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ROAD-E-O WRAP-UP

Oregon trash and recycling truck drivers compete at SWANA-Oregon's Road-E-O event

On Saturday, May 14th, at the Lane County Fairgrounds in Eugene, waste industry drivers from all over the state competed for the chance to be crowned best in the Northwest.

Paul Anderson from Waste Connections secured the title of "Top Gun" and the first and second place winners in each category have the privilege of participating in the international competition and compete amongst the best in the field. The 2011 International Road-E-O will be hosted by the Georgia Chapter, on September 2-3.

You can read more about the Oregon winners and see pictures from this year's Road-e-o here: http://www.swanaoregon.org/road-e-o_2011.htm



UPCOMING FACILITY TOUR

Join SWANA Oregon members for a tour of the Knott Landfill and Transfer Station on July 21st. The tour will cover the recently completed new cell at the landfill and alternative design landfill cap over 45 acres of the site. The upgrades also include a new automated leachate/landfill gas management system.

Lunch will be available for \$15 prior to the tour at 11:30 am at the Department of Solid Waste office located at 61050 SE 27th Street, Bend, OR 97702.

To register for the tour, email or call Betty Patton at 503-230-9513 or BPatton@SWANAOregon.com. Payment is accepted via cash or check at the door. Registration requested for lunch and tour.

SAVE THE DATE FOR THE SWANA NORTHWEST 2012 SYMPOSIUM

Mark your calendars for April 18-20, 2012! The Oregon Beaver Chapter will be hosting the next SWANA Northwest Symposium which will be held at the McMenamin's Edgefield. Stay tuned for more information in the coming months.

MOLO TRAINING – GREAT SUCCESS, MANY THANKS!

This year's MOLO training was held in Sunriver, Oregon on April 25-27. The training was a great success, with all nine attendees completing the training. Many thanks to Waste Connections for sponsoring the event!

ELECTIONS ARE COMING!

SWANA Elections are coming in September. Look for ballots to come via email, and stay tuned for more information regarding candidates in the coming weeks.

