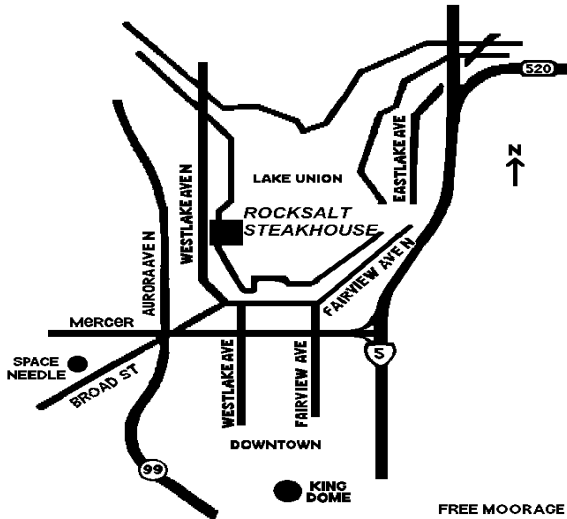


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## NOVEMBER MEETING

**TOPIC:** Material Verification with PMI  
Presented by John Knapp of International Inspection, Inc.  
**DATE:** Thursday November 3, 2005  
**DINNER:** **JOINT MEETING WITH AWS \$25**  
All students and non-members can attend the meeting and dinner free of charge courtesy of American NDT

**TIMES:** SOCIAL 5:45-6:45 PM  
DINNER 6:45-7:45 PM  
PROGRAM 7:45-8:45 PM

**LOCATION:** Rock Salt Steakhouse  
1232 Westlake Ave N  
Seattle, WA 98109

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FOLLOW TO WESTLAKE (3P<sup>RDP</sup> LIGHT) TURN  
RIGHT GO TO 2P<sup>NDP</sup> LIGHT TURN RIGHT THEN  
LEFT INTO PARKING LOT.

*Would you or someone you know like to be a guest speaker at a section meeting? Is there a topic you would like to hear about? If so contact [HUBill MeadeUH](mailto:Bill.Meade@UH.edu).*

*Your advertisement could be in this newsletter or the yearbook. Contact [HUBill MeadeUH](mailto:Bill.Meade@UH.edu) regarding rates.*



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## SECTION NEWS

### Electronic Newsletter Distribution

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Update the section roster and database by going to <http://www.asntpnws.org/memberfi.html>.

Kodak Radiography in Modern Industry (1980)

[Full text of the classic reference](#)

## LEVEL III CERTIFICATES

Certificates are available at each meeting to document your meeting attendance for Level III renewal points. See an officer for details.

## SECTION PHOTO COLLAGE

Big Thank you! to Jim Cox of Zetec who provided two albums of section photos from the past. Anyone else that has any old photos of past local ASNT people/functions or anything that maybe interesting for a section photo collage, please contact [Lynn Graham](#). She would like to put together something nice for the section and is asking for your help in doing so. Thanks very much. Lynn can be reached at (253) 813-1811.

## NEWSLETTER ADDRESS LABEL

The first line of the address label contains the member number followed by the expiration date of membership for that number.

## PRESIDENT'S POINTS

The Pacific Northwest section ended the 2004 year in 5<sup>th</sup> place.

## MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

For renewals within 6 months of expiration use the form at <http://www.asnt.org/membersonly/forms/individmrenew.ihtml>

If your membership expired more than 6 months ago, please use the form at <http://www.asnt.org/membership/forms/individualmema.ihtml>.

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## MEMBERSHIP DATABASE

Also located on the section web site. Keep your information up to date in order to get the latest newsletter and other information. The member database on the section web site provides an easy method to locally update your information. Please update your email address at the [section web page](#) by choosing member data base and details, also update your [member profile at headquarters](#).

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## MORE SECTION NEWS

The [section web site](#) contains two surveys and a member database. A [membership survey](#) is about general section operations and meeting dates. An [educational survey](#) asks for your input on which educational topics are best suited for our membership. Please take a few minutes to complete these surveys to provide input for the board. They do get looked at so your input is important in deciding which direction the section travels.

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## PAST EVENTS—October Meeting

Seventeen members attended the Pacific Northwest section October meeting. The meeting was held at Schmusky's All City Diner in Renton, WA on October 13, 2005. Mr. Bruce Knudson of Columbia Helicopters gave a presentation titled 'NDI at Columbia Helicopters'. In addition to keeping a fleet of heavy lift helicopters flying on an international scale they have set some serious records for heavy lift. Dinner of steak or grilled salmon with garlic mashed potatoes and green beans preceded the presentation.

All attendees signed the guest book for the year-end cash drawing. As another meeting incentive Caliber Inspection generously offered to pay dinner costs for any of their employees who attend a section meeting. The thirty-dollar door prize is being contributed to an accumulative pot that has the name of section attendees at each meeting entered. So the more meetings you attend the better your chances are at winning the pot at the end of the year. In order to win this accumulative prize the winner must be a section member and present at the drawing.

The year end drawing for cash money was won by Tom Davis but since Tom was not present the next name drawn was Dale Morgan who was present. He went home \$240 richer for being in attendance at the meeting. If we have more than 8 meetings the pot grows that much more. So 8 meetings at \$30 added for each meeting is \$240 minimum at the end of section year drawing. Those are better odds than the Washington State lottery, which are 1 chance in 13,983,816 of winning.

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**ANYONE INTERESTED IN ASSISTING A COMMITTEE, PLEASE CONTACT A BOARD MEMBER OR COMPLETE THE SURVEY AT [http://www.asntpnws.org/questionnaire\\_m.html](http://www.asntpnws.org/questionnaire_m.html)**

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## YEAR BOOK

Member names and addresses are a yearbook requirement. Unless the address of the member is specifically authorized for inclusion it will not be published. In preparation for the 2005-2006 section yearbook a request is being made for inclusion of your address in the yearbook. If you do not wish your address published, do nothing. If you do send a message authorizing your address publication to <mailto:yearbook@asntpnws.org>. If you are interested in serving on the yearbook committee please use the Member Survey form on the section web page at <http://www.asntpnws.org> or contact any board member.

The 2004-2005 YEARBOOK is available on the section web site at <http://www.asntpnws.org/newsletters/Publish/>

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## HINTS AND TIPS

Do you have a helpful hint that might help other technicians? It could be here next month. [Submit it to the Section secretary.](#)

## ASNT SECTION WEB SITES

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## MEETING DATES For 2005-2006

Below is a list of meeting dates, topics and speakers. Meeting date is the second Thursday of the month unless otherwise noted. In case of last minute changes be sure to check the section website at <http://www.asntpnws.org/>  
**Future Meetings are on the second Thursday of each month unless noted otherwise.**

**Unless otherwise noted all meetings will be at the All City Diner in Renton**

| Date                  | Topic  | Speaker, Affiliation                        | Location  |
|-----------------------|--|---|---|
| Oct 13th, 2005        | NDI at Columbia Helicopters                          | Bruce Knudsen, Columbia                     | Helicopters   |
| Nov 3rd, 2005         | Inspection of Weldments                              | Jon Knapp, International Inspection ,       | Rock Salt Steakhouse, Seattle<br>Joint meeting with AWS |
| <b>Dec 14th, 2005</b> | <b>Christmas Party</b>                               | <b>N/A</b>                                  | <b>Jillian's, Seattle</b>                               |
| Jan 12th, 2006        | Post-Earthquake Forensic NDT                         | Ricky Morgan, ASNT Director, Smith Emery Co |   |
| Feb 9th, 2006         | Flexible Ultrasonic Arrays                           | Tom Davis, HD Laboratories                  |   |
| Mar 9th, 2006         | Applications of Transmit/Receive Eddy Current Arrays | Jeff Siegel, Zetec                          |   |
| April 6th, 2006       | Vendor's Night                                       | N/A   | Museum of Flight  |
| May 11th, 2006        | Applications of Phased Array UT/Officer Elections    | Brad Gilliland, GE Inspection Technologies  | This meeting may be held in North Puget Sound           |
| June 9, 2006          | BOD Planning Meeting for 2006-2007                   |   | TBD   |

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## AWARD NOMINATIONS

Several awards are coming due. The Meritorious Service Award, Mentoring Award, McMaster Gold Medal Award, ASNT Fellow Award, Technician of The Year Award, and Young NDT Professional Award. Contact [Clive Graham](#) if you have a recipient in mind or just have a question.