



# Member Newsletter

September 2017

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**Friday,  
December 1st**

*Cocktails & Dinner @ 5:00pm*

*Summit Theater @ 8:30pm*

**See page 7 for details**



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## IMPORTANT DATES

*December 1st - CAFS Christmas Party*

*Dinner & Summit Theater show - live band “Cease & Desist”*

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# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

## New Active Member

### Chris Swanston - Continental Tire the Americas

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## New Auxiliary Member

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### Dieseltech Truck Repair Fleet Maintenance

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## New Active Member

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V1M 3C2

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## Replacement Active Member

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3750 Kitchener Street  
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V5C 3L6

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## Replacement Active Member

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## Replacement Active Member

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## Company Name Change / Replacement Active Member

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**Friday,  
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*Summit Theater @ 8:30pm*

**Cascades Casino Langley**

20393 Fraser Highway,  
Langley, BC V3A 7N2

**Summit Theatre Show** *(Included with the cost per person).*

Live Band: Cease & Desist

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## 2017 MONTHLY MEETING & GUEST SPEAKERS

General Meetings held in both Coquitlam and Abbotsford, provide a common ground where anyone directly involved with commercial vehicle fleets can meet to gather information and network with colleagues.

### Meeting Guest Speakers:

#### October:

Coquitlam: Wednesday, 4th 2017

Abbotsford: Tuesday, 17th 2017



Guest speaker:  
**Jim MacMillan**,  
Commercial Vehicle Safety &  
Enforcement

Topic:

Jim will address roadside inspection items he sees on a day to day basis and will show lots of videos and photos of current infractions.

What is the root of many problems??? Jim will tell us!

**Jim would like to address any questions you have for him.**

Please email the office with any questions/topics you have and Jim will include in his presentation.

#### November:

Coquitlam: Wednesday, 1st 2017

Abbotsford: Tuesday, 21st 2017



Guest speaker:  
**Steph Sharp**, MBA, CFN, ICD.D  
Finance and Strategy Advisor

Topic:

Stephanie will speak on conflict resolution in business & day-to-day context. Narrowing the scope to the most common sources of conflict and providing strategies that are unique to fleet supervisors.

PLEASE NOTE:  
Abbotsford meeting date change  
to November 21st!

**Cancellation deadline: 24 hours prior Sorry: "No-shows" will be invoiced.**

### COQUITLAM

*The Executive Plaza Hotel*  
405 North Road, Coquitlam

Meetings are held the First Wednesday of each month (not July & August)

Registration: 5:30 p.m.  
Cost: \$55 members  
\$65 non-member

**Includes:** 5% GST , draw ticket, parking

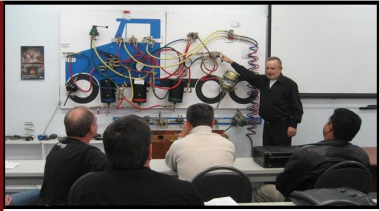
### ABBOTSFORD

*Ricky's Meeting Room, Best Western*  
32080 Marshall Road, Abbotsford, BC

Meetings are held the Third Tuesday of each month (not July & August)

Registration: 5:30 p.m.  
Cost: \$50 members  
\$60 non-members

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Peter Congdon, CAFS ABI Instructor

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The course concentrates on instructional methods and technical content for air brake systems.

Course content includes topics of instructional procedures such as lesson plans, coaching, effective teaching techniques, questioning techniques and developing multiple choice questions.

Technical content includes topics on the basic air brake system, dual air brake system, trailer air brake systems, brake adjustment and air brake valves.

Each student is given an opportunity for "hands on" experience in assembling and instruction using a fully operational air brake board. The air brake board has fully interchangeable components and is capable of simulating all types of air brake systems.

Each student is required to develop and present two 45 minute presentations to the class. Topics will be on air brake systems and the instructor will allocate the topics on the first day of class.

Each student must obtain 80% on each presentation to pass the course. An informational entrance exam is given on the first day and a final theory exam is given at the end of the week. Each participant must obtain 80% on the final theory exam to be successful.

Each student is given a "Driving Commercial Vehicles" handbook, a course manual which includes technical information and Provincial And Federal air brake regulations.

**NOTE: please confirm course admission requirements with office**

#### Upcoming Course Dates:

**October 23<sup>rd</sup> - 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017**  
**December 4<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

Time: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm daily  
 Location: Langley, BC  
 Cost: \$720 Member / \$900 Non-Member

- \* Maximum 8 students per class
- \* Course fee includes course material
- \* The following manuals are optional, and will be available for purchase at the course;
  - \$30 - Air Brake Connection manual
  - \$30 - Inside Air Brake Valves + Devices

### Commercial Vehicle Inspection Program

*Provincial Government recognized Certification Course upon successful completion*

This course is required for journey person mechanics wanting to become certified as Commercial Motor Vehicle Inspectors.

This 3-day course will include two days of theory and one day of practical.

Prerequisites include Certificate of Qualification (TQ#) or Red Seal status in Commercial Transport Mechanical Repair, Commercial Transport Trailer Repair, Heavy Duty Mechanical Repair or Automotive Repair Trades.

Apprentices who have reached level four in any of the above trades can also participate in the course but will not receive their Inspectors Certificate until they become certified mechanics.

Participants are eligible to receive Authorized Inspectors Certification upon successful completion of the course.

This course will cover the following content:

- Classes of motor vehicles,
- Motor Vehicle Act and Regulations,
- Designated Inspection Facility Program,
- Preventative Maintenance Program,
- Inspector Qualifications and Responsibilities
- Responsibilities of Facility Operators and Inspectors
- Commercial Vehicle Inspection manual
- Procedures for forms completion and decal application
- Vehicle Inspection e-forms general procedures and how to sign up. repairation and administration of Authorized Inspectors examination.

**NOTE: CSA approved safety glasses and footwear is required during the practical portion of the course. Footwear must be steel-toed leather, ankle covering boots.**

#### Upcoming Course Dates:

**November 14<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

Theory: (days 1 & 2) AND Practical: (day 3)  
 Time: 8:00 am - 4:30 pm, each day  
 Location: Langley, BC  
 Cost: \$395 Member / \$495 Non-Member

#### CVSE MANUAL:

The 2016 Vehicle Inspection Manual may be purchased (\$98.16) [http://www.vsis.qp.gov.bc.ca/logon/logon.aspx?vid=QPLEGALEZE:cvim\\_view](http://www.vsis.qp.gov.bc.ca/logon/logon.aspx?vid=QPLEGALEZE:cvim_view)

The instructor will be using the on-line version.

**Students are required to bring a hard copy version of the manual to the course.**



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### **PROGRAMS:**

There are two programs currently offered at: <http://www.fleetcertification.org/>



Certified Automotive Fleet Manager (CAFM) – 8 modules



Certified Automotive Fleet Specialist (CAFS) – 4 modules

### **TO REGISTER:**

CAFS members, please follow this link to enroll in the certification program.

You will receive a confirmation email within a few days.

<http://www.fleetcertification.org/online-forms/10093>

### **Note when registering:**

\*\*\* The CAFS acronym on the online form stands for Certified Automotive Fleet Specialist program (as noted above). It does not refer to you being a member of the Canadian Association of Fleet Supervisors. This online registration form is designed for Canadian Association of Fleet Supervisors' members use only.

### **IN ADDITION:**

#### **PAPER-BASED TESTING (PBT)**

for CAFS members, will be available as follows:

Wed, September 13th, 2017

Executive Inn, Coquitlam

Time: prior to CAFS evening meeting (exact time TBA)

Cost: \$25

*All costs are in US \$\$'s*



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### September Guest Speaker, Steve Dotto Discusses How Technology is Changing



**Guest speaker:** Steve Dotto – Dotto Tech

**Topic:** **The Speed of Now!** How technology is changing us.

**Dates:** Coquitlam: Wed Sept. 13 & Abbotsford: Tues Sept. 19

#### If you don't master your technology, it may just master you!

Steve possesses a unique, refreshing, and thought-provoking view of the world of technology and how it impacts our lives. He has a talent for looking at technology and understanding how it affects us, not just how it works and what it will do for us; Steve explains, with great insight and humor, the effect technology has on our work and personal lives!

Spending 15 years teaching Canadians how to use and embrace technology has given Steve a unique perspective on the changing world; a perspective that he shares with energy and passion. A background in comedy, including stints in theatre and with Second City, contribute to make Steve an engaging, relevant, often irreverent, and highly entertaining speaker.

Steve works closely with clients to develop custom talks assuring that the key messages and topics are well covered. He will craft a message that hits home, delivering the results clients need, and audiences appreciate.

For more information on Steve Dotto – Dotto Tech visit <https://www.dottotech.com/>

#### TESTMONIALS

*"Steve's presentation at the Coquitlam meeting was very good. It really put into perspective the difficulty of understanding the younger generation in the work place as well as the unique challenges of different generations in the workplace.*

***This meeting is for everyone so plan to attend!"***

*Phil Blanchette, CAFS President*

*"Everyone thoroughly enjoyed Steve's presentation at the Coquitlam meeting. Steve is engaging, hilarious and approachable. He took the time to mix & mingle during cocktail hour and was available to chat following the meeting.*

***Come on out to the Abby meeting, you won't be disappointed!"***

*Lori Hendy*



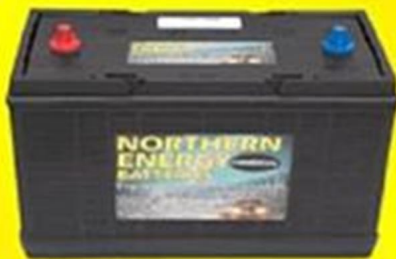
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## NAFA's FLEETSolutions Finds Drugged Driving by Employees Carries Significant Hidden Liability Risks

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(PRINCETON, N.J. – August 30, 2017) – [NAFA Fleet Management Association, the vehicle fleet industry's largest trade association, releases a report in its September 2017 issue of FLEETSolutions magazine identifying the significant liability faced by organizations whose employees engaged in drugged driving. Most notably, employers can be held liable for accidents involving employees who are under the influence of medication prescribed for work-related injuries.](#)

The report finds that if an employee is found to be under the influence of drugs at the time he or she is involved in a crash, the organization could be:

- Responsible for the driver's addiction to opioids or prescription drugs because the addiction resulted from medication prescribed by a doctor for a workplace related injury
- At risk for extended workers compensation costs if the driver requires medical treatment for the addiction or dependency.
- Held responsible for the driver's actions.

Held liable for damages resulting from the crash

The article, "Fleet Faces Drugged Driving," offers insights from NAFA Past President Claude Masters, CAFM®; medical professionals Dr. Anupam B. Jena M.D., co-author of a *New England Journal of Medicine* study on the subject; Dr. Anna Lembke, author of the book "Drug Dealer M.D."; and Colleen Carey, Assistant Professor of Policy Analysis and Management at Cornell University. Adding perspective on fleet's legal responsibilities and liabilities are Gail L. Gottehrer, Attorney and Partner with Akerman LLP; and John Cruickshank, Attorney with Alaniz & Schraeder LLP.

"Rates of drug addiction have exploded across North America, and the medical community has determined that emergency room practices are a major contributing factor," said Phillip E. Russo, CAE, NAFA's Chief Executive Officer. "Drug addiction affects people from every walk of life, in every community, and the fleet and mobility profession cannot shy away from these implications."

The September/October issue also includes an examination of the total cost of crashes, a look at programs that offer better driver training, five concerning trends in traffic safety as identified by the National Safety Council, and much more.

*FLEETSolutions* is developed to engage readership in the eight primary disciplines of fleet: Asset Management, Business Management, Financial Management, Fleet Information Management, Maintenance Management, Risk Management, Vehicle Fuel Management, and Professional Development. *FLEETSolutions* provides survey results on the most important topics in the fleet profession; the National Safety Council "Safety First" column, found in each issue; and profiles of the best and brightest in fleet management. A subscription to *FLEETSolutions* is a benefit of [NAFA membership](#).

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# MEMBER DRAW

One Draw Winner Included from 'Paid Up' Members  
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### Coquitlam General Meeting

Speaker Steve Dotto ~ Dotto Tech with winner  
**Jake Kuik ~ Intercontinental Truck Body**



### Abbotsford General Meeting

**Rico Pretty ~The Brick GP**  
With speaker Steve Dotto ~ Dotto Tech

CAFS's **Member Cash Draw** is held monthly and **\$50 will be won** at each of the Coquitlam and Abbotsford General Meetings. All paid members' names are entered in CAFS Draw Barrel. Each meeting names are drawn from the barrel until a member whose name is drawn, is present at that particular meeting.

**Please remember... Any member that leaves the meeting before the draw forfeits their chance to win.**

# CASH DRAW

One Cash Draw Winner  
The cash prize winner, drawn from those in attendance ...



### Coquitlam General Meeting

Speaker Steve Dotto ~ Dotto Tech with winner  
**John Pezzolesi ~ City of Vancouver- \$110**



### Abbotsford General Meeting

**Chris Richardson ~ BNAC Environmental - \$80**  
With Speaker Steve Dotto ~ Dotto Tech

***For Both Draws... YOU MUST BE THERE TO WIN....***

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The background of the entire page is a photograph of a large industrial workshop. In the center, a yellow crane beam is suspended from the ceiling. Below it, a large diesel engine is mounted on a black cart. A man in a red jacket is working on the engine, while a woman in grey overalls stands nearby. To the left, another man in a blue uniform is walking. The workshop is filled with various tools, equipment, and storage racks. The ceiling has several square light fixtures. The overall scene is a busy, professional industrial environment.

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### Attendees:

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Patrick Wickstrom	ADESA Auctions
Russell Oye	BCIT
John Houck	Blue Max Lighting
Chris Richardson	BNAC Environmental
Alana Richardson	BNAC Environmental
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Joe Miljak	Canada Spring
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Kevin Grills	City of Kelowna
Peter Richards	City of North Vancouver
Patrick Williamson	City of Port Coquitlam
Chris McKenzie-Cook	City of Richmond
Dinos Ramos	City of Richmond
Mark Alger	City of Vancouver
John Pezzolesi	City of Vancouver
Randy Wasstrom	City of Vancouver
Brad Halco	Dieseltech
Mike Lackie	Dieseltech
Keith Middleton	Dieseltech
Michael Toland	District of North Vancouver
Peter Tremblay	District of Squamish
Steve Dotto	DottoTech
Ryan Willson	Drive Products
Ralph Johnston	Drive Products

### Guest Speaker:

*Steve Dotto - Dotto Tech*

Monty Smith	Falcon Equipment
Stan Nickle	Finning
Franko Borri	Fraser River Paint & Body
Brian Horel	Gordon Food Service
John Basten	Groeneveld Lubrication
Tim Topping	Hi-Lite Truck
Chris Heays	Inland Group
Curtis Musgrove	Inland Group
Jake Kuik	Intercontinental Truck Body
Arin Kuik	Intercontinental Truck Body
Steve Hohm	Kal Tire
Grant Gueho	MCL McGill Carriers
Ken Zutz	Metro Motors
Mohammad Mahdavi	Metro Vancouver
Yeera Sami	Metro Vancouver
Phil Blanchette	Phil's Batteries & More
Fred Hendy	Rollins Machinery
Bal Khaira	Terrapure Environmental
Thomas Yee	Trailer Wizards
Steve Henzel	University of British Columbia
Ross Russell	Waste Management
Wayne Jardine	WDJ Mobile Fleet
Tommy Deranja	West Coast Reduction
Lori Hendy	CAFS

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**Tuesday, September 19th, 2017**  
**Ricky's Meeting Room, Abbotsford**

**Attendees:**

Melissa Currie	Advantage Fleet Services
Tina Schueren	Allison Transmission
Muni Sami	BC Hydro
Carl Jaggernath	BCIT
Chris Richardson	BNAC Environmental
Keith Sharp	City of Surrey
Frank Chiarizia	Coast Mountain Bus
Bob Bernier	Collins Manufacturing
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## NAFA's FLEET Solutions Finds Drugged Driving by Employees Carries Significant Hidden Liability Risks

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“Education and awareness are crucial to turning the tide of this drug epidemic,” said Russo. “It is part of NAFA’s mission to further this uncomfortable but necessary conversation wherever possible.”

**NOTE TO EDITORS:** Access to FLEETSolutions is password controlled on the NAFA website, however a PDF of the full article to media is attached in order to spread the word regarding this important subject.

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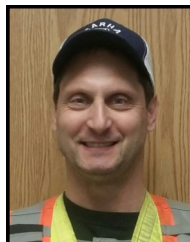
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