

# WWOA-SE REGION NEWS

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## PIG MEETS ITS END AT HARTFORD, WI

His name was Squiggy. A bit stout, but good-natured, he gave up his life on behalf of the WWOA SE Region. Joining Squiggy in his demise were several chickens, cabbages, potatoes, cobs of corn, and various desserts.

93 members of the SE Region, and friends from across the state, attended Squiggy's wake on August 16 in Hartford, WI. These observances followed a busy morning schedule, which included breakfast, round-table discussions, a business meeting and elections, and presentations on UV disinfection, sampling equipment, pesticide licensing for chlorine, and a DNR update. A one hour tour of the spotless Hartford WWTP was enjoyed by attendees, despite the cool weather.

**Special thanks** to Hartford for hosting this successful WWOA-SE Region meeting.

## SE REGION ALL-STARS PREPARE FOR COMPETITION.

Four men have stepped forward to represent the SE Region in this year's Operator's Competition.

Included in the team are:

Mark Osmundsen – Union Grove WWTP

Dale Hapner – Union Grove WWTP

Randy Kirkman – Bristol WWTP

Jim Bergles – Sussex WWTP

The competition will take place on Wednesday, October 3, from 12:30-4:30 pm. Let's be sure to cheer on the SE Region team!



VFW Hall in Hartford, WI – Site for SE Region Meeting and Pig Roast. (see page 3 for more photos)



Host Jerry Wagner encourages others to host. "It's easy!!!"

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## SPORTS

(FOR SPORTS NEWS,  
SEE PAGE 1)

## SE REGION EXTENDS THANKS TO OUR GENEROUS AUGUST MEETING SPONSORS

**RUEKERT & MIELKE**  
(breakfast)

**TECHNICAL  
EQUIPMENT SALES**  
(desserts)

**MULCAHY/SHAW  
WATER**  
(beverages)

**VISU-SEWER**  
(soda & corn)

**USFILTER/ENVIREX**  
(the pig)

**WILLIAM/REID LTD**  
(the pig)

## CALENDAR

**2-5 Oct** – 35<sup>th</sup> Annual  
WWOA Conference,  
Milwaukee. Plan now to  
attend – it's close to  
home, a lot of fun, and  
very educational!!!

**21 Feb '02** – Jackson, WI

**June 2002** – Burlington

**Aug 2002** – 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual  
Pig Roast, Brookfield, WI.

**Feb 2003** – Your plant???

**May 2003** – Your plant???

**Aug 2003** – 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Pig  
Roast, Your plant????

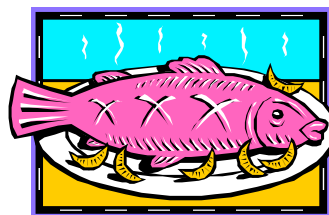
### BE A SHOW-OFF!!

You work hard to  
maintain your plant and  
serve your customers.  
Show it off by hosting a  
SE Region meeting in  
2003 or 2004!!!

Your Regional officers  
will help with the details –  
contact Jim Driver if you  
are interested.

## WANTED

### THE GRAPEVINE



### WWOA Fisheree

Fish & Camp?????  
Sept. 8, 6 am – 12 pm.  
\$20 per person includes  
fish fry, beverages, prizes,  
and fun. Sign up with Jim  
Thalke by August 31,  
2001.

*Stay the weekend.*  
Camping on your own at  
Kalbus Country Harbor  
Inc. (site of the fisheree -  
5305 Lake Road,  
Oshkosh) on Lake  
Winnebago. Call Jerry  
Kalbus at 920-426-0062.  
Tell him that you are with  
the WW Operators  
Fisheree.

Contact Jim Thalke at  
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1-262-246-5184.

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Morning round table discussions continue.



Tour attendees inspect Hartford WWTP.



Hungry operators arrive at the park.



Squiggy finds his purpose in life, while the operators enjoy a fine meal.

We welcome your input and comments!!! This is your region & your webpage! Please contact us with information or questions -

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