

October 13, 2022

To: MWFA Members and Fastener Industry

From: George Hunt, President

Awarding of Scholarships, MWFA Board of Directors Election Guest Speaker Dan Hampton, former Chicago Bears Player November 3, 2022-5:00 p.m.

On November 3rd, we will be celebrating our scholarship winners. Thanks to the generous support of our membership and funds raised at various events during the past year; we are able to award over \$40,000 in scholarships this year. Scholarship winners have worked hard, and many will be present, so please come out and join us to honor these scholarship winners, place your votes for Board of Directors and enjoy our guest speaker.

If you have an interest in running for the Board (term is 3 years) or would like to nominate someone, contact Nancy Rich: mwfa@ameritech.net prior to November 1st. **Current candidates for the Board of Directors include** Glen Brin/Innovative Components, Jake Davis/BTM Mfg., Matt Delawder/SWD Inc., Jeff Kempka/GF&D Systems/Global Fastener & Supply, and Jen Kushnir-DLP Coatings. It is important that a representative from each member company come out and cast a ballot since the Board of Directors is an integral part of your association.



Dan Hampton, our guest speaker, was a first-round draft pick of the Chicago Bears in 1979 following an All-America season at the University of Arkansas. An outstanding and versatile defensive lineman, Hampton would play 12 seasons with the Bears. Six times he earned first- or second-team All-Pro honors as either a defensive tackle or defensive end.

Nicknamed "Danimal" for his ferocious style of play, Hampton persevered through 10 knee surgeries and numerous other injuries as he became recognized as one of the game's most dedicated players. Hampton was an impact player even as a rookie. In his first season he was credited with 70 tackles, 48 of which were solo efforts, as well as two fumble recoveries.

three passes defensed, and two sacks.

It's for the 1985 season, however, that Dan and the Bears' defense is best remembered. That year, the stingy Chicago defense allowed just 198 points and shut out both opponents in the NFC playoffs. The Bears went on to destroy the New England Patriots 46-10 in Super Bowl XX, allowing just 123 total yards and sacking Patriot quarterbacks seven times. Although 1985 may have been a high point in his career, Hampton continued to play at a high level until finally retiring in 1990, becoming just the second Bear to play in three different decades. He was elected to the Pro Football Hall of Fame in 2002.

He participates in a number of golf tournaments which raise funds for various charities in support of children in the Chicago area. Hampton continues to be a Chicagoland spokesperson for Chevrolet. In addition he is a cohost for the syndicated Pro-Football Weekly television show. A co-host for The Marquee Sports Network, and last but not least, his pre & post show called the Hamp & OB show on WGN Radio and Apple Podcast.

Note meeting will be starting at 5:00 to accommodate guest speaker's additional commitment that evening.





Meeting Details:

Please join us for this special celebration!

Register online with QR Code

Date: November 3, 2022 Location: Belvedere Banquets

1170 W. Devon, Elk Grove, IL

Time: 5:00 p.m-6:00 p.m. Cocktails-Open Bar

6:00 p.m. Dinner with speaker

Cost: Until Nov 1st: Members: \$65 Non-Members \$80

Please return this form by November 1st

MWFA General Meeting November 3rd (Complete this form or register online www.mwfa.net)

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Reservations placed, but not filled will be invoiced-we are billed for guarantee given to restaurant.

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