second Place Team: Lean Into It (Halvor Lines) ~~lost 7.27%!

Third Place Team: Body by Jerry (Jeff Foster Trucking) ~~lost 6.46%!

Congratulations to all!



Please join the DSTA on January 4th for DSTA Holiday Party

VIP—Superior, WI

Co-chairs: Gina, LCA and Leyla Aktekin, Jeff Foster
Trucking

6:00 – Social

7:00 – Dinner (Pasta Buffet with Salad Bar and Cake)

7:45 - Live Auction, Carl Svendsen (Auctioneer)

**Raising funds for the DSTA Scholarship Fund. DSTA would like to reach \$10,000 in the scholarship fund to make the fund endowed at UWS for transportation and logistics majors.*

8:30 – Magician, Kelvin Saline

**Fun with ventriloquism, ropes, rings and cutting someone in half. Fun entertainment for all!*

9:15 – Big **PRIZES** from the DSTA and
Prizes donated by members

Free for DSTA Members, Non-Members \$20

**Members are encouraged to donate prizes and/or an item for the live auction. Live auction items are encouraged to be of a \$50 or more value item or experience.*



Letter from the Editor

Chelsea Loining, Editor

The year is coming to end, so it's time to set goals for the New Year! We look forward to the incoming Board of Directors and the creative ideas that will certainly be exchanged as they begin planning 2019 events.

In February, Captain Olsen, will present some highlights on what the enforcement data is telling us (things carriers could/should focus on with their drivers).

He will also present information on the following:

***E-log enforcement. Update on what you are finding / violations etc.**

***Hours of Service—any changes**

***Pre-pass system and weight scales**

***Thoughts on the 2020 mandate with CDL -A being issued through schools only**

Join us to learn more about commercial vehicle inspections and policies and procedures behind the scenes at MNDOT.

Renew your MEMBERSHIP for 2019!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

February 20, 2019

CMV Inspection

**Presenter: Captain
Jon Olsen**

UWS– Superior, WI

More details in the
upcoming issue of
the Headlight.

DULUTH-SUPERIOR TRANSPORTATION ASSOCIATION

Friday, January 4th 2019

DSTA Holiday Gathering

VIP

**1201 Tower Ave
Superior, WI 54880**

Chairs: Gina Schneider, LCA and Leyla Atkekin, Jeff Foster Trucking

6:00 Social 7:00 Dinner 7:45pm Auction/Magician/PRIZES

REGISTRATION FOR: (contact name) _____ Business Phone: _____

Company _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

E-mail Address _____

ATTENDING:

_____	_____
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DSTA Members: FREE!

AMOUNT PAID: _____ non-member @ \$20.00 each = \$ _____

PAYMENT METHOD: Check # _____ Payable only to: Duluth-Superior Transportation Association (or DSTA)

CREDIT CARD PAYMENT: _____ VISA _____ MASTERCARD _____ DISCOVER _____ AMERICAN EXPRESS

NAME AS IT APPEARS ON CARD: _____ **BILLING ZIP CODE:** _____

CARD NUMBER: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ **EXPIRATION DATE:** ____/____ (MO/YR)

3-DIGIT CODE ON BACK OF CARD: _____ **SIGANATURE:** _____

Please e-mail your reservations by Thursday, December 20th, 2018

to Kristin McKibbage at: kmckibbage@halvorlines.com, using this reservation form.

Mailed reservation forms must be mailed by Wednesday, December 19th to:

Halvor Lines ATTN: Kristin McKibbage, 217 Grand Ave, Superior, WI 54880

Thank you!

Application to Duluth-Superior Transportation Association - Year 2019 Membership

Please accept my _____ application for membership or _____ renewal or membership in the Duluth-Superior Transportation Association.

Please mark the appropriate line:

_____ \$40 Annual Dues _____ \$10 Full Time Student at _____
_____ Support Paying Retired _____ Retired - Mail Only _____ \$50 After April 1st, 2019

Would you like a Certificate of Membership sent to you? YES NO (circle one)

DUES ARE PAYABLE BY JANUARY 1ST FOR THE UPCOMING YEAR.

OPTIONAL _____ I am enclosing an additional \$40.00 for a link to my company's web site on **DSTA's home page**. See banner at bottom of web page www.TheDSTA.com.

Web site url: _____

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE

Date: _____

Name _____ Title: _____

Telephone: work: (_____) _____ - _____ Ext. _____ Cell: (_____) _____ - _____

Company Name: _____

Company Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip/Postal Code: _____

Email address: _____

Company Web site: _____

Member sponsored/recommended by (if any): _____

Sponsor member's company: _____

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SIGNATURE: _____

My application qualifies me for membership under the Constitution and By-Laws of the DSTA.

Signature of Applicant _____

*Please send signed application and **check made payable only to DSTA** to:
Dawn Evans, Dave Evans Transports, 19 East 3rd Street, Superior, WI 54880*

Thank you and welcome to DSTA!