

BOARD MESSAGE FOR 2019-2020

Thanks to you and your support the Rocky Mountain AHRMM is in its fifth year and we are stronger than ever. We developed a conference schedule that features excellent speakers, attracts dozens of attendees and provides CE credits. And there's more in store for 2019-2020!

For 2019-2020 we want to make the RMAHRMM the connector for everyone in the hospital supply chain community; from students, to seasoned professionals to executive leadership. To do this we have added social media on four platforms and we are adding two new exciting programs:

- The **Executive Round Table** is an opportunity for supply chain leaders in our region to meet peer-to-peer, network and share best practices. The Round Table will convene during our events to discuss trends, issues and developments relevant to the industry and our organization. Round Table membership is only available to Sponsoring partners and Round Table members must be in a leadership role within their organization.
- The **University Outreach** program will engage the universities in the Wasatch Front who have supply chain and materials management programs. We are creating a subcommittee and coordinating with the National AHRMM to develop an event which will provide them with education, networking and scholarship opportunities.

This year we will provide year round opportunities for our members to learn, grow and build relationships by holding four events. Our Spring and Fall events will remain as the core of our schedule.

- 1) **Spring Conference and Vendor Fair**
- 2) **Fall Conference and Facility Tour**

And we are excited to add these two new events:

- 3) **University Outreach Event:** Our University Outreach Subcommittee will develop this program. One concept is to create Supply Chain Olympics along with a Career Fair. The goal is to create a fun filled and active event to embrace and encourage the new generation of supply chain professionals from the universities. Participating schools will receive scholarship funds to support their supply chain program.
- 4) **Jazz Elephant:** RMAHRMM seeks to create great relationships and camaraderie that help sustain and promote a healthy industry. One of our favorite events in the past has been a holiday white elephant. We want to step up our game and take our white elephant to a Utah Jazz home game. This event is purely for relationship building and fun and no funds from the RMAHRMM will be used for the event. However, anyone who wants to participate will enjoy great company, a buffet dinner, a hilarious gift and a Jazz game for only about \$75.

Our board is committed to uniting the supply chain and materials management community in our region and we are excited to have your support and participation. Visit us at www.rockymtnahrmm.com and join us on social media. We look forward to seeing you and the members of your organization at our upcoming events!

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