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Fox Sports Ohio

Huntington Building / 200 Public Square
Cleveland, OH

Gather at 6:30pm
Meeting at 7:00pm
Tours to follow

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March 14 Meeting Information

Our next meeting will be at Fox Sports Ohio, located on the 2nd and 25th Floor of the Huntington Building, 200 Public Square, Suite 2510, Cleveland Ohio 44114. Our Host Bill Kennedy, Chief Engineer of Fox Sports Ohio, will give us a tour of the facilities on the 2nd floor after our gathering and business meeting on the 25th floor.

Due to the Cavaliers Game at the Q that evening we have moved the gathering time to 6:30pm with the meeting and tour to follow.

Suggested parking is either at 200 Public Square Parking or the parking garage at E. 6th and Euclid, which is a short walk (see map on page 2). Due to special event parking rates, cost at 200 Public Square will be \$20, so plan accordingly and car pool if you can. This is due to the Cavaliers playing that evening, which is the other reason for the 6:30pm gather time, in an attempt to stay ahead of the traffic. Try to get there early if you can! The good news is with the Cavs playing that evening we will have a rare opportunity to see the Control Room in full swing, producing the play-by-play for the game.

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CHAIRMAN'S CHAT

by Blake Thompson

Hello all members and friends of SBE Chapter 70! I want to thank everyone who showed up for our lunch meeting at Radio One, it was a good turnout. We got to learn more about VOIP/SIP phone standards and see how the Telos VX system handles those providers. Thanks also to our host Gary Zoccolo, the staff at Radio One, and our presenter Addison Burnside of Telos.

Lots of changes coming in broadcasting in the next year. We find out about the final TV repack findings and how they'll affect the rest of us, the new FCC leadership is changing things up, and what will happen to public broadcasters? With all this going on we are getting the program selection process underway on March 15th for the September 19th OBEC conference, so let me know anything you would like to see covered. Remember we have 3 breakout tracks now covering radio, TV, and IT plus we need general sessions for all broadcasters.

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We will send a group email prior to next Tuesday if by chance we are able to get a special (better) parking rate in the garage for SBE Members.

When you arrive, if the building is locked, ring the security box and let them know you are with the SBE meeting at Fox Sports. The elevators to floor 25 are up the escalators on the 2nd floor; then past the Security Desk. We will initially meet at 6:30pm at the Security Desk before heading up to the 25th floor. If you get there later please tell the security officer you are with the SBE, and take the elevator up to the 25th floor. See you then!

John Hovanec CSRE/CBNT, DRB, AMD
SBE Chapter 70 Program Chair

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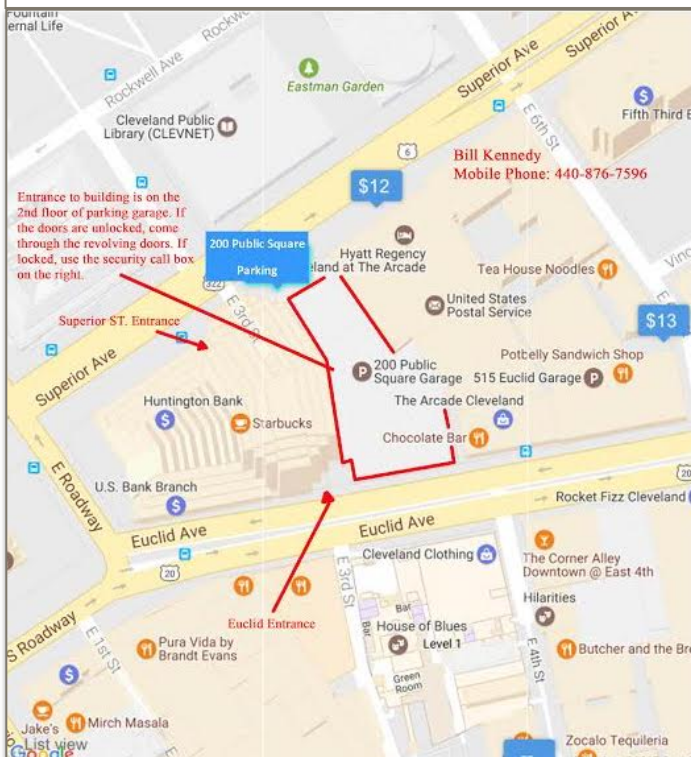
On the national front the SBE membership recruitment drive has begun. Recruit a new member and get \$5 off your 2018 renewal and you'll be entered to win prizes. SBE members can get a free exhibit pass for the NAB Show by using the SBE partner code EP04 (E P zero 4) when registering at the NAB website.

The next SBE webinar is on the Fundamentals of IP Networking: Module 1 running on March 28 from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm.

See you at Fox,

Blake Thompson CBNT
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February Meeting at Radio One



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Exam Dates	Location	Application Deadline
February 3-13	Local Chapters	Past Date
April 25	NAB Show Las Vegas	March 17
June 2-13	Local Chapters	April 21
August 4-14	Local Chapters	June 5
November 3-13	Local Chapters	September 25

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