

FRP, An Alternate Material for Restoration, Replication And Strengthening

*Friday, 3 June 2005
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
American Canyon, California*

Tour of Kreysler & Associates composite materials manufacturing facility

The tour is intended for Architects, Contractors, Preservationists, Historians, Specification Writers and anyone else associated with the replication and reconstruction of architectural elements of historic buildings.

Fiber Reinforced Plastics (FRP) has become a recognized and accepted method of replicating and/or reconstructing historic masonry, sheet metal, or plaster assemblies. Proper specification and detailing are critical to successful use of the material. Bill Kreysler of Kreysler & Associates will discuss FRP and lead a tour of K&A fabricating facility. K&A has an established track record of using FRP on historic projects including the Flood Building, Ferry Building, and over 15 other landmark or historic buildings in the bay area alone.

The tour and presentation will also touch upon K&A's sculptural and digital fabrication work.

Cost: Free

Location:

Kreysler & Associates
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American Canyon, CA 94503
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Registration: Space is limited. Register with the Western Chapter of the Association for Preservation Technology. Phone: 818.303.1283 - Email jlesak@wje.com

Transportation: WCAPT will be organizing car pools from the MacArthur BART station and Vallejo Ferry Terminal. Please state if you are interested in car pooling when registering.

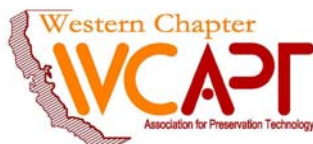
Wine Tasting: Bill has invited Chris Loxton, PhD and former winemaker at Wellington, to taste a selection of excellent wines from his new winery in Sonoma's Glenn Ellen region following the tour.

Note: This is an operating fabrication plant, please dress appropriately. Eye protection will be required.

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