

IPVF Council hosts successful guided tour of Lakeside Steel Corporation & Networking Luncheon in Welland, Ontario

Over 55 industry professionals participated in a comprehensive, hour-long walking tour of Lakeside Steel's manufacturing facility, led by senior staff from the plant. Attendees had the unique opportunity to view product manufactured on Lakeside's Stretch Reduction Mill ($\frac{3}{4}$ "-4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " pipe) and 2-8" ERW Mill (4 $\frac{1}{2}$ "-8 $\frac{5}{8}$ " pipe).

Lakeside Steel was founded in 1909, employs a staff of over 400, and produces a total of 250,000 tons of product annually. This event was preceded by an IPVF Council Networking Luncheon, and is part of an ongoing series. The next PVF Networking function will be held in May 2011, and will feature an industry keynote luncheon speaker, as well as the Introduction to Pipe, Valves & Fittings Education workshop led by Alvin Markus. Stay tuned for more information!

This exciting and valuable networking function was directed specifically at PVF Professionals in Canada, and is a part of an ongoing series.

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