Philadelphia Chapter of the American Helicopter Society

DINNER MEETING
Tuesday, December 8th, 2009

Program: “Potential Rotorcraft Technology Applications for Delaware Bay Patrol”

Speakers: Dr. Nicholas Strauss, The Boeing Company
Judy Redlawsk, Harsco Corp.
US Coast Guard Auxiliary

Sponsor: BREEZE-EASTERN CORPORATION

Place: D’Ignazio’s Towne House Restaurant,
117 Veterans Square, Media, PA 19063

Time: Cocktails - 5:30 pm, Dinner - 6:30 pm, Presentation - 7:30 pm

Musical Guest: Philadelphia Boeing Musical Society

Menu: Prime Rib, Crab Cakes, Pasta Primavera

Registration: Please RSVP as early as possible. Deadline Monday December 7th Please!
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- AHS Member + Spouse $ 40.00
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Dr. Nicholas Strauss, Boeing
Judith Redlawsk, Harsco

About our speakers ....

**Dr. Nicholas C. Strauss** is a trainee observer with the US Coast Guard Auxiliary Air 5th Northern Region encompassing Delaware, Pennsylvania, and New Jersey. In this capacity, he serves on air missions over the Delaware Bay in small aircraft and helicopters. He is currently employed at the Boeing Company where his 20 years experience spans operations analysis, advanced computing, and military technology. In manufacturing, his work was used in V-22 scheduling, and in reverse engineering of the CH-47 forward pylon, AH-64 tooling, and 757 master models. In simulation, his specialty is in full mission simulation and virtual warfare. Currently he is working a cooperative FAA Boeing study on the use of Unmanned Aerial Systems in the National Airspace. He has taught engineering statics at Delaware County Community College, and was a visiting professor at the University of Rio De Janeiro, Brazil. Dr. Strauss holds a doctorate from Boston University and a B.S. from M.I.T. and was a graduate research assistant at Los Alamos National Labs, New Mexico.

**Judith Redlawsk** is an Aircraft Commander for the United States Coast Guard Auxiliary as well as the District Safety officer for the 5th Northern Region.

Professionally, Judy is the Director of Aviation for Harsco Corporation flying worldwide as a corporate pilot with over 27,000 hours experience. She holds Air Transport Pilot and Instructor ratings in single, multi engine, and rotary wing aircraft and is commercially certified in gliders and seaplanes. Judy is an adjunct Instructor and Board Member for Central Pennsylvania College and teaches for the American Red Cross. Besides a Masters degree in Aviation Science and education, she is also a licensed Coast Guard Captain with sailing and towing endorsements.
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