

# MAY MEETING

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## FIELD TRIP- LHOIST STE GENEVIEVE

Our May meeting will be a tour of the mining operations at Lhoist-Ste Genevieve MO-Wednesday, May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

The plant can accommodate groups up to 12 on one tour; we will have tour times available at 2:00, 3:00 and 4:00. (please arrive about 20 to 30 minutes prior to your time for hazard training)

Please bring your own PPE-steel toed boots, safety glasses, and a hard hat with light attachment bracket; Lhoist will provide lights and can supply hard hats as needed.

## Info on the plant and mine:

Lhoist North America (LNA) operates a lime plant near Ste. Genevieve MO. The Ste. Genevieve plant operates two lime kilns to produce lime primarily for environmental applications. The plant stared in 1995 and stone for the lime kilns was originally supplied soley from the adjacent surface mine. In combination with the surface mine, LNA initiated an underground mine in February 2015. Both mines are operated by contract miner; the surface mine is operated by Tower Rock Stone and the underground mine by Bluff City Minerals. Total combined annual output is approx. 9.5 million tons.

**Directions: SEE NEXT PAGE.** 

<u>RSVP</u>: By <u>Friday, May 18, 2018 and please state your prefernce</u> for tour time.

By email to: bob.johnston@earthlink.net or sme.stl.section@gmail.com.

By phone: Bob Johnston 314-570-0226

You need not be a member of National SME. Bring a friend!

Lhoist North America/Chemical Lime-Ste. Genevieve Plant 20947 White Sands Road Ste. Genevieve MO 63670 573-883-3001

From St. Louis Airport to Ste. Genevieve

Highway 70 West to 270 South to I-55 South

I-55 South to Ste. Genevieve/Highway O A right exit off of I-55 at Exit #154

At the stop sign at the bottom of the ramp take a left onto Highway O. You will travel a short distance to stop sign. Take a right onto Highway 61. Follow Highway 61 approximately 6 miles. After you cross a small bridge and before you come to an incline - take a left onto Industrial River Road.

Industrial River Road will bring you around the quarry to a three way stop sign. Make a left to bring you through our gate and to our entrance. Make a right into the plant entrance. Follow the paved road into the plant and drop off the hill under the conveyer belts. The office will be the two story gray stone building approximately half way down the hill on the left. You will see visitor parking signs at the edge of the parking lot.