

[Click here to go back to ConnectEKO Media Page](#)

ENGINEERS CLUB *express*



October 2012 Dayton, Ohio Engineersclub.org Birthplace of Aviation

Barn Gang Report on September Programs

By John Bosch

Tech Town fosters ventures based on innovations that have the promise of improving our economy.

Steve Nutt, Senior VP - CITYWIDE Development Corporation welcomed us and gave an overview of the DRCC (Dayton RFID Convergence Center), which is a public-private partnership between the City of Dayton, Citywide Development Corporation and EPC Technologies, Inc.

As we enjoyed our box lunches prepared by the Engineers Club, we were given a number of presentations about DRCC activities. (visit daytondrcc.com).

Gary Moore of Pelican Technologies told us about the tiny bits of software they create to tie other large, more complicated systems specifically in the RFID (Radio Frequency Identification) and security industries.

Brent Swearingen, VP Sales Americas for RM Michaelides, a German-based manufacturer of electronic displays, loggers, and telematics equipment, presented the basic product applications in mobile and stationary equipment for remote access to data and diagnostics.

Ashley Lybolt and Steve Wrobel, co-founders of Electronic System Innovators, spoke about how they are connecting green ideas with creative technology to accomplish such things as enticing shoppers to reuse or recycle plastic bags.

Lincoln Berry III, managing partner with Grab Vision Group, demonstrated GrabTV, a cloud-based software service that allows consumers to purchase anything they see on TV using an ordinary television and a remote.

We were then given a tour of their laboratories where we were shown Unmanned Air Vehicles (UAV) based systems currently being used in Afghanistan that can be applied for solving crimes.

After our tour of Tech Town we walked across Monument Avenue to The Entrepreneurs Center where president Barbara Hayde told us about how they support high technology startup companies with attractive facilities and support services at reasonable costs.

Harry Seifert arranged the program.

[Click here to go back to ConnectEKO Media Page](#)