



**RMCMCI**  
Promote Western Coal Through Education

ANNUAL RMCMCI  
ARIZONA/NEW MEXICO MEETING  
April 15-16, 2010 – Farmington, NM

We invite you, your spouse, guests and prospective members to attend this two-day meeting. This event is an opportunity to network, while hearing outstanding speakers and taking a mine tour. Regional meetings also offer the opportunity for non-members to attend an RMCMCI function.

The banquet and technical sessions will be held at the Courtyard by Marriott, 560 Scott Avenue, Farmington, NM 87401. Please see below for information on room reservations. The golf tournament will be held at the Pinon Hills Golf Course.

*Remember the RMCMCI convention will be at the Zermatt Resort and Spa in Midway, Utah from June 27-29, 2010. Convention packets will be mailed in April.*

**Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>**

**12:00 p.m. – Mine Tours at BHP Billiton**

**Navajo Mine – Surface Tours – (Limit is 20)**

**San Juan Mine – Underground Tours – (Limit is 10)**

*Meet at the Courtyard by Marriott parking lot and BHP Billiton will provide transportation to the mine sites for the tours. Please bring your metatarsal boots as they are required. If you don't have them, they will be provided.*

All other gear (hardhats, safety vests, caplamps, mine belts, scsr's, Tyvek coveralls etc.) will be provided. It is dirty in the mine and so we suggest that you wear clothing that washes easily and that is comfortable and warm under the coveralls.

**6:00 p.m. – Social Hour**

**7:00 p.m. – Banquet**

**Keynote Speaker:**

**Tom Taylor** – *New Mexico State Representative, District 1*  
*“Political Climate Regarding Coal Mining Issues”*

**Friday, April 16<sup>th</sup>**

**7:15 a.m. – Full Breakfast**

**8:00 a.m. - Technical Sessions**

Introductions by **Jim Luther** – *Health, Safety, Environmental Manager*  
BHP Billiton

**Jeremy Niemeier** – *Environmental Specialist* and  
**Daphne Place** – *Planning Engineering Coordinator*  
BHP Billiton

*“Geomorphic Reclamation at BHP Billiton New Mexico Coal”*

**Bill Davis** – *Vice President of Operations*  
Circadian Technologies, Inc.

*“Fatigue Management as Related to Shift Work”*

**Jim Freeman** – *Superintendent, Competency Based Training*  
BHP Billiton

*“Structure and Value of Apprenticeship Programs”*

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**12:00 – Golf Tournament with Lunch at Pinon Hills**

Meet at Pinon Hills Golf Course at noon to sign in and pick-up your box lunch. Tee time at 12:30 – 2101 Sunrise Parkway, Farmington, NM 87402- (505/326-6066). The format will be a 4-man scramble (best ball) with tee times. Pinon Hills is a non-alcohol facility and softspikes only. All players must have their own set of clubs. Two drink tickets will be included but must be used prior to play, at the turn, or afterwards as there will be no drink cart available. Awards will follow play.

**A SINCERE THANK YOU TO OUR MEETING SPONSORS AS OF April 12, 2010:**

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**MEETING REGISTRATION.** Register online at [www.rmcmi.org](http://www.rmcmi.org). On the right side of the homepage, click the links under **AZ/NM Meeting** for "**View Meeting Information**" and/or "**Online Registration.**"

If you prefer, you may complete the attached registration form and mail or fax to RMCMI to be received before **April 2.**

**CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS.** No refunds for the banquet or golf will be made by RMCMI after **April 2.** A \$25 handling fee will be deducted from any refund requested prior to April 2.

**HOUSING RESERVATIONS.** Room block has been reserved for the night of Thursday, April 15<sup>th</sup>, with the Courtyard by Marriott, 560 Scott Ave, Farmington, NM. Reservations may be made by calling **505/325-5111** and asking for the **RMCMI room rates of \$89 (king) and \$99 (2 queens)**, plus tax. All reservations made after **April 2nd** will be on a space-available basis at the RMCMI rate. The Courtyard by Marriott sits adjacent to the beautiful San Juan River and offers hairdryers, iron, coffee maker and two-line telephones with data ports. There is a fitness room with sauna and Jacuzzi, outdoor pool, and free airport shuttle.

**QUESTION ABOUT THE MEETING?** Phone the RMCMI office at 303/948-3300 for questions, or email at [mail@rmcmi.org](mailto:mail@rmcmi.org).

Please pass this information on to others who may be interested in attending, or have them go to our website to register. This is an excellent opportunity to meet others in the industry and hear outstanding speakers on topics of current interest.

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