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AME Announces Manufacturing Day Sponsorship

ROLLING MEADOWS, ILL. —July 10, 2014— The Association for Manufacturing Excellence (AME) is proud to be a sponsor of this year's Manufacturing Day. Celebrating the backbone of America, this national event highlights the numerous contributions of manufacturers across the country while educating the general public about the impact and importance of this vital industry.

This year's Manufacturing Day is Oct. 3. A variety of events will take place around the country throughout the day, spotlighting manufacturing's impact on the world while offering an insider's look into a number of exciting organizations. Numerous manufacturers will open their doors to the public, offering tours of their facilities and fielding questions about the nature of their industry. Participating schools will also offer tours and open houses where attendees can explore the classes and resources they'll need to pursue a career in manufacturing.

"AME is proud to support Manufacturing Day and the effort to educate the public about manufacturing and how vital it is to our economy," says AME President Paul Kuchuris. "What many people don't know is that manufacturing professionals are highly trained, well-paid people who work on state-of-the-art equipment. There are jobs in manufacturing, and we need more people to understand how rewarding a manufacturing job can be," adds Kuchuris.

To follow AME's participation in Manufacturing Day, follow AME on Twitter @ameconnect and use hashtag #mfgday14. In addition to AME, Manufacturing Day is supported and sponsored by a number of leading manufacturers and co-producers. With their support, it was estimated that roughly 35,000 people participated in last year's Manufacturing Day through the 834 events and open houses that took place. To learn more about the scheduled events in your area and how to get involved, check out the official [Manufacturing Day website](#).

About the Association for Manufacturing Excellence

The Association for Manufacturing Excellence (AME) is the premier not-for-profit organization dedicated to the journey of continuous improvement and enterprise excellence. AME's membership is composed of a trusted network of volunteers who are committed to leveraging the practitioner-to-

practitioner and company-to-company shared-learning experience. Through engaging workshops, plant tours, webinars, summits and industry-leading conferences, AME members are continually discovering and implementing new continuous improvement strategies and best practices. AME offers its members a multitude of valuable resources to help them stay abreast of current industry developments and improve the skills, competitiveness and overall success of their organizations. Join AME in leading the "Renaissance of Manufacturing in North America." For more information, visit www.ame.org or email info@ame.org.

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