



Central New England Section

Winter 2010 Newsletter

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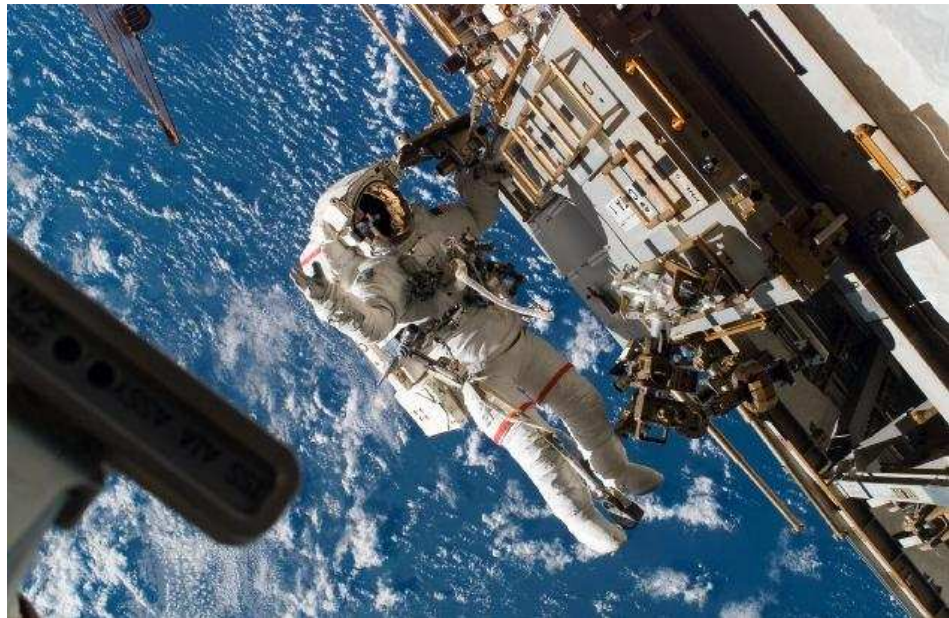
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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 6:00 PM

HAMILTON SUNDSTRAND WINDSOR LOCKS (ACROSS FROM BRADLEY AIRPORT)



We have a GREAT tour scheduled jointly with the Hartford ISA Section! Our host, **Eric Rohrbach**, will show us the Hamilton Sundstrand Space and Sea Development Laboratories where the spacesuits for all NASA operations are produced. We may also get to see the Aircraft Products Division Production Area where aircraft air conditioning systems are manufactured.

Hamilton Sundstrand is directly across the road from Bradley International Airport. Take Interstate 91 to Exit 40 (Route 20, the Bradley Connector) and get off at the Hamilton Road North exit. Go straight through the North Gate, turn left, and follow the road to the Visitor Parking Area and the Customer Lobby. (See map on next page.) The tour will start promptly at **6:00 PM, Tuesday, February 9.**

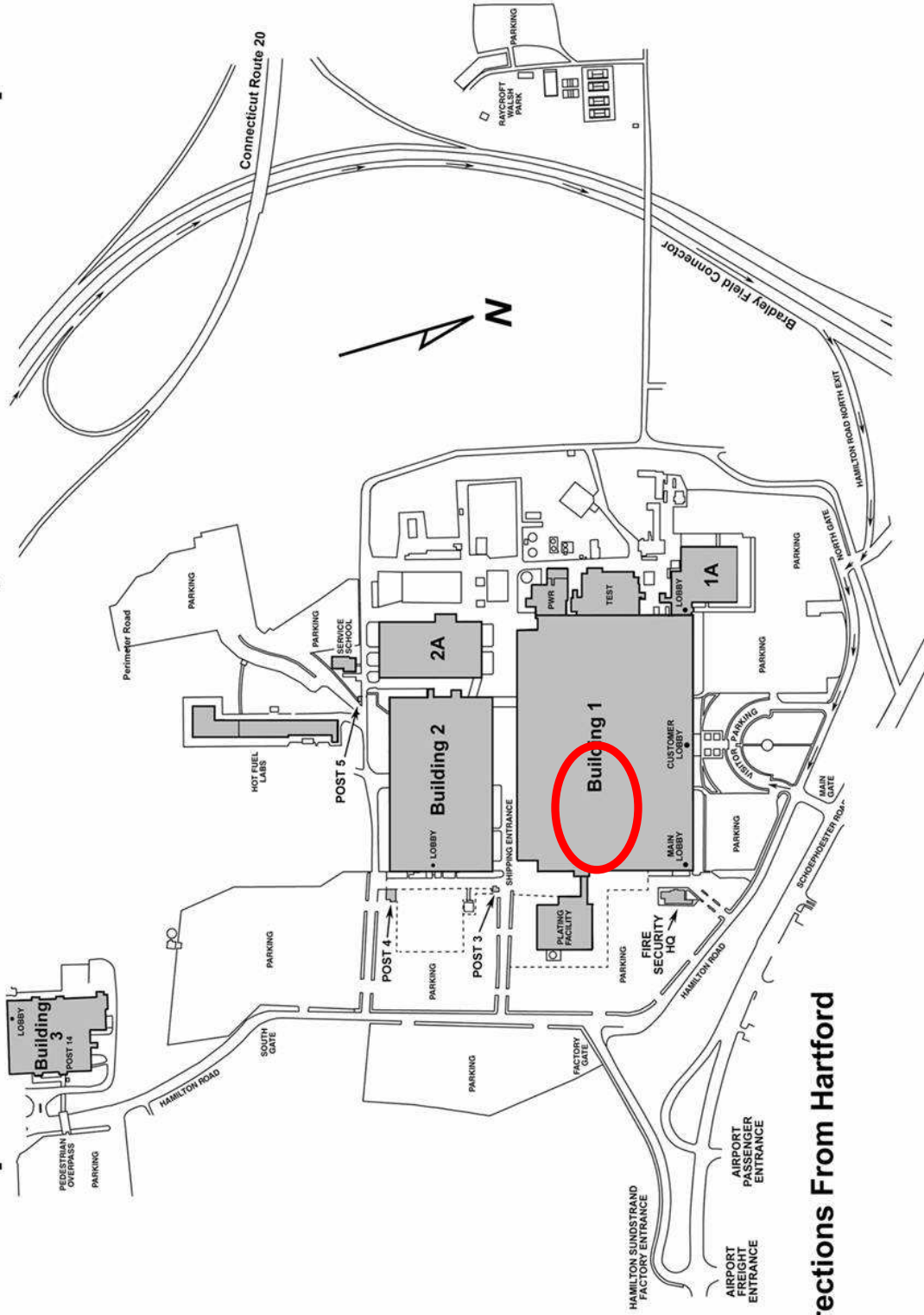
WE WILL NEED TO HEAR FROM YOU ON OR BEFORE JANUARY 26 IF YOU ARE PLANNING ON ATTENDING THE TOUR!

IMPORTANT! Because of security issues, you **MUST** be a U.S. citizen or possess and show a valid green card to go on the tour. To attend the tour, please contact ISA Program Chairman, **George Berntsen**, at gberntsen@fce.com or Joyce Carpenter @ joyce.carpenter@hs.utc.com.

DINNER AFTERWARDS

We are planning to meet for dinner (Dutch Treat) at the Ruby Tuesday's Restaurant on Route 75, just a few minutes from Hamilton Sundstrand. Let us know if you are planning to attend.

Map to Hamilton Sundstrand, Windsor Locks Complex



Directions From Hartford

Hamilton Sundstrand's Headquarters is Located Directly Across the Road From Bradley International Airport





Engineering Week 2010

February 14-20

Don't forget - Engineering Week is coming up! Check out the website at www.eweek.org for lots of cool activities to do with your family, for your child's science fair project or to take into your local school.

See their eweek toolkit for good tips for volunteering at schools.

Check out the following for activities:

<http://www.eweek.org/site/DiscoverE/activities/index.shtml>

<http://www.discoverengineering.org/>

<http://www.engineergirl.org/>

<http://www.engineeryourlife.org/>

Another good site (American Chemical Society – Science for Kids):

<http://portal.acs.org/portal/PublicWebSite/education/whatischemistry/scienceforkids/index.htm>



ChemE on Demand

(<http://apps.aiche.org/chemeondemand/home.aspx>)

Members of AIChE get 6 free ChemE on Demand credits each year. These credits are good toward content in AIChE's fully-searchable digital learning center, training hub and information resource just for chemical engineers. Access an ever-growing library of chemical engineering and business content with the just click of a mouse.

Invitation to Judge the 2010 Connecticut Science Fair

Place: Quinnipiac University, Hamden

Dates: Preliminary Judging Wednesday, March 10, 2010
Final Judging Thursday, March 11, 2010

Individuals with professional experience in the physical sciences and in the life sciences are needed to participate as judges in the 2010 Connecticut Science Fair at Quinnipiac University in Hamden on one of the two days indicated above. More details and registration at:

Register On-Line at: <http://www.ctsciencefair.org/information/judging.html>

Name: judge **Password:** taurus

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