From the Office of the President

I hope some of you had a chance to attend last month's successful Executive Series luncheon at the Odyssey Country Club in Tinley Park. Scott Grady, Sr. Vice President, Sales and Marketing for Landstar Transportation Logistics was our guest speaker, who gave us a timely presentation on the current state of the trucking industry.

Try and make it a point to attend our upcoming Executive Briefing & Luncheon on November 17 at the Fountain Blue Banquets in Des Plaines, Illinois. This will be an interesting program, starting off with a morning keynote address by William Clement, VP Intermodal CSX Transportation. His presentations will be followed by a panel program with both shipper and provider executives conversing vis-à-vis on the "International Logistics Update." Lunch follows the panel program, with a presentation by Brian Bowers, VP Intermodal, Kansas City Southern Railway, which will conclude the day's event.

You are cordially invited to attend our Annual Holiday Reception, which will be held Tuesday, December 6, 2011, in the Ballroom of the School of The Art Institute of Chicago. The Ballroom, formerly part of the Illinois Athletic Club, was recently restored to reflect the historical look and feel of its original 1927 elegance. Its classic style is displayed with 26 foot high ceilings, marbleized columns and a terrazzo tiled floor reflective of the gilded jazz age during the roaring 20s.







The Ballroom is located just across the street from the Art Institute near the corner of Monroe and Michigan Avenue. Because of the holiday congestion, METRA is the recommended mode of travel, but parking is also available nearby at: East Monroe Street and Millennium Park garages (enter at Columbus Drive and Monroe Street), Grant Park south garage (enter at Michigan Avenue between Van Buren and Adams streets) and Grant Park north garage (enter at Michigan Avenue between Madison and Randolph streets). The reception is free to members who are allowed to invite a guest for \$25. Resident Members will also vote for the incoming board of directors, so we look forward to seeing one and all that evening.

Continuing a look at transportation trends, pipelines once an overlooked mode, are coming back due to the recent boom in the extraction of natural gas from shale rock in the US. Headlines of the Kinder Morgan purchase of El Paso Corporation will make them the largest operator of natural gas pipelines in the US. This will connect existing shale gas fields with proposed new pipelines in the Midwest to help meet the growing demand in the Southeast. These pipeline companies act as toll roads by charging a fee to the utilities that consume the gas being transported.

On behalf of the Club, I wish you and your families a bountiful Thanksgiving Holiday!

Jim Galen

Transportation Night Continues to Grow

Our 7th annual Transportation Night networking event last month at the Rosewood Restaurant was nothing short of a resounding success, with nearly 300 attendees taking advantage of the evening to meet and greet their peers from all areas of the industry. Another record was also set with a total of 13 exhibiting associations being represented that that night.

Those associations joining us for the first time as exhibitors were: American Society of Transportation & Logistics; Transportation Intermediaries Association; Transportation Marketing & Sales Association and the Women's Transportation Seminar. We were delighted to have these national organizations join us this year, and we look forward to seeing them back with us again next year. That date is tentatively set for October 10, 2012.

October Power Point Presentation is Available

A number of members who attended the October 20th Executive Series luncheon at the Odyssey Country Club in Tinley Park, asked if it would be possible to obtain a copy of the power point presentation that was given that day by guest speaker, Scott Grady, Senior Vice President with Landstar Transportation Logistics. We have just been informed by Mr. Grady's office that the company has OK'd the release of this presentation, and anyone who would be interested in receiving a copy can do so by calling the Club office at 630-529-1333 or, e-mailing us at: staff@trfclub-chicago.org

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

We are pleased to welcome the following new members, who were elected to the Club at the October Membership Committee meetings.

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The following members have notified the Club office of a change in their current mailing status. Please be sure to change your records accordingly.

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2012 Executive Series Luncheon Program Schedule

The 2012 program series kicks off with a joint Executive Series luncheon program between the Traffic Club and the Midwest Association of Rail Shippers (MARS). The luncheon will be held on Wednesday, January 11th at the Marriott Oak Brook Hills Resort in Oak Brook, Illinois. Our guest speaker that day will be Daniel R. Elliott III, Chairman, Surface Transportation Board, Washington, DC.

The Education Committee has also confirmed the following dates for additional programs this spring. Please be sure to mark your calendars and plan to attend one these timely and informative events.

February 16

Ashton Place 341 75th Street – Willowbrook, Illinois Program and Speaker TBA

March 15

Ronald Sucik, President, RSE Consulting, Inc. will give an update on "Current Issues and Trends Affecting the Movement of Containerized Goods into North America." Maggiano's Restaurant 516 N. Clark Street – Chicago, Illinois

Thanks to Our Sponsors

Last month's Transportation Night networking event was an outstanding success, with a record number of exhibiting associations, as well as a record attendance that evening. As successful as this event was, it would not have been possible without the support of those companies who help to make this event possible through their sponsorship. Those companies are:

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Only Four Golf Outings Scheduled for Next Year

The Golf Committee announced that there will be only three regular golf outings instead of the usual four for the 2012 season. This change is due to the announced G-8 Summit and NATO Conference which will be held in Chicago next year, May 15-22. This announced international event has forced the club to move the annual dinner and the accompanying annual dinner golf outing to June.

With the dinner being held in June, the annual dinner golf outing would take precedent over the regularly scheduled June golf outing. The committee had discussed the idea of moving the June outing to May, but the weather is very unpredictable that time of the year, and it was also felt that the annual dinner golf outing should continue to be the first golf outing of the year.

Scholarship Program Reminder

By now all of our members should have received the application for next year's scholarship awards program which was sent out over a month ago. If you did not receive this application either by e-mail or regular mail, please contact the club office at 630-529-1333 and we will get that out to you right away.

Please remember that all applying students must have their application and other required documentation mailed to the club, postmarked no later than January 13, 2012. Any applications and/or other required material received postmarked after the stated deadline will not be accepted by the Scholarship Committee.





THE TRAFFIC CLUB OF CHICAGO OFFICIAL BALLOT

for the

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ARTICLE VI, Section 5 — The ballot shall include the slate or slates for voting by all Resident members, and will include a name block and membership number block, which must be fully completed and signed to be considered a valid ballot. Ballots can be cast either in person, by telefacsimile, overnight commercial courier or by mail, with mail ballots being in receipt at the club office seven days prior to the annual meeting. The chairman of the Nominating Committee, or in his/her absence, a teller appointed by the president, shall count and report the results of the voting to the president.

MAILED BALLOTS MUST BE RECEIVED POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 29, 2011

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Traffic Club Dues = Priceless Benefits

Whether you are a Resident or Non-Resident member of the Club, we want to take this opportunity to remind you of the many valued benefits that the Traffic Club of Chicago offers our members, and trust that you will take advantage of these many opportunities.

Executive Series luncheons featuring top industry speakers

Scholarship Fund for children and/ or grandchildren of members

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Endless opportunities to network with your peers

Belonging to one of the finest transportation organizations in the country

We sincerely thank you for your continued support of the club and encourage all of our members to become more involved, possibly by joining one of our many committees.

The Membership Committee

Other Happenings Around Town

Nov 7 - The Intermodal Association of Chicago (IAC) will hold their monthly dinner at the Carriage Greens Country Club, 8700 Carriage Greens Drive, Darien IL. Open Bar 6:00-7:00 pm, followed by dinner at 7:00 pm. They will have a large number of turkeys and hams that they will be giving away as door prizes. The cost is \$30.00 per person.

Nov 8 – The International Air Cargo Association of Chicago (IACAC) will hold their monthly luncheon at the Holiday Inn, 1000 Busse Road, Elk Grove Village IL. Reception: 11:45 am, Lunch: 12:00 noon. There will be no guest speaker this month as they will hold their General Elections and members will vote for Member of the Year. Cost is \$25.00 per person.

Nov 8 – the Global Training Center will sponsor a seminar on International Logistics Air & Ocean. Topics include: Ocean & Air Freight Insurance, Transportation & Documentation and Government Security Initiatives. 8:30am – 4:00pm, Doubletree Suites & Conference Center, 2111 Butterfield Rd., Downers Grove IL. Cost \$545.

Nov 15 – The Council of Supply Chain Management Professionals (CSCMP) will present a workshop on Transportation's Role in the Supply Chain, covering transportation's role in moving products via rail, motor, air and water. 8:00 am – 5:00pm, 333 E. Butterfield Rd. Suite 140, Downers Grove IL. CSCMP members, \$395 - Non-members, \$495.

Transportation Old Timers Annual Christmas Luncheon

The Transportation Old Timers (TOTS) will hold their annual Christmas luncheon on Thursday, December 1st at the LaGrange Country Club, 620 S. Brainard Ave. LaGrange IL. The festivities start with a Cash Bar starting at 11:30 am, followed by Lunch at 1:00 pm. The cost is \$38.00 per person and you must get your reservations in no later than November 25th. For you regulars, Frank will be on hand to play your favorite Christmas Carols. Be sure to get there early and get a good parking spot. It will save you that long walk through the snow??

Classifieds

DLS Worldwide is seeking an air freight operations agent for the day shift, 11:00 – 19:00 Mon-Fri. Individuals should have a minimum of 3 years air freight experience and have knowledge of both domestic and international operations. Competitive salary and benefits including group medical, 401K. Interested parties should mail their resume to Bob Imlof, DLS Worldwide, 200 N. Gary Ave, Roselle IL, or e-mail to: robert.d.imlof@rrd.com

The Kansas City Southern Railway is looking for two Senior Sales Representatives for their Houston, Texas office. Interested parties can check out the postings under "Careers" on their website at: www.kcsouthern.com Candidates can apply on-line using the forms supplied through their website.



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That's all ... just <u>One New Member</u>.

It doesn't take much effort and we will even help you there. Below is an application form you can fax to someone you know that's not currently a member and encourage them to become one. Better yet ... just forward them the newsletter so they can read first hand what the club has to offer. As a fellow club member you already know the many benefits available to you and a brief note from you is all that's required. That's all there is to it.

Thanks for your help in making 2011 another successful membership drive year!

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Traffic Club Calendar for 2011

The following is a listing of Club activities that have been scheduled for 2011. Please be sure to mark your calendars accordingly, so that you don't miss any of these important events.

Nov	3	Finance	Committee	meeting
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4 Membership Committee meeting

Nov 14 House Committee meeting

14 Board of Governors meeting

Nov 17 Executive Briefing & Luncheon "International Transportation" Fountain Blue Banquets, Des Plaines IL

Dec 2 Membeship Committee meeting

6 Annual Holiday Reception. Ballroom of the School of the Art Institute of Chicago, 112 S. Michigan Avenue

8 Finance Committee meeting (tent)

Dec 12 House Committee meeting

Dec 12 Board of Governors meeting

Dates for 2012

- Jan 6 Membership Committee meeting
- Jan 9 House Committee meeting
- 9 Board of Governors meeting Jan

11 Joint Traffic Club-MARS, Luncheon Jan Program. Guest speaker: David R. Elliott III, Chairman, Surface Transportation Board, Oakbrook Hills Marriott Resort

- 3 Membership Committee meeting
- 9 Finance Committee Meeting
- 13 House Committee Meeting
- 13 Board of Governors Meeting

- Feb 16 Executive Series Luncheon, Ashton Place, Willowbrook IL Speaker TBA
- 2 Membership Committee meeting Mar
- 8 Finance Committee meeting
- Mar 12 House Committee meeting
- Mar 12 Board of Governors meeting
- Mar 15 Executive Series Luncheon, Maggiano's Restaurant, downtown Chicago. Guest speaker: Ron Sucik, President, RSE Consulting, "Current Issues and Trends Affecting the Movement of Containerized Goods into North America."
- 5 Finance Committee meeting
- 6 Membership Committee meeting
 - 9 House Committee meeting
- 9 Board of Governors meeting
- 19 Executive Series Luncheon Program, Location & Speaker TBA
- 3 Finance Committee meeting
- 4 Membership Committee meeting
- May 14 House Committee meeting
- May 14 Board of Governors meeting
- 1 Membership Committee meeting Jun
- 7 Finance Committee meeting
- Jun 11 House Committee meeting
- 11 Board of Governors meeting
 - 12 Annual Dinner Golf Outing, Cog Hill Golf Club, Lemont IL
- Jun 13 105th Annual Dinner, Hilton Hotel & Towers, Michigan Ave., Speaker TBA

- 6 Membership Committee meeting
- Jul 9 House Committee meeting (tent)

Jul

- 9 Board of Governors meeting (tent)
- 12 1st Golf Outing of the Season, Jul Hawks View Golf Club, Lake Geneva WI
- 25 Annual Cubs-Stadium Club outing (tent) Jul
- 3 Membership Committee meeting
- Aug 13 House Committee meeting
- Aug 13 Board of Governors meeting
- Aug 16 2nd Golf Outing of the Season, Location TBA (tent)
- 7 Membership Committee Meeting
- Sep 10 House Committee Meeting
- Sep 10 Board of Governors Meeting
- Sep 13 Final Golf Outing of the Season, Location TBA (tent)
- 20 Executive Series Luncheon, Speaker and Location TBA
- Oct 5 Membership Committee Meeting
- 8 Board of Governors Meeting
- Oct 11 8th Annual Transportation Night networking event, Rosewood Restaurant. (tent)
- Oct 18 Executive Series Luncheon, Speaker and Location TBA
- Nov 9 Membership Committee Meeting
- Nov 12 House Committee Meeting
- Nov 12 Board of Governors Meeting
- Nov 15 Executive Series Luncheon, Speaker and Location TBA

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1901 S. Meyers Road Oakbrook Terrace, Illinois 630-691-1300 Monday-Friday, Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner, 7:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. and Saturday, Dinner Only, 6:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Meeting Rooms Available.

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