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THE PREZ SEZ...



Hello all,

In the month of August, Cornbelt AMBUCS™ built several ramps, laid groundwork for upcoming Amtryke® presentations, and packaged food boxes for flood victims in Louisiana. Please "read all about it" in this month's newsletter.

Several of us are heading to Tuscon, AZ for the AMBUCS national conference late this month. If you have any topics or questions that you'd like to us to bring up at the conference, please let me know.

Also, if you're looking to volunteer time to Cornbelt AMBUCS, but our normal volunteer opportunities always seem to conflict with your schedule, please let me know. I'd like to provide more opportunities at different times, but I need to gauge interest.

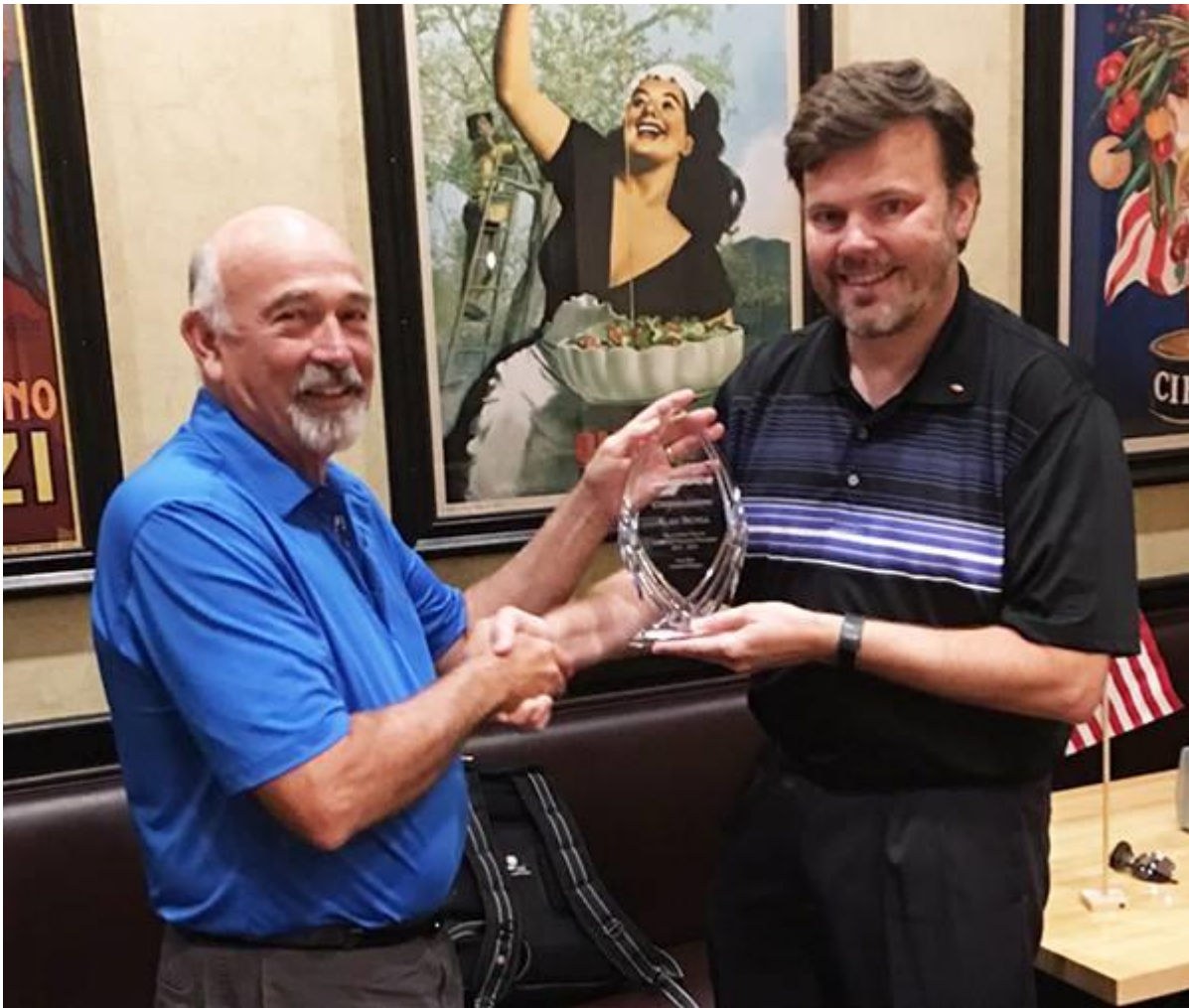
It's a great day to be an AMBUC™!!!

Kindest regards,
Bill

Al Bedell Award Presentation

At our last monthly meeting, we awarded Al Bedell for his very successful year as AMBUCS national president. He did a most excellent job! Thanks, Al!



**Next Saturday Event**

When: Saturday, September 18, 2016

Time: 7:00 a.m.

Place: Shannon's Restaurant

Next Noon Meeting

When: Wednesday, October 5, 2016

Time: Noon

Place: Monical's Pizza (by Best Buy)



Bill BucHie's Babbles...



Hey, all you ramp-builders -

We built a couple ramps in August and we've got plenty more to do this season. Here's a sample of what we can do when we get our shoulders together!

We built a ramp for Ms. Treat in Bloomington. We showed up one evening to a pile of lumber and a short time later, we had a nice looking ramp done for her to get in and out of her home. At the writing of this newsletter, I'm sad to report that Ms. Treat has recently passed away, but she did know that we cared for her and she and her family appreciated what we did for her. Thanks, everyone.. we made a difference.





We also built a ramp for Ms. Johnson to be able to bring her mother home from a nursing home. We tried to start a ramp that Saturday morning but got a little wet, so we waited, came back, and got a great looking ramp done that day. We had a great lunch provided by the family and their church friends and even had a 4-year old girl show us how she can use a drill! (Can you say, "AMBUCS"?)



As always, we enjoy our ramp projects and we have a great time helping others in the process. If you want to see what we do and experience that feeling of accomplishment when you see that "maiden voyage" down the ramp for the first time, come and join us. I've still got plenty of ramps to build this season.

Thanks for your help and I'll see ya' at the next one.

Bill McHie

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Notes From Al...



Amtrykes®

There was no Amtryke activity last month. We have a few leads and hopefully will have a couple Amtrykes to present in September..

As usual, please continue to send me any Amtryke request you receive.

Thanks!

Al Bedell

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