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2008-2009 Edition

## OCTOBER MEETING

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This month meeting will be a plant tour of the UPS Facility in Warwick RI. Members should register by October 22, 2009. On October 23, registration will be open to member guest. The tour is limited to the first 30 registrants. Attendees will meet at 5:45 pm. After the tour sandwiches and soft drinks will be available. Dress appropriately for an industrial area and wear comfortable footwear for walking.

## C.P.M. EXAM INFORMATION

A few of you have stressed an interest in signing up for a C.P.M. Review on all Four Modules. We are in the midst of completing a C.P.M. Review that was started late Spring/early Summer and have now concluded Modules 1, 2 and 3. The Review of Module 4 will start on October 20 and be completed in 3 sessions or by November 10, 2008. Anyone interested in taking the C.P.M. Exam by the December 31, 2009 cutoff date, must register by December 31, 2008.

Therefore, if you decide this is what you are going to do and would like to participate in the C.P.M. Review, email me or Brenda WentzGold, preferably by October 31, 2008, so we can try and set-up another Four Module Review Program so you will be prepared accordingly before taking the exam.

Having stated the above and provided this is what you have decided to do for yourself, we have a very good deal to extend. One of our Affiliates in the Midwest overbought both the C.P.M. Study Guide and the C.P.M. Diagnostic Kit such that they are willing to sell both for \$45.00 plus shipping. The regular NON-Member price for BOTH of these would be \$128.00 plus shipping or the Member price for both at \$88.00 plus shipping. This was offered to us on October 1, 2008 until supply lasts. We are sure they were also offered to all of the Affiliates Nationwide so if we are going to get as many as we need for each of you, we really need to know as soon as possible.

Also there was someone who attended the monthly meeting in September was wondering if we are going to offer a Preparation Course on the new CPSM Certification Program. The Pro-D committee will be looking into this and report to you accordingly in the Pro D section in one of our future newsletters.

Don't forget, we are always open to any of your comments (good or not so good) or suggestions on anything related to your educational and self-improvement needs. Whatever it may be, it WILL get looked into and reported on accordingly. Remember, absolutely nothing is too minor for us to act upon. That's what we are here for! Your Pro D Team wishes all of you well as we transition into the Fall Season.

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### Plant Tour

Please do not forget to register for the monthly meeting. See page 4

### Credits

If for any reason you need to get your certificate of credit hours for certification or recertification please contact Roland Grenier. Credit hours are given for attending monthly meetings and for C.P.M. review classes.

## September Meeting



The September meeting was the first of the meeting for the 2008-2009 year. If you missed it you missed a fantastic evening on Third Party Logistics. Below you can see the results from the evaluations. There was an overwhelming appraisal for the first of our speaker program. Don't miss out on future meetings. See the meeting schedule on the next page or visit the PMARI website at [www.pmari.org](http://www.pmari.org)



Top photo is September speaker Joe Marrinan.  
Attendee's of the September meeting listen to Joe Marrinan in bottom photo.

PMARI SPEAKER PROGRAM EVALUATION					
"Third Party Logistics & Warehousing". Presentaton by Joe Marrinan					
September 22, 2008					
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Blank
Speaker	10	2			
Location	6	6			
Food	9	2			1
	Great	Somewhat	Little	No	
	Interest	Interesting	Interst	Interest	
Topic	9	3			
	Yes	No	Possible		Blank
Program Useful	7	3	1		1

## 2008-2009 Board of Directors

Joan Dillenback C.P.M. has resigned to from her position on the board. President Mike McVey appointed former President Peter Dodge to fill the position. The board approved of the appointment. We wish Joan the best and welcome Peter back

### 2007-2008 BOARD of DIRECTORS

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## UpComing Events

### 2008-2009 Dinner Meeting Schedule

**October 27, 2008**  
 Location: UPS Facility Wawick  
 Topic: UPS Plant Tour  
 Time: 5:45 pm

**January 20th 2009\***  
 Location: TBD  
 Topic: Negotiations Part I  
 Time: 5:00 pm

**February 23, 2009**  
 Location: Chelo's Post Road Warwick  
 Topic: Open Forum  
 Time: 5:30pm


\* The January 20th Meeting is a joint meeting with APICS. APICS will be hosting this meeting.

\*\* The March Meeting is a joint meeting with APICS. PMARI is hosting.

**March 23, 2009\*\***  
 Location: Chelo's Post Road Warwick  
 Topic: Negotiations Part II  
**PURCHASING MONTH  
 SUPPLIER MONTH**

**April 27, 2009**  
 Location: Chelo's Post Road Warwick  
 Topic: RISE

**Golf Tournament:**  
**P.M.A.R.I. Annual Scholarship Tournament**  
 Friday, June 12, 2009  
 Swansea Country Club  
 Swansea, MA



## New Members

PMARI would like to welcome the following new member;

Kevin Furbush

## Job Postings

Bushery Associates Recruiters - Sourcing Manager – [Corporate Services](#)  
 Bushery Associates Recruiters - Global Purchasing Manager - Industrial  
 Bushery Associates Recruiters - Mechanical Components Commodity Manager  
 Bushery Associates Recruiters - Strategic Sourcing Manager – [Legal Services](#)  
 Bushery Associates Recruiters - Manager of Logistics Operations - Americas  
 Gabriele & Company Recruiters - Director of Operations  
 Gabriele & Company Recruiters - Supplier Management: CM  
 Gabriele & Company Recruiters - Manufacturing Executive  
 Gabriele Company Recruiters - Director of Operations

*For additional information on these positions and for up to date job postings, visit [www.pmari.org](http://www.pmari.org) and click on jobs link at the top of the page.*

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94th Annual ISM International Supply Management Conference and Educational Exhibit  
May 3-6, 2009  
Charlotte, North Carolina

2009 Exhibitor Prospectus

Visit [www.ism-cv.org](http://www.ism-cv.org) for information on volunteering at the conference

October Meeting

**Monday October 27, 2008**

**Location: Plant Tour  
UPS**

**Time: 5:45 pm**

**Space is Limited to the first 30 members that register.**

**Please register on line at [www.pmari.org](http://www.pmari.org) or contact Roland Grenier at 401-335-3593**

(NOTE: Should there be a need to consider a weather related meeting/event cancellation, our chapter President, Mike McVey, will make the call by mid-morning of the day of the meeting/event. Officers and Board members will make a concerted attempt to notify all members (not limited to those with reservations) via a combination of email, broadcast media, web site, and phone calls.) If you hear nothing, the meeting/event is likely still on.