



Yorkshire branch

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Dear colleague,

Forthcoming EI Yorkshire Branch Events

I would like to inform you of the next three events in the EI Yorkshire Branch calendar for the 2009/2010 session.

Biofuels: Today and Tomorrow – Dr Geraint Evans – Wednesday 10 February 2010 from 2pm, held at School of Process, Environmental and Materials Engineering, Faculty of Engineering, Leeds University (formerly known as the Houldsworth School of Applied Sciences)

Geraint Evans is head of Fuels and Energy at the National Non Food Crops Centre. Based in York, the NNFCC is the UK's National Centre for renewable materials and technologies, providing independent advice and information to industry, Government and the public. Geraint works within the energy sectors promoting opportunities for renewable fuels, heat and power, identifying emerging markets, and supporting the development of sustainable supply chains. The role brings together an understanding of the technological, environmental, social, and political implications of renewable energy. This event qualifies for CPD certification. Certificates can be provided by the Branch Chairman on request.

Members' Lunch – Wednesday 10 February 2010

In conjunction with the above event, the Yorkshire Branch is hosting a lunch for members of the branch at 12.30pm. on Wednesday 10 February 2010, in Room 5.01 of the Department of Fuel and Energy Engineering, SPEME (the Houldsworth School), Leeds University. The lunch is complimentary and all members of the branch are invited, the only stipulation is that you come along to the branch event at 2 p.m. which is on Biofuels: Today and Tomorrow in Lecture Theatre A.

This is a good opportunity to meet and socialise with your fellow members of the branch. Numbers will be limited and the places are allocated on a first come first served basis. Please try to come along, we will be pleased to see you. For details of how to book your place, please see the information accompanying the Annual Dinner overleaf.

Site Visit to the Total Oil Refinery, Immingham – Wednesday 14 April 2010 at 5pm

This event was originally scheduled for Spring 2009 but, due to commissioning work being carried out at the time, we had to postpone it. A number of members expressed interest at the time so I hope to hear from you again. At present, the date is provisional and subject to confirmation on application. As with all site visits of this kind, we are limited to a maximum tour party size, so please contact me as soon as possible if you want to be included. You will need to make your own way there. More information will be given on acknowledgement of your application.

Annual Dinner – Thursday 15 April 2010 at 7.30pm. at Huddersfield University

The Annual Dinner, in conjunction with the Royal Society of Chemistry, returns to our usual venue at the Huddersfield University. This is always a convivial evening as those who have attended the dinner in the past will know. The top quality food and wines on offer cannot be beaten for value for money. The dinner is open to members, spouses and guests at a cost of £22 per person.

To reserve your place for either or both this event and the Members' Lunch, please contact Steve Turner, either by email at e: steve@turners7.freemove.co.uk or by post to:-

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These events are organised for your interest and benefit; your support is appreciated. We hope you can make every effort to attend.

Yours sincerely,

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Hon. Secretary
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