

**IEEE Maine Section - Annual Meeting**  
**Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup> 2009**

**This year's annual meeting will take place in the Southern Midcoast Region of Maine. The region has lots of attractions and activities including sightseeing and to communal farming including dining and shopping.**

**Car Pooling is recommended and encouraged. To ask questions or make reservations, please contact Ted Britt at (207) 623-7500 or [TBritt@MaineIndustrial.com](mailto:TBritt@MaineIndustrial.com). Please register before May 8<sup>th</sup> 2009, including Lunch choices.**

**Tentative Schedule**

<b>10am-11am</b>	<b>Tour at Topsham Hydro.</b>
<b>11am-1130am</b>	<b>Travel to Bath Country Club – 20 min drive.</b>
<b>1130am-12pm</b>	<b>Lunch – Surf and Turf</b>
<b>12pm-1pm</b>	<b>Technical Discussion: Format - 30 min each session (15-20 min presentation with 15-10 min for Q&amp;A).</b>
<b>Session 1</b>	<b>Christopher R. Sauer, P.E. - President &amp; CEO, Ocean Renewable Power Company, LLC – Tidal Current Power Generation – Trials and development.</b>
<b>Session 2</b>	<b>Ray Dackerman, General Manager, Blue H USA LLC --- Wind Power generation on deep sea floating platforms for land use.</b>
<b>1pm-130pm</b>	<b>Open Discussion.</b>
<b>130pm-5pm</b>	<b>9 hole Golf Scrimmage/Networking</b>

**Cost and Registration**

**Hydro tour, Surf and Turf Lunch, Meeting and 9 hole Golf w/Cart: \$60 for non-members; \$30 for IEEE members and \$20 for children**

**Hydro Tour, Surf and Turf Lunch, Meeting: \$30 for non-members; \$15 for IEEE members and \$10 for children**

## Information

**Area information:** <http://www.midcoastmaine.com>

**Tour information:** Topsham Hydro – Independent Energy

**110 Pejeboscot Village, Main Street, Topsham, Maine 04086.  
13,000 KVA, 12,500Volt, rotating at 81.8RPM**

**Guided, walking tour of an operating Siemens Hydro Generator.  
On the tour, components and how they interrelate will be discussed.**



## Guest Speakers:

### Session 1:

Chris Sauer, P.E. – Ocean Renewable Power Company, LLC.,  
Portland, ME: <http://www.OceanRenewablePower.com>



Chris has been in many articles as an advocate and proponent of Ocean Energy generation.

### Session 2:

Ray Dackerman, General Manager – Blue H USA, LLC, Boston,  
MA: <http://www.BlueHUSA.com>



Ray has been involved in many activities..

## Lunch and Golf Outing:

The Bath Country Club - <http://www.SkipWorkPlayGolf.com>

Join us for a 1½ or 2 hour golf adventure on the beautiful grounds of the Bath Country club. Scrimmage play will allow teams of four people to work together on the course.

### Surf & Turf Lunch for between 30 and 40 people

Lunch will consist of a 1 ¼ lb lobster, 6oz. sirloin steak, Corn on the cob, Garden Salad, Potato Salad, Rolls, Strawberry or Blueberry Shortcake and will include Iced Tea and Lemonade (a cash bar can be made available).

Golf (tee-times) beginning approximately at 1:45 (give or take 15 mins) until 3pm.

Your option to allow people to play their own ball or to set it up in a Scramble Format (see definition below). I would recommend the scramble format because you indicated that there would be some people who aren't very good at golf. I would also recommend that someone attempting to play golf for the first time be discouraged from playing or pair them with someone who knows the game and understands that person hasn't played before. Otherwise it can be an unpleasant situation for everyone.

Golf includes 9 holes with a riding golf cart. Rental Clubs are available at a cost of \$25 per set and the player needs to purchase own golf balls and accessories. Players must be off the course by 5pm because we have another tournament. Players who wish to continue on to the back nine can make arrangements with the Pro Shop for an additional \$15.00 per person

## **Directions**

**Directions to Topsham Hydro and activity locations:**