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# Happy New Year! 2009

**NAPM presents gift to Syracuse Salvation Army's Major Morrison.**



**In addition to the NAPM donation the 50/50 raffle collected of \$84 was also donated. Terry Beard graciously donated her winnings! — Thank you Terry!**





**Terry McLaughlin  
 auctioning off one of many  
 great prizes given away at  
 our December ISM Trivia/  
 Auction night**

## A Message From The President

Hello Everybody and Happy New Year 2009 from NAPM Greater Syracuse Inc.

Each year each of us hopes that this one is as good as the last, or even much better. With the market being the way it is, the strain on business, and workers, I feel safe in saying we are all looking for a much better year. This year will be special with our new President Obama taking oath this month, I'm hoping he can start to help get our country back in shape, and the business world in particular. We need change.

Our December, CPM Trivia/ Auction meeting was really fun and a lot of great gifts were auctioned off to our members, some went home with several due to there bidding strategy.

I appreciate the help of Karin Dromgoole in putting this evening together, she always does a great job.

There is no meeting this month, our next meeting will be a joint meeting with APICS, on February 19. and not at our usual meeting place, but at Barbagello's, so please keep that in mind. This is an opportunity to

meet and network with not just NAPM members, but also APICS. In a time of uncertainty about the workforce the more we continue to network, and educate ourselves, the better prepared we become to face any challenges, so I hope to see you at our February meeting.

Thanks

J. Terry McLaughlin  
 President  
 NAPM Greater Syracuse Inc



**Terry Congratulates Dave**

## December Dinner Meeting Awards...

Terry McLaughlin congratulating David Duprey for being the recipient of the "Harry I. Erlicher Award: form the ISM NY/NJ Forum, this is the highest award the forum gives out, and only one person in the combined twelve affiliates can win this, we are very proud that Dave won.

Terry McLaughlin congratulating Marie Falcone for winning the "Volunteer of the Year Award for 2008 for a middle size affiliate, from the "ISM NY/NJ Forum".



**Terry Congratulates Maria**

## CPM/CPSM Exam Information

INFORMATION REGARDING THE CPSM EXAM WILL BE FORTHCOMING NEXT MONTH. THIS INFORMATION WILL INCLUDE TRAINING, STUDY GROUPS, MATERIALS AND INFORMATION ON TAKING THE EXAM.

IF THERE ARE ANY QUESTIONS YOU CAN CONTACT  
 EDMUND WILSON AT [EDMUNDRWILSON@YAHOO.COM](mailto:EDMUNDRWILSON@YAHOO.COM).

STAY TUNED...

## Webinar Information...

"The webinar on "Achieving Excellence in Procurement - Going Lean with Six Sigma (Part 2), on Dec. 11th, had a great turnout, again, with fifteen members participating. The webinar was very informative with the material presented and the question & answer time through out the seminar added to the educational opportunity. We'll have more opportunities in the upcoming months to attend more webinars as they become available. So, please, let me know if these past webinars were informative and if you'd be interested in any more as they become available. Let me know your interest or comments by emailing me at, [chanver@twcny.rr.com](mailto:chanver@twcny.rr.com)

Thank You

Dan Hanover

## Reminders

There will be no meeting in January.

The February meeting is a joint meeting with APICS and is on Feb. 19th, Thursday, at Barbagello's Restaurant with networking starting at 5 pm followed by a speaker and dinner.



## Future Webinars

### 2009

January 12

*Market Intelligence for Supply Professionals*

Presenter: Judah Seidman,  
Credit Suisse

February

*Supply Chain Financing*

Presenter: Marc Kramer,  
Prompt Payment, LLC

March 19

*Women and Leadership*

Presenters: Cheryl D'Cruz  
Young & Edie Fraser, Diversi-  
fied Search Ray & Berndtson

April 23

*Legal Risks and Costs of Sup-  
ply Management*

Presenter: Jim Bergman,  
Global Supply Management,  
Inc.

June 18

*RFX's*

Presenter: Jim Bergman,  
Global Supply Management,  
Inc