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Roger Jones Named ASM Heat Treating Society President for 2013-2015 Term



Roger A. Jones, Corporate President of Solar Atmospheres, has been named president of the ASM Heat Treating Society (HTS) for the 2013-2015 term. The Heat Treating Society is an affiliate of ASM International. The materials information society provides high-quality materials information, education and training, networking opportunities, and professional

development resources for materials users, producers, and manufacturers. Over the next 24 months, Mr. Jones will continue to promote the heat treating industry, its image, and its technology.

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Solar Atmospheres of Western PA Raises the Bar, or Screen

Hermitage, PA. - Solar Atmospheres of Western PA (SAWPA) has extended the hot zone load capacity in their largest commercial vacuum furnace from 60-inches-wide to 80 inches-wide. When faced with the possibility of processing a job of catalyst retention screens that were 80-inch-wide, we needed to take advantage of the 84-inch-wide potential in the furnace. [Read more...](#)



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Tradeshows

Come talk to our heat treating experts in person!

International Titanium Association Expo

Oct. 6-9, 2013
Las Vegas, NV
Booth 408

D2P Pasadena

Oct. 9-10, 2013
Pasadena, CA
Booth 221

ASM Lehigh Valley Expo

Oct. 10, 2013
Breinigsville, PA

Westec

Oct. 15-17, 2013
Los Angeles, CA
Booth 3152

Competitive Manufacturing Summit

Oct. 22, 2013
Cleveland, OH

HD Video Conferencing is Now Available at All Solar Sites



The Solar Atmospheres companies have a new tool to make meeting with customers and colleagues more convenient and productive. This tool is the Polycom HDX high definition video conferencing system that is installed at each of the Solar plants in Souderton and

Hermitage, PA and in Fontana, CA. [Read more...](#)

Solar Atmospheres of California Quality Approvals

Solar Atmospheres of California (SCA) is now an approved supplier for Rolls Royce and Pratt Whitney. In addition to these prime approvals, SCA has expanded its Boeing approvals. Solar's Southern California facility was built to service the aerospace industry.



Thirty years of experience building and operating vacuum furnaces on the east coast went into building the SCA plant. [Read more...](#)

A Day at the Ballpark for Solar Atmospheres of Western PA (SAWPA)



On Sunday, June 3rd fifty of SAWPA's finest employees and their families enjoyed a wonderful day at one of the most picturesque ball parks in America - PNC Park in Pittsburgh, PA. Our employees viewed the game from behind home plate between hometown favorites the Pittsburgh Pirates versus their fiercest rival the Cincinnati Reds.

The extra inning game (11th inning) concluded with a walk off single by

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Chicago, IL
Booth S4523

ASIP

Dec. 3-5, 2013
Bonita Springs, FL
Booth 6



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the Pirates to beat the Reds. With the view of the famous Pittsburgh skyline and the Allegheny River, the traditional ball park food, great camaraderie and a day away from the office, all capped by the hometown team winning, it was truly an awesome day!



Solar Donates "The Mentor" Furnace to ASM Teaching Facility

On Saturday, July 20, a new vacuum furnace, donated by the Solar Atmospheres, Inc. companies, was dedicated in an official ribbon-cutting ceremony at ASM headquarters in Materials Park, OH. This lab-sized furnace was designed and built by Solar Manufacturing for use in ASM's Teaching Lab and is named "The Mentor." This \$250,000 gift was made by Solar in commemoration of ASM International's 100th anniversary. [Read more...](#)



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