



Date: **Thursday, February 2, 2012**

SCHEDULE:

Location: **Zehnders of Frankenmuth – Town Hall Downstairs**

6:30 PM - Social Hour

7:00 PM - Dinner

Meal: **Super Bar Buffet**

8:00 PM - Business Meeting

8:15 PM - Program

Tickets: **\$25.00**



Creating an American Icon

BILL SHAW, GENERAL MOTORS



Bill Shaw, General Motors Executive Director of Global Vendor Tooling, Global Maintenance, and Lean Implementation will share with us some insights into the design and production of an American icon, the Corvette.

In 1953 Chevrolet introduced a new 2 seat sports car, the Corvette. Only 300 vehicles were produced the first year of production, with most of them going to movie stars and dignitaries. It didn't take long for the Corvette to become the American Iconic Sports Car available to the average consumer. By 1992, over 1 Million Corvettes had been sold, with over 95% of them still on the road. The Corvette is now in its 6th generation of production. Many of us have seen the final product, but few have seen what it takes to design and produce the car. Bill will give us an inside look at the development of this American Icon.

Bill Shaw is an old friend of the Saginaw Valley AFS Chapter, having spent many years at the Saginaw foundries. Come welcome Bill back to the foundry side while learning a bit about the making of an American icon.



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AFS Dinner Dance Scholarship Fundraiser is Saturday, February 25, 2012 at the MBS Airport Skyroom. Contact Sherry Brandel for tickets at 989-757-1430 or sherry.brandel@gm.com.

AFS Golf Outing: Sat. June 2, 2012, Sign up before it sells out! Pre-Paid tickets only available from Mike Luth, Vib/Con at 989-755-9175 (8 a.m. – 5 p.m.)

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