NOTICE: TEMPORARY CHANGE OF VENUE, SEE MAP ABOVE & DIRECTIONS ON PAGE 3!!

September 5th, 2013 Dinner Meeting
Puget Sound American Welding Society is Proud to Host:

Robert Heffernan: Praxair, Automation & Productivity Specialist

Speaking on the topic of: New High Technology & Reducing Cost in Vessel and Pipe Cutting Equipment

Mr. Heffernan has been a Welding Application Engineer for over 40 years specializing in Automated Cutting and Weld Automation solutions for the Fabrication Industry. He has spent several years in the Pressure Vessel & Pipe Fabrication Industries working in Texas and Alberta Oil Field Industry helping companies increase their productivity.

TECHNICAL QUESTIONS
Bring your technical questions to the meeting (any subject) or write them there and leave at the registration table or hand to Stephen Pollard. They will be discussed and hopefully answered during the dinner hour.

PLEASE MAKE YOUR MEETING RESERVATIONS BY E-MAILING TO: AWSPUGETSOUND@GMAIL.COM OR, PHONING ASK FOR Donna Page at Airgas at +1 (206) 224-0430 BY TUESDAY SEPT 3 2013. REGULAR DINNER PRICE IS $30.00; STUDENT PRICE IS $15.00. PLEASE LEAVE YOUR PHONE NUMBER WHEN MAKING RESERVATIONS. IF YOU DO NOT PLAN TO HAVE DINNER, YOU ARE STILL WELCOME TO ATTEND THE PROGRAM. PLEASE LET US KNOW IF YOU WILL ATTEND. SUGGESTED ARRIVAL TIME IS 7:30PM.
SCHOLARSHIPS
The Puget Sound section awards scholarships to students enrolled in weld programs at local colleges. The funds for these scholarships are from donations from members and other interested individuals, businesses or groups to train welders. If you would like to help welding students receive training/certification, please contact Scholarship Chairman – Steve Nielsen. Contributions may be made to: American Welding Society (AWS) Puget Sound, PO Box 2923 Everett, WA 98213-2923 C/o the Jerry Hope Memorial Scholarship fund. The Puget Sound Scholarship Applications.

JERRY HOPE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
A scholarship program has been created in Jerry Hope’s name. Contributions made before the end of the year will be matched by the AWS Foundation. You may review a draft of this program by contacting Steve Nielsen. Contributions may be made to: C/o the Jerry Hope Memorial Scholarship fund.

PUBLICATIONS:
To order publications: email your P.O. to awspugetsound@gmail.com or mail P.O.s and checks to AWS Puget Sound, PO Box 2923, Everett, WA 98213-2923. Call Dave Edwards if you need help: 360-661-1373. Members will receive the 25% member discount. A portion of the price goes to support your local section activities.

Need a publication in a hurry? The Section library is held by the Seattle Public Library.

UPDATE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS
In order to ensure that you receive all notices from the Puget Sound Section of AWS we need your Email address.

If you are a member, please log onto www.aws.org and go to “My Account”

If you are not a member and wish to be included on our mailing list please send a note to: awspugetsound@gmail.com
DIRECTIONS

COMING FROM SOUTH OF SEATTLE:
Take exit 168B to merge onto WA-520 E toward Bellevue/Kirkland
Take the Montlake Blvd exit
Turn left onto Montlake Blvd E
Turn left onto NE Pacific St
Continue onto NE Northlake Way
Turn left to stay on NE Northlake Way
Destination will be on your left

COMING FROM NORTH OF SEATTLE
Take exit 169 toward NE 45th St
Merge onto 5th Ave NE
Slight right to stay on 5th Ave NE
Take the 3rd right onto NE 42nd St
Take the 1st left onto 5th Ave NE
Turn left onto NE 40th St
Turn right to stay on NE 40th St
Turn left onto 6th Ave NE
Continue straight onto NE Northlake Way
Destination will be on the left
AWS National and District Scholarship Funds Available to Welding Students

Additional scholarship funds are available if the Puget Sound Section scholarship fund has been exhausted. Contact your School; College; Instructor; or visit the AWS site to fill out the AWS application. District Scholarships are for any level of welding related educational programs, while National Scholarships are generally for undergraduate students of a four-year program leading to a bachelor's degree. Visit the AWS Scholarship via the link below or Steve Nielson Phone (425) 259-3508 for more information. Applications are now available online from the AWS Foundation - www.aws.org/foundation. Additional Scholarship Application Information