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Torque Converter Rebuilders Association

2006 Seminar

Welcome to the 9th Annual
TCRA Seminar.

May 11, 2006 to May 13, 2006

Radisson Hotel, City Centre
Indianapolis, IN

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SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



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The Torque Converter Rebuilder's Association (TCRA) will hold its annual 2006 seminar in Indianapolis, IN, from May 11th through May 13th. The classroom format seminar will be held on Friday, May 12th, at the Radisson Hotel City Centre and will feature speakers from General Motors, Ford, Daimler-Chrysler, Raybestos Powertrain, Sonnax Industries, Precision International and many, many more! In addition, this year's program includes an exciting tour of Raybestos Products' manufacturing facility and Raytech Technical Center.

After numerous educational presentations on Friday, Saturday the seminar participants will venture to the Indianapolis Motor Speedway to observe qualifying runs for the Indy 500 Race. This is in thanks to Raybestos Powertrain extending its guest list to attendees of the TCRA annual seminar.

All of these events, over the course of the weekend, are included in the registration fee, and there are no additional costs for the Indianapolis Motor Speedway tickets. You are, however, responsible for your own transportation.

Don't overlook this great opportunity to spend with old friends, meet new business associates and get up to speed on developments in the torque converter industry.

The TCRA would like to thank Raybestos Powertrain for their enormous hospitality and generosity.

Thursday May 11th

Raybestos Powertrain Plant tour



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Raybestos Powertrain Facility Tour

A Tour of the Raybestos Corporation Technical Center and Raybestos Products Company Manufacturing Facilities.

Buses will leave promptly from the Radisson hotel at 9:00 AM.

Lunch will be provided compliments of Raybestos Powertrain.

Buses will depart for the hotel at 3:00pm May 11th - Transport via bus from Indy to Crawfordsville for tour.

Thursday

- ✓ **7:00-8:30am** Pre Register and badge pick up Hotel Lobby
- ✓ **9:00am SHARPLY!** Depart Indianapolis for tours
- ✓ **10:00am** Tour of Raytech Corporation Technical Center
- ✓ **12:00noon** Catered lunch on Raytech properties
- ✓ **1:00pm** Tour of Raybestos Products Company manufacturing facilities
- ✓ **3:00pm** Depart for Indianapolis
- *Thursday night TCRA members on their own to meet with friends and colleagues.*

* All times are approximate except 9:00 am departure

Friday: May 12th Seminar Day

TCRA 9th Annual seminar in the Meridian Room of the Radisson Hotel.

Morning Session

7:00AM to 8:00AM	REGISTRATION
8:00AM to 8:10AM	Welcoming remarks by Ken Cluck, Former TCRA President
8:10AM to 8:30AM	Al Avila and Dave Perry, Raybestos Powertrain
8:30AM to 9:00AM	Frank Slocum, Raybestos Powertrain
9:00AM to 10:00AM	Lou Darling, Daimler Chrysler Corporation
10:00AM to 10:15AM	Morning break, sponsored by TRI COMPONENTS
10:15AM to 11:30AM	Bob Warnke and Ed Lee, Sonnax
11:30AM to 12:00 Noon	John Parmenter, Precision International
Noon to 1:00PM	Lunch, in the Meridian East Room. Be sure to have your lunch tickets ready for collection.

Afternoon Session

1:00PM to 1:30PM	Angela Petroski, Raybestos Products Co.
1:30PM to 2:15PM	Fred Gerometta, Ford Motor Company
2:15PM to 3:00PM	Victor Roses, General Motors Corporation
3:00PM to 3:15PM	Afternoon Break, Sponsored by SONNAX
3:15PM to 4:00PM	Joe Rivera, Pro-Torque / TCRA Web Site Update
4:00PM to 4:30PM	TCRA Member Vendors New Products
4:30PM to 5:00PM	Don Randolph, Dacco
5:00PM	Joe Rivera, ProTorque / TCRA President - Wrap up and Announcements

Annual Member meeting

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Saturday: May 13th - Pole Day

SATURDAY, May 13, 2006

Pole Day at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, sponsored by Raybestos Powertrain. Observe qualifying runs for the famed INDY 500 race.

- **Your are responsible for your own transportation to and from the racetrack. You should leave the hotel at approx. 10:00am and return whenever you like.**
- **Please have a pleasant stay and a safe journey home.**
- ****Don't forget to pick up flowers for Mothers Day**

Thank you all for attending the 9th annual TCRA meeting and seminar. Special thanks to the staff at Raybestos Powertrain for their endless assistance and generous contributions to this year's seminar. Thanks also to the coffee break sponsors and to the generous door prize donors.

About TCRA



The Torque Converter Rebuilders Association is a professional non-profit organization formed for the betterment of the converter rebuilding industry from industry leaders in the fields of Converter Rebuilding, Parts Supplier, Parts Distributor, and Transmission Shop Technicians.

MISSION STATEMENT

The TCRA (Torque Converter Rebuilders Association) is a non profit international trade association that was formed to benefit its members and the Torque Converter industry as a whole.

TCRA strives for better communication between its members, the Torque Converter industry in general, and the wider ranging Transmission and Powertrain industry. TCRA promotes this improved communication through the use of

- Print media, news letters, technical bulletins, and publication of articles in various trade and technical journals.
- Electronic media, including internet domain(s) dedicated to the benefit of the membership and the industry at large.
- Educational seminars and trade show events where industry members can freely exchange ideas and take part in various training programs.

TCRA promotes the highest level of ethical business and rebuilding practices for professionals in the industry.

TCRA recognizes the importance of being accountable to its members, by effectively using its resources in order to always achieve its mission.

For more information and questions about membership please call (888) 216-TCRA or visit www.tcraonline.com

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