

# ASSE COLORADO PLATEAU CHAPTER NEWSLETTER

MAY 2017

## BE SAFE AT KAFM

SEMINAR  
LINEUP FOR  
2017

JUNE  
Workers Comp

JULY-AUGUST  
No seminars

SEPTEMBER  
Shoring & Excavation  
Safety

OCTOBER  
Any suggestions?

NOVEMBER  
Ergonomics

On the second Monday of each month, ASSE hosts a 15-minute program from 11:30 AM to 11:45 AM on KAFM Community Radio (88.1 – Grand Junction) addressing safety as it pertains to the general public. The program is an interview with local safety experts (Public Safety, Utility, Public Health, Vendors, etc.) on a variety of topics.

Weather Safety	School Safety	911 Dispatch
Electricity & Safety	Water Safety	You & Law Enforcement
Mesa County Safety Fair	Emergency Preparedness	Hand, Eye, & Hearing Protection
Ladder Safety	Holiday Fire Prevention	

Podcasts of these programs may be found at <http://coloradoplateau.asse.org/be-safe-with-kafm/>. We hope you will listen, enjoy, and (most importantly) pass on suggestions for future shows.

If you are going to be in or near Grand Junction on a second Monday and if you are an “expert” on a subject that could be interesting – email us! Even if it is not going to be a second Monday, still let me know... we can record it and then play it back as if it were live. We are always looking for new guests. What might seem like “common sense” to you is an “Ah Ha” moment for someone who just cut off several digits, or broke a bone, or...

**Wanted: Players & Sponsors  
for the  
4<sup>th</sup> Annual Putting in the Pines  
Golf Tournament for Safety  
(and Silent Auction)**

**Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016**  
Divide Ranch & Club/Fairway Pines Golf Course  
Overlooking the San Juan Mountains & Ridgway,  
Colorado  
**Shotgun start at 1:00 pm**

Bring the family & play in the mountains for the weekend – Ridgway (and yes it is spelled without an E), Ouray, Telluride...does it get any better than that?!

You don't have to be good golfer to have fun and win prizes at this tournament!

Download Player and Sponsor/Donor forms at [coloradoplateau.asse.org](http://coloradoplateau.asse.org)

## REGULATORY UPDATE

### OSHA Reporting Rule

Currently, a repeal of the “Volks Rule” has passed Congress and was signed into law by the President earlier this week. The change would only allow OSHA to fine a company for recordkeeping issues for the six prior months.

### Silica Rule

The Department of Labor issued a news release stating OSHA enforcement of the new crystalline silica standard in the construction industry would be delayed until September of 2017 instead of June 2017.

### Budget Cuts

President Trump’s 2018 Budget eliminates OSHA training grants as well as the Chemical Safety Board (CSB). The Department of Labor will see an overall reduction of 21%. ASSE has released a statement stating its support of the CSB.

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Have you moved or changed jobs? Has your email address changed? Take a moment to ensure that your contact information is correct on the ASSE website so that the Chapter can send you information on upcoming events and opportunities!

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