**November 2017 Bluegrass ASHRAE Chapter Newsletter: President’s Letter**
By Andrew Jenkins, 2017-2018 Chapter President

Thanks to all who could attend our October Indoor Air Quality themed program on “Bi-Polar Ionization”. The meeting was very well attended and the updated layout of the room at Winchell’s worked much better than the September meeting layout. Our speaker, Dan Rellihan, did a great job of describing the bi-polar ionization technology along with its application in HVAC systems.

Coming up next Friday November 3rd, our YEA committee will be hosting a technical tour at the Dix dam power plant in Harrodsburg, KY. The tour will include the impressive energy portfolio including: Gas, Steam, Hydronic Turbines and PV Cells. All our welcome to attend! Please RSVP so we know who all will be joining us. We plan to car pool from the Beaumont Kroger parking lot at noon that Friday.

The November program will be following the Wednesday, November 8th and will be given on updated standard for Dedicated Outdoor Air Systems. Ronnie Moffitt who is the current chairman of the AHRI dehumidification engineering section will be our presenter. Ronnie is also recent recipient of ASHRAE’s Distinguished Service Award and a Bluegrass Chapter member.

Instead of a formal program meeting in December we will have a tour of the recently renovated 21C hotel in downtown Lexington on December 13th. Following the tour we will have our annual Christmas gathering for the chapter.

If you would like to be more involved with the chapter planning; fell free to come our chapter Board of Governors meeting typically held on the third Wednesday each month but will be immediately following our November program this month. Contact me at c128@ashrae.net for details.