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Our Next Post Meeting is . . .

11:30 AM Thursday, March 13, 2008

at the

Highland Park Country Club

1201 Park Ave W, Highland Park, IL 60035

Luncheon Cost: \$15.00 (Members); \$20.00 (Non Members); \$10.00 (Public Sector and Retirees)

Come join us at the Highland Park Country Club (HPCC), which is a first-class conference facility where they serve an outstanding all-you-can-eat buffet lunch with several choices on everything from salads to entrees to desserts. Their combination of quality and variety makes this luncheon an enjoyable eating experience and an excellent value. Following lunch we will have a



BRIDGE PLAY: Boys jump off a new bridge in Babil Province.

briefing on the **Provincial Reconstruction Team (PRT)**. Our speakers will be **CDR Alex Barlas** who has recently returned from his overseas assignment. CDR Barlas was Reconstruction Section Chief for the Provincial Reconstruction Team in Iraq. He will discuss his experiences with reconstruction in Ninewa Iraq.



Please join the Lake Michigan Post on Thursday, March 13, 2008, for this interesting presentation.

Meet with your fellow S.A.M.E. members and develop networking opportunities before, during and after our post meeting. Earn 1 Professional Development Hour (PDH) by attending this presentation.

RSVP by emailing: nathan.r.cross@navy.mil, Subject: SAME March luncheon RSVP.

Questions: contact ENS Nathan Cross Phone: (847) 688-4949 ext 213; or e-mail robert.a.leick@gasai.com

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DIRECTIONS:

From Naval Station Great Lakes:

Take Buckley to US-41. Turn left (south) on Skokie Hwy/Route 41 and continue for 9 miles. Turn Left on Park Ave. W. The Highland Park Country Club is on the left (north) side of the street about .25 miles east of Route 41.

From Downtown Chicago:

Follow signs to Tollway I-94 West (north toward Milwaukee). When I-94 forks, continue north to Route 41 for 3.8 miles. Turn Right on Park Ave. W. The Highland Park Country Club is on the left (north) side of the street about .25 miles east of Route 41.

From Chicago O'Hare International Airport:

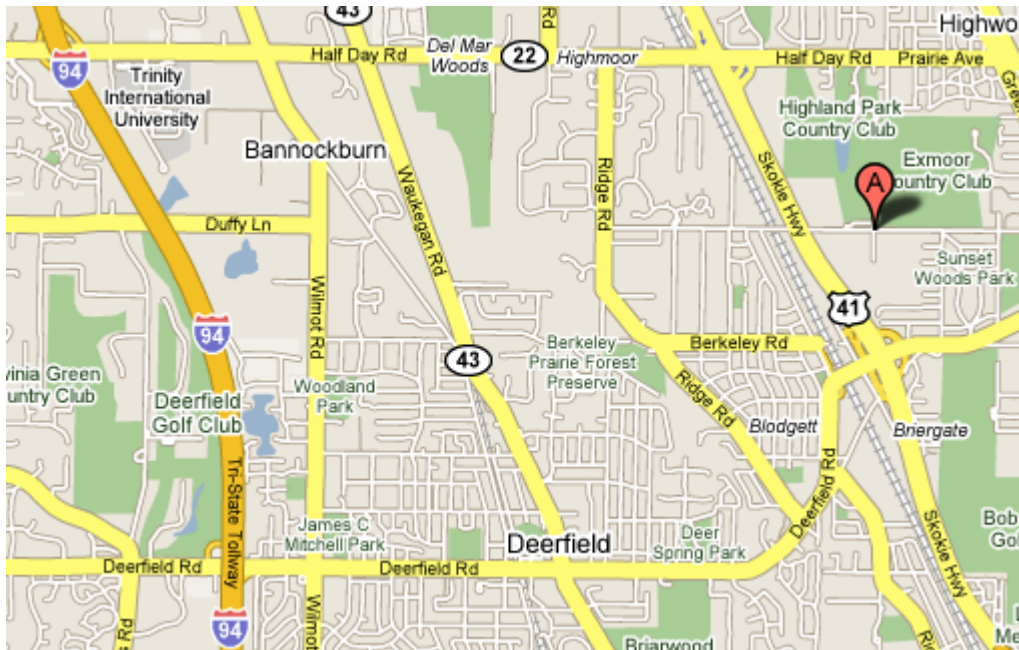
Follow signs to Tollway I-294 West and I-94 North to Milwaukee. Follow I-94 North towards Milwaukee for 13.5 miles. Exit at Deerfield Rd, heading east. At route 41 turn use the North ramp onto Skokie Valley Rd/Route 41. At the first stop light, turn Right on Park Ave. W. The Highland Park Country Club is on the left (north) side of the street about .25 miles east of Route 41.

From Midway Airport:

When exiting the airport, take Route 50 North to the junction of Route 55, about 3 miles. Take Route 55 Southwest to Tollway I-294, about 12 miles. Take I-294 and I-94 West north to Milwaukee. Proceed north. Exit at Deerfield Rd, heading east. At route 41 turn use the North ramp onto Skokie Valley Rd/Route 41. At the first stop light, turn Right on Park Ave. W. The Highland Park Country Club is on the left (north) side of the street about .25 miles east of Route 41.

From Milwaukee:

Take I-94 East south toward Chicago. Just after you cross the Wisconsin/Illinois border, exit to the left on Route 41 South to Waukegan. Proceed south on Route 41 for 22.5 miles. Turn Right on Park Ave. W. The Highland Park Country Club is on the left (north) side of the street about .25 miles east of Route 41.



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