

AZ Chapter Elects Board Members

By Renee L. Hoekstra, Chapter President

At the November 23rd chapter meeting, Arizona Chapter volunteers were accepted to fill the empty board positions. They include:

- President – Renee L. Hoekstra, CVS
- Vice President – Geza Kmetty, PE, CVS
- Secretary – Susanne Leckband, AVS
- Treasurer – Patrice Miller, AVS

The Arizona Chapter has agreed to meet every two months formally and we're putting together a couple of special meetings to focus on specific groups. This will include a special meeting in March geared to manufacturing and one for public agency owners. We are excited about getting the chapter up and running again and welcome future attendance. We have scheduled our next meeting for January 11, 2011.

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- Said Farhat, AVS
- Remi A. Ghosn, AVS
- Hanan Jaber
- Assem Kanso
- Ayoub Kasem Riman, AVS
- Mohamad Ahmad Sabra
- Ahmad Mohamed Kheir Sharab, AVS

Malaysia

- Parham Forouzani, S. SAVE Intl.

Romania

- Andrei Pop

United Kingdom

- Sean Timperley, S. SAVE Intl.

San Diego Chapter Honors Tanenbaum

By Chili Cilch

The San Diego Chapter held its annual holiday dinner family style at Buca di Beppo. The party of sixteen feasted on big platters of antipasto, calamari, pasta, and classic Italian entrees. There was so much food left over that George Bartolomei raffled it off at the end of the evening.

Guests burned off some of their dinner calories with many hearty rounds of clapping for the surrounding tables celebrating birthdays, but the heartiest applause went to **Ron Tanenbaum, Ph.D., PE, GE, CVS, FASCE**. The chapter surprised him by presenting him with a plaque acknowledging his dedication to the San Diego SAVE chapter, particularly his contributions toward sustaining the chapter's membership and his work promoting the 2010 SAVE International Conference in Long Beach. *Bravissimo, Ron!*

The San Diego Chapter extends warm wishes to our family of VE practitioners and clients. Enjoy a safe



Features from left is Chapter President Aaron Rouch and Ron Tanenbaum. Seated below: Greg Farrand, Suzanne Farrand, and Edita Petil.

and jolly season full of holiday goodies. *Buon appetito!*

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