



QUALITY NEWS

Oklahoma City
Section 1408



Next Meeting
Thursday
August 18, 2005

****TOUR****

Braum's Family Farm
Tuttle, OK
See directions – Page 3

Time:

12:00 pm to approx. 2:00 pm

You Must RSVP by Aug. 16th to:
Rose Sutcliffe
Email: r.sutcliffe@cox.net

By Reservation only
Limited to ASQ Members and
1 guest.

September
Another Tour
Woodgroup, ESP
OKC, OK
Thursday,
September 15th
You can RSVP early!

to Rose Sutcliffe
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Braum's Family Farm Plant Tour

Come with us this month and enjoy a complete tour of the Braum's Family Farm Plant in Tuttle, OK.

Built in 1987, Braum's has a 260,000 square foot, state-of-the-art processing plant. It features the most modern, up-to-date equipment available. The raw milk is brought from the milk barn to the plant and stored and kept cool in huge stainless steel silo tanks. From the silo tanks, the milk is sent to the processing room where it is pasteurized, standardized, homogenized and vacuum-processed.

Minutes away are the milking operation built in 1993. The milking complex consists of 17 freestall barns (over 35 acres) that house the milking herd and a milking parlor, which is the largest of its kind in the world! Three times a day, twenty-four hours a day, seven days a week, Braum's is milking 10,000 cows!

This will prove to be a very interesting and education tour!
Hope we see you there!

Important Note if you are planning to attend:

- You must RSVP to reserve a spot – space is limited!
- During the tour you will need to be able to climb one flight of stairs.
- The tour will start at 12:15 pm – Be there by 12:00 pm!
- **If you're not there on time – you will miss the tour!**
- You will receive a sample of BRAUM'S Ice Cream!

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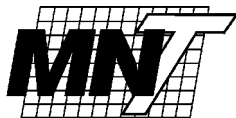
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VOLUNTEERS.
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POSITIONS. GET INVOLVED IN
YOUR SECTION NOW! CONTACT
ANY BOARD MEMBERS IF YOU
ARE INTERESTED IN
VOLUNTEERING.**

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Certification Chair. This board position
requires an ASQ member with at least one
certification.

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information.



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2005 CERTIFICATION EXAM DATES

	<u>EXAM</u>	<u>APPLY BY:</u>
CQT/CRE/CMI/CHA Biomedical Certified Quality Manager Six Sigma Black Belt	October 22	August 19
CQE/CQA/CSQE/CQIA CCT	December 3	October 7

For more information go to www.ASQ.org or contact **Rhonda Woolson, Certification Chair.**

NOTICE

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES for quality professionals are listed at no charge in our newsletter and on our website: www.ASQ-OKC.org

MEMBER RESUMES are posted free on our website.
Contact any board member for more information!

DIRECTIONS TO BRAUM FAMILY FARM

- From Oklahoma City: Take I-44 South and exit at Highway 37 West (Tuttle/Minco Exit 108).
- You'll see a Braum's store and a shopping center on your left (south). This is the Tri-City area.
- Continue traveling west for 12 miles until you reach the stoplight at Cimarron Road (next to Tuttle Football Field).
- From this stoplight you will continue to go west for 3.3 miles (you'll cross over some railroad tracks and will go through an "S" curve - you're out in the country now!
- After you've gone through the "S" curve, look for the sign on the north side of the road that reads "Braum's Plant and Farm Entrance".
- Turn right (north) and go one mile on this asphalt road.
- You'll come to another sign directing you to turn left (west).
- This gravel road will lead you to the Main Office / Tour Center at the Braum's Family Farm.
- Please park behind the building (just follow the signs to the Tour Parking Area).
- All other parking is reserved for Braum's personnel.



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WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Lynn Baker Sr.	George Kaszycki
Amanda Dunlap	Robert Portwood
Pam Gibson	David Titchenal
Stephen Hadwin	Katheryn Trent

FYI!

Up-to-Date Meeting information can also be found
on our Section Website:

www.asq-okc.org.

It's a good idea to check the website before each
meeting for last minute changes!

**We will be touring Woodgroup, ESP in September
September 15, 2005**

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