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January 2008 Newsletter

Round Table Discussion Lunch Meeting on January 15th

Join us for a round table discussion of Cycle Counting, Physical Inventory and Production Reporting Issues. Bring your problems and solutions in these areas to share with the group.

We will meet from 11:30 to 12:30 at Papacitas Restaurant on the Loop in Longview.

Please e-mail Cathleen Redman to RSVP by Friday, January 11th:
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*****Module 2 CPM Classes to be held at Norris Cylinder*****

Classes will start on January 21st. We had a great turnout of 14 students for module 1 and the local East Texas chapter of APICS is pleased to offer module 2 in the series of classes geared for exam review for the professional attempting to become a Certified Purchasing Manager (CPM) or an Accredited Purchasing Practitioner (APP). These classes will cover all aspects of the purchasing function from requisitioning, to quoting, sourcing, contracting, vendor management, and receiving. We will have 4 two hour sessions to cover Module 2. Everyone is welcome to attend even if you did not attend module 1. See our website for more info as well as the attachment on this e-mail.

As defined in the 10th addition of the APICS Dictionary:

Cycle counting – An inventory accuracy audit technique where inventory is counted on a cyclic schedule rather than once a year. A cycle inventory count is usually taken on a regular, defined basis (often more frequently for high-value items and less frequently for low-value or slow-moving items). Most effective cycle counting systems require the counting of a certain number of items every work-day with each item counted at a prescribed frequency. The key purpose of cycle counting is to identify items in error, thus triggering research, identification, and elimination of the cause of errors.

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