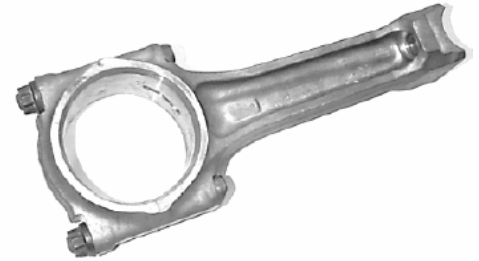


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What: Come hear what Portland State's 2006 Mini-Baja team has been up to & see their car.

Location: Round Table Pizza, 10150 SW Beaverton Hillsdale Hwy, Beaverton, OR 97005 [map](#)

Cost: \$7 (\$4 for Students), includes buffet pizza lunch, salad bar, and drink.

Saturday, July 29th, 3:30pm: Summer Softball Social BBQ (see page 2)

What: Softball game and BBQ, show off your car and meet your SWE, ASME and SAE colleagues.

Location: Westmoreland Park on SE McLoughlin Blvd & Bybee Blvd [map](#)

Cost: Free, bring your softball equipment.

Please RSVP by July 27th: Andres@email.sae.org 503-318-2547

Monday, July 31, 4:30-5:00: OSAE Governing Board Meeting (short format, 30 minute)

Location: Where: Freightliner Corp 1, room 1J ([4747, N Channel ave, 97217](#)) everyone is welcome.
Call 503-745-7998 to participate via speakerphone.

New ConRod feature: Exercise your brain with puzzles and trivia (see page 3)

Let us know what you think about the section or the newsletter by contacting GeorgeGvakharia@Freightliner.com

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Luncheon Meeting - PSU Mini Baja

Come hear what Portland State's 2006 Mini-Baja team has been up to and see their car. Team Captain Michael Singer and drivetrain design member Chris Walthers will present this years design and competition results. Come find out what it took to complete the brutal endurance course and get 39th overall place at the 2006 Mini-Baja West event, right here in the Portland area. This is also a good chance to see how your support money is used to help student engineers.



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Show off your car and motorcycle.



Socialize with your ASME, SWE and SAE colleagues.
Recent college grads, this is your chance to
network with your future supervisors!



Softball and BBQ includes:
Burgers, hotdogs, potato salad and pop.
Bring your softball equipment.



After Hours Corner

Puzzles, trivia and tidbits

Time Well Spent

See the rules for this Sudoku puzzle here:

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Sudoku#External_links

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		6		8				7
	4				3	1		2
			5			4	6	
	5	2			8			
9		5	4				1	
7				1		5		
	2						3	6

Pop Quiz

How many molecules are present in one mole of a substance?

Did you Know

That humans and giraffes have the same number of bones in their necks?