



Greetings!

Spring is upon us and the month of luck has arrived! Consider yourself LUCKY if you take advantage of one or more of the opportunities available. We would like to share a recently published Opinion: Manufacturing Needs a Rebrand - [click here to read the opinion](#). Don't forget to share this information with your employees as well as peers.

Save the Date - Plant Tours - April 6, 2017

Join us for another evening of learning and networking. We will be touring Magline, Inc. and Globe Fire Sprinkler Corporation in Standish, Michigan. This is a progressive dinner tour starting 4:30 p.m. to approximately 7:30 p.m.

Space is limited - deadline to reserve your space is March 24th. The event is free for GLBMA members and non-members are \$20. Please [register on-line](#). For more information, please call Tanya at 989-964-2881.



[Register here!](#)



This event is supported by Michigan Works!

Getting the Right Things Done!

Join us for a day workshop with best selling author and LEAN

trainer Pascal Dennis and Getting the Right Things Done!

May 18 or 19, 2017

SVSU - 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. each day

Registration includes a copy of Getting the Rights Done by Pascal Dennis, workshop, light breakfast and lunch.

Cost: \$795 for GLBMA members and \$895 for guest.

Registration is now open and we expect both days to sell out.

Your book will be sent approximately within 5 days of registering. For more information or to register for this event - [click here!](#)



ScholarChips Casino Night - Thank you!

A big thank you to everyone who attended the ScholarChips Casino Night! A big thank you to our sponsors and prize donors! Without them this event would not be possible.

Gold - Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center

Silver - Kurek Tool, Inc., Fullerton Tool, and Merrill Technology Group

Bronze - P. F. Markey and Vantage Plastics

Gaming Table - Yeo & Yeo CPAs, Endurance Carbide, Plante Moran, Fifth Third Bank, Nexteer, Amigo Mobility International, Inc., Rehmann, Saginaw Bay Underwriters, and DMG MORI

Prizes were donated by Endurance Carbide, Red Wing Shoes, Amigo Mobility International, Inc., Rehmann, Yeo & Yeo CPAs, P. F. Markey, Fullerton Tool, The Salon, Great Lakes Escape, R & S Cutter Gind, Michigan Manufacturers Association (MMA), Hooters, Midland Research Institute for Value Chain Creation, Cardinal Tavern, Dogg Houze, Delta College, Consumers Energy, Saginaw Auto Polishing, The Stable, Michigan Manufacturing Technology Center and Vantage Plastics.

Don't forget to share the information about the GLBMA Scholarship with your employees. Details can be found at the following link: [GLBMA Scholarship](#)

DMG MORI to host Best Practices!

Nationwide Spring Technology Days



DMG MORI DETROIT

March 21 - 23, 2017

10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.

Lunch and refreshments served daily

Visit us during our Nationwide Spring Technology Days at DMG MORI Detroit and see how DMG MORI is Redefining Possible! This is a great opportunity to see how high technology and innovation leads to sustainability.

Event highlights include **promotions on machines, seminars from industry experts, and networking opportunities** with your local DMG MORI USA team. Come see our latest technologies and innovations. Live and share your 2017 goals so we can help you increase your ROI and productivity!

[Register Link](#)

Area Sales Manager, Joshua invites you all to attend. Please reach out to Joshua about transportation and overnight accommodations needs. Joshua can be reached at 248-916-3754 or email: JWENDRICKX@dmgmori-usa.com.

Great Lakes Safety Training Center Annual Meeting & Temporary Worker Safety 101

The GLSTC annual meeting will be held March 15th. Dr. Todd Conklin will be the guest speaker. For more details [click for flyer](#).

Do you have a need for Temporary Worker Safety 101 training? GLSTC has obtained

a grant to provide training in this area. Please [click to see the class flyer](#) for more details.



MEDC offering Economic Gardening Program

The Economic Gardening® program is designed to provide significant, sophisticated technical research assistance to qualified second-stage companies with the intent and capacity to grow their business. [Click for complete details and how to get started.](#)

Save the Date:

You won't want to miss the following events, mark your calendars and stay tuned for more details.

April 6th	Plant Tours - Standish
May 18th & 19th	Pascal Dennis Workshop
September 21st	Annual Golf Outing
October 6th	Manufacturing Day with Titan Gilroy

We will be publishing monthly updates and opportunities for the manufacturing community. If you have something to share please email to Tanya Blehm, tblehm@svsu.edu

For more information on Manufacturing. Like us on Facebook!

