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Halloween

Nuts & Bolts

NAWIC Chapter 105, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Letter from the President

The NAWIC family tree . . . I was struggling to come up with a theme for our national membership drive and then it hit me, FAMILY. I truly do consider all of you in our chapter, and all of the ladies around the country that I see at regional and national meetings, as my extended family. We support each other both professionally and personally and for that I am grateful.

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We are definitely getting into the swing of things now. Our October meeting was extremely informative regarding the hazards of lead and asbestos. I hope everybody can use that information usefully in their own home to protect their family.

Our new leadership was installed at our September meeting and both they and our committees are working hard to make this a great year and at this time I would like to recognize those ladies that are truly taking their tasks to heart as they've taken on their committee positions in this first month. In alphabetical order of committee:

Block Kids: Thank you to Julie, Nancy and Sarah for taking on this task. It doesn't take place until February, but I know they have already been tossing around ideas.

Community Service: Thank you to Brenda and Jackie. We already have a community service event with The Hunger Task Force. Please see additional information in this newsletter regarding that food drive.

Membership: Thank you to Michelle. There are a lot of items that go into maintaining and developing our membership and Michelle is taking the bull by the horns to make everybody comfortable and feel welcome. She is also taking the initiative on the membership drive contest sent down from national. Get those contacts to her to earn your points!

NEF: Thank you to Kassy. At each meeting we will be holding a raffle where tickets cost only \$1 and the proceeds will be donated to the NAWIC Education Foundation at the 2013 Annual Meeting & Education Conference. These monies go towards supporting the K-12 programs offered through NEF, such as Block Kids, along with adult certification programs.

Nuts & Bolts Newsletter: Another thank you to Michelle. It is not the easiest task to gather all of the information gathered here (especially when I am late with this president's letter), but pairing that with membership is really a great opportunity and she continues to do a great job brining it all together.

Professional Education & Programs: Thank you to Alaina for making the arrangements for our monthly meetings. She and I met this Summer to put together the schedule for this year and I hope that everybody finds them useful and informative. And as always, please do submit any meeting ideas you may have, these meetings are a huge part of why we are members of NAWIC and we want them to be beneficial to everybody.

PR/Marketing – Thank you AJ. AJ (Annette) Simms is working diligently to capture the new branding of NAWIC builds. She is working with our website administrator to develop a fresh new look and from what I've seen so far it is very impressive. We will keep you posted on when the new website will be up and running.

Scholarship – Thank you Amber, Dawn, Shauna and Sarah. We just sent in our application and check to NFSF (NAWIC Founders Scholarship Foundation) and I am proud to say that we are once again giving out \$4,000 in scholarships this year. These ladies will work throughout the year to get the word out to the students of our local colleges and universities.

Sunshine – Thank you Karen for being our designated 'Sunshine Woman'. I can't think of a better description for you.

Ways & Means – On this one I'll just have to thank everybody in the chapter ahead of time. Once we start planning, you'll know what I mean 😊

WIC Week – Thank you to Nancy and Dawn, and to one of our newest members Angela, who all have great ideas for Women in Construction Week and our Industry Appreciation Dinner. I am already excited for this event and to see what they come up with.

Please know that I could not do what I do without the help of all of you. I appreciate each and every one of you. Keep your enthusiasm strong and we will have not only a great year this year, but for years to come and will have a stronger chapter for it!

Helena Johnson
President



NAWIC Milwaukee General Membership Meeting Monday November 12th, 2012



"How Do We Get Young Ladies Interested In Working In The Construction Industry?"

Please join us on Monday November 12, 2012 at the Junior Achievement facility for a tour led by Angela Franks followed by a presentation by Cheryl Gilliam of Milwaukee Job Corps.

We will be touring JA's BizTown: Elementary school students aren't old enough to drive, work, vote or be the boss. At JA BizTown they are! Students operate a bank, restaurant, city hall, newspaper, retail store and 10 other businesses. JA BizTown® combines in-class learning with a day-long visit to a fully interactive, simulated town. Students leave understanding the relationship between what they learn in school and their participation in a local economy.

And JA's Finance Park: Teens rarely think about buying health insurance, or evaluating investment choices. At JA Finance Park® they do! JA Finance Park combines in-class learning with a day-long visit to a fully interactive, simulated town. Students are introduced to personal finance and career exploration. They receive family and income scenarios, then visit 19 businesses to purchase things like insurance, clothing, food, transportation and real estate. They create a budget, allocate utility expenses and make personal investments. Students are the sole providers for a family and must accommodate the needs of the family without overspending. Educators assist student learning by preparing students before the day and summarizing the experience through post visit activities.

We will then here from Cheryl Gilliam from the Milwaukee Job Corps. Cheryl's current position at Job Corps is Career Development Specialist. She is an Alumni of University of Wisconsin –Milwaukee and her historical professional career has been in Banking/Mortgage Origination and Housing Counseling. Job Corps is a no-cost education and career technical training program administered by the U.S. Department of Labor that helps young people ages 16 through 24 improve the quality of their lives through vocational and academic training. The Job Corps program is authorized by Title I-C of the Workforce Investment Act of 1998. At Milwaukee Job Corps Center, they support the Job Corps program's mission of teaching eligible young people the skills they need to become employable and independent and placing them in meaningful jobs or further education.

Monday, November 12, 2012

5:30 pm – 6:00 pm: Tour of Junior Achievement Facility

6:00 pm – 6:30 pm: Dinner & Networking

6:30 pm – 7:00 pm: Milwaukee Job Corps Presentation

7:00 pm – 7:30 pm: General Membership Meeting

The program will be located at: Junior Achievement Facility, 11111 West Liberty Drive, Milwaukee
Please RSVP by Wednesday, November 7th, to Alaina Cartagena at alainac@jmbrennan.com

Fee: \$15 NAWIC Milwaukee Chapter Members
\$10 NAWIC Milwaukee Chapter Student Members
\$18 Guests

October 2012 General Membership Meeting**Meeting Agenda**

Monday, October 8, 2012 @ Brookfield Home & Idea Center

Next Meeting: Monday, November 12, 2012 @ Junior Achievement

Member Attendees: Alania Cartagena, Kassy Coen, Dawn Filtz, Karen Hetzel, Michelle Helena Johnson, Christine Krueger, Georgann Krzyanowski, Julie Raymond, Theresa Weinert, Jenny Byington, Angela Szpara, Annette Simms, Tara O'Toole

Guest Attendees: Julie Burg, Cheryl Gilliam, Stephanie Parsley

*Milwaukee Chapter 105*

Item	Description	Follow up needed
1 - Continuing Business		
1.01	NAWIC Pledge As material for the construction of our building, I pledge the agility of my hands, the ability of my mind, and the integrity of my heart.	
1.02	Program Stephanie Parsley of Milwaukee Lead & Asbestos Information Center	For more information, please contact Stephanie at stephanie@mlic.com or visit their website at www.mlic.com
1.03	New Member & Guest Introductions I would like to welcome the following new members that are here with us tonight: Jenny Byington, Angela Szpara, Annette (AJ) Simms and Tara O'Toole. I would also like to welcome our guests, Cheryl Gilliam and scholarship winner Julie Burg.	
1.04	Meeting Minutes Reviewed and accepted September Meeting Minutes.	
1.05	Officer Reports Our joint Board Meeting was held on September 17th where we reviewed committee activities, as listed below, and approved the 2012-2013 budget. If you are interested in reviewing the Treasurer's Report please contact Julie Raymond.	
1.06	Committee Reports Block Kids — Julie Raymond, Nancy Hall, Sarah Meyers Community Service — Brenda Graat, Jackie Eicher Membership — Michelle Hetzel NEF Committee — Kassy Coen Nuts and Bolts Editor — Michelle Hetzel Professional Education — Alaina Cartagena PR/Marketing — Annette (AJ) Simms Scholarship — Amber Thomas, Shauna Boyer, Dawn Filtz, Sarah Meyers Strategic Planning – April Weatherston, Alaina Cartagena, Sarah Meyers, Jenny Byington Sunshine — Karen Hetzel Ways and Means — Shauna Boyer, Nancy Hall, Dawn Filtz WC Week — Nancy Hall, Dawn Filtz	
	Block Kids Block Kids will be held on Saturday, February 23, 2012 at Mt. Mary	

Community Service	Brenda Graat will be heading up our Community Service committee and will keep us posted on upcoming events. If you have ideas or a cause you are passionate about please let Brenda know and we'll see how we can all help.	At our next member meeting, Brenda will be collecting cereal and juice for the Hunger Task Force. Please bring 1 box of cereal and 1 juice/cider to help support the Hunger Task Force. For more information, please contact Brenda at Brenda.Graat@bakertilly.com .
Membership	Please see the attached roster. We currently have 28 members, 23 renewed and 5 new members. We also have a new/renewed member Sarah Everson that comes to us from the Fox Valley chapter. There are 2 new members here tonight that are in the process of submitting their application, Jenny and Tara, so that will bring our chapter total up	
Membership (Cont'd)	At this time I would like to recognize the following members anniversaries: From September we have 1 member: Amber, with 8 years. In October we have 7 members: Sarah with 8 years, Ann with 7, Shauna and Valerie with 6, Julie with 2 and Dawn & Nancy are celebrating their 1 year anniversary.	
	Last week an e-mail was sent out regarding our membership drive. Please see the attached and let myself or Michelle know if you have any questions.	
NEF	At the end of the meeting we will be holding our NEF raffle. Tickets are \$1 a piece.	
Nuts & Bolts Newsletter	If anybody has anything that they would like to have posted in our monthly newsletter, contact Michelle Hetzel. Advertising is also available for your companies and the cost goes towards supporting the	Michelle's email address is: michelle.hetzel@hetzeltm.com .
Professional Education	Please see the attached calendar of events for a listing of meetings for the 2012-2013 year.	
PR/Marketing	AJ is diligently working on revamping our social media sites, especially our main website. There is a contest at the national level that will be judged by independent non-NAWIC members and from what I've seen so far I think we'll have a chance at winning. We will let you know when the new site will be unveiled.	
Scholarship	I would like to introduce our scholarship winners this year: Elyse O'Callaghan from Marquette is studying Civil Engineering and is the recipient of a \$1,000 scholarship. Alexa Wojciechowicz from UW-Milwaukee is studying Architecture and also received \$1,000. Julie Berg from MSOE is studying Architectural Engineering & Construction Management and is the recipient of the \$2,000 scholarship. In addition, Nicole Hacker from UW-Milwaukee who received one of our chapter scholarships last year, this year received a \$1,000 scholarship directly from NFSF.	

Strategic Planning	We are continuing to work with Junior Achievement and the Milwaukee Job Corps. We will go into more details at the November meeting which will focus on our strategic initiatives.	
Ways & Means	Coordination for our 2013 fundraiser will be at our November general meeting.	This takes place in April.
	We already have some members signed up for certain tasks, but we will need many more volunteers. Helena will be sending out e-mails and information prior to the November meeting as well.	
WIC Week	WIC Week runs from March 3 - 9 in 2013. We will be holding our Industry Appreciation Dinner on Monday, March 4th to coincide with WIC Week.	
2 - New Business		
2.01 Convention Recap	Helena, Susan and Dawn attended this year's Annual Meeting & Education Conference (AMEC) in Denver, CO.	
2.03 Annual Planning Conference	This year's Annual Planning Conference will be taking place in Middleton, WI on October 12th and 13th.	

Members are encouraged to submit industry events to be printed in our NAWIC Newsletter!!!!!!!!!!!!!!



“Get to Know Our Members”

Just a reminder to complete the member questionnaire and return to:
michelle.hetzel@hetzeltm.com I would like to feature/highlight a couple of members each month.....thank you!!

Where did you go to school/degree? (ex. I graduated with a B.S. degree in Civil Engineering from.....)

Where do you work, what is your position, how long have you been there?

What is your favorite highlight of the past year?

Tell us a little bit about your family/pets.....

What do you like to do in your free time/hobbies?

Tell us (4) or more fun facts about you.....(ex. I don't eat black licorice, I always drive 4 mph faster than the speed limit...etc!!!)

Member Highlight.....**Helena Johnson**

1. I graduated from UW-Milwaukee with a Bachelor's degree in Political Science & International Relations
2. I work at CG Schmidt, a general contractor out of Milwaukee and have been here for 10-1/2 years. I am a project coordinator and typically work out on the jobsites. Past projects I have worked on include 875 East Wisconsin, GE Healthcare, Wheaton Franciscan Hospital and Uline. With the economic downturn I have been helping out where I can in the office but will be returning to the field early next year to work on the UW-Milwaukee Kenwood Interdisciplinary Research Complex project.
3. My favorite highlight of this year was a trip my husband and I took to Scotland in May. We stayed in Edinburgh, but took bus tours to Loch Ness, St. Andrews, Stirling Castle and Roslyn Chapel along with a weekend stay in Glasgow. It is a beautiful country! However, I also had a blast in Denver at our national conference and it is an honor to be taking on the role as the National Membership Chairperson this year.
4. I was born and raised in Milwaukee and never lived more than 10 miles from where I grew up. I attended Our Lady of Sorrows grade school and Pius XI High School. I met my husband, Chuck, at UWM and we will be celebrating our 16 year anniversary at the end of October. We don't have any children, but 3 lovely cats. Fizzig who is 14, Pinkus who is 13 (both Persians) and Spudgy who is 2 (a short haired domestic rescue). We lost PawPaw in 2009 at the age of 7, she was a cutie Himalayan.
5. I don't have too many hobbies, but I do enjoy golf, playing poker and my guiltiest pleasure is watching 'reality' shows such as all of the Real Housewives, Bridezillas, Jersey Shore, etc. I also enjoy watching Gordon Ramsey and Robert Irvine's shows on the Food Network. But, I cook vicariously through my husband ☺
6. 4 Fun Facts:
 - a. For being a woman, I don't like sweets/chocolate, but put a pot of mashed potatoes in front of me and they're gone!; and
 - b. For being a woman, I don't like shopping, maybe if I had the store to myself and things fit right on a 5'-00" tall woman. Tell me, when is this low-rise waist thing going to go **out** of style!
 - c. My name is published in a book. In a short stint at my attempt at grad school, I was a teaching assistant and helped proofread a textbook for the professor I worked for. She never did give me a copy of the book, but my name is there. I just have to go to Amazon.com to see it.
 - d. I don't like doing any sports where my feet aren't firmly planted on the ground, so no skating, skiing, canoeing or bike riding of any sort. Or it could be a balance thing and I have horrible depth perception so I never did very good at softball either ☺
7. I became involved in NAWIC in 2007 through Jackie Eicher who also works at CG Schmidt. I was her administrative assistant at the Wheaton Franciscan project and slowly, but surely, she got me into the group. Shortly thereafter I became the chapter's membership chair. In 2009 I became a director on the board of directors and held that until 2011 when I became president of the chapter which I will be until September of 2013. I was also the regional membership chair from 2010-2012 and am currently the national membership chair through September 2013 as well. After that I just don't know what I will do with myself!

If you have a question or need help, do not hesitate to call another NAWIC member, even if you don't know them yet. Chapter members have a gold mine of resources and information to share!!!



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Man Dies in Fall from Roadway

DATELINE: Massachusetts, 8/30/12
A highway worker fell 60 ft. to his death from an interstate highway overpass. He was on a crew doing night work when he slipped through a gap in the median, landing beside train tracks below.

Lessons Learned

- A 60' HOLE NEEDS GUARDING!
- Night time makes a 60' hole even more dangerous. Make sure your crew is safe.

Confined Space Kills

DATELINE: Missouri, 8/28/12
A man's coworkers discovered him unconscious and unresponsive in a 4-ft. wide concrete pipe. He was 30 ft. deep in the pipe. Paramedics and rescue workers used breathing apparatuses after the air showed signs of being hazardous.

Lessons Learned

- Does your company enter confined spaces? Does your company have a written C.S. program? Have you trained your people? If you aren't sure GET HELP NOW!

Operator Rescued from Trench

DATELINE: Minnesota, 8/20/12
A firefighter dangled upside down to rescue a man who was trapped in a collapsing trench. The operator of the machine digging the trench got out to inspect the 12-ft.-deep hole when the edge gave way as he approached. He was conscious and standing in the hole when rescuers arrived, but the earth was too unstable to approach. The firefighter was tethered and lowered to extricate the man.

Lessons Learned

- With earth this soft, sloping or shoring could have been used.
- This should be a valuable "near miss" lesson.

Man Learns "Bovine" Lesson

DATELINE: Montana, 8/23/12
The driver of a gravel truck on his way to a jobsite stopped to join the police in corralling a runaway cow that had been running amok in a downtown area. When he approached the cow, it charged him, throwing him into the air. He suffered broken bones in his lower leg and bruised ribs.

Lessons Learned

- Maybe we should stick to what we know.
- This could prove to be an interesting workers' comp claim.

ELECTROCUTIONS

Two Electrocuted in Cherry Picker

DATELINE: Florida, 9/7/12
Two maintenance workers trying to solve a woodpecker problem were killed when their cherry picker came in contact with electric lines. They were 30 and 37 years old.

Electrical Panel Proves Deadly

DATELINE: Virginia, 9/5/12
Two men were working in an electrical panel in a new development. One went for supplies and heard a noise. When he returned, he found his coworker in contact with a live wire. He went to get something to dislodge his friend, but when he returned, the man was unconscious in the floor.

Man Carrying Scaffolding Killed

DATELINE: Maryland, 8/14/12
A worker at a new home construction carrying a piece of scaffolding was killed when it touched a live electrical wire.

Lessons Learned

- "LOOK UP" before booming up.
- "LOOK UP" before carrying tall things like a ladder or scaffolding.
- De-energize and lock out live electrical panels.

Trusses Fall, Kill Worker

DATELINE: North Dakota, 9/1/12
A 23-yr.-old worker was helping unload a trailer full of roof trusses. As he cut the metal band, the trusses collapsed on top of him.

Lessons Learned

- Unload the bundle, secure, then cut banding.
- Stay out of line of fire just in case.

Truck Runs over Woman's Legs

DATELINE: Nevada, 8/24/12
A 50-yr.-old female worker was moving a traffic cone in a work zone when she slipped and fell under a truck that was driving about 5 mph. She was sent to a Utah hospital for surgery on her ankles.

Lessons Learned

- Stay out of the "line of fire" when working around moving vehicles.
- Have the driver stop before you approach.



**Have some NEWS you would like to share?
Please email Michelle Hetzel (michelle.hetzel@hetzeltm.com) to submit News
and information for next month's newsletter.**

MEMBER NEWS

Please welcome the following members to our Milwaukee Chapter!!

Tara O'Toole	CGSchmidt
Kristin Marx	JHHassinger
Jenny Byington	The Daily Reporter
Sarah Everson	Fox Valley Chapter
Samantha Liertz	Grunau Co.
Angela Szpara	Greenfire Management
Bobbi Fochs	Mandel Group
Annette (AJ) Simms	Scherrer Construction
Ellen Skiles	Interstate Sealant & Concrete
Sarah Meyers	Boldt Construction

Sarah Everson has been a NAWIC member and is joining our chapter from the Fox Valley Chapter.

Angela Szpara is a renewing member from Dallas, TX who has moved to Wisconsin and joined our Chapter!!

**CONGRATULATIONS!!!.....ROBERTA OLDENBURG.....WAS
NAMED "NEWSMAKER OF THE YEAR" FROM THE DAILY REPORTER IN
THE WOMAN IN CONSTRUCTION CATEGORY!!!!!!!**

Roberta is an Integrated Construction Coordinator with Mortenson Construction.....she has attended several of our meetings and supported our Ways and Means Fundraiser!! Way to go Roberta!!! Congratulation from your friends at NAWIC Chapter 105!!!!!!



2012-2013 Board of Directors

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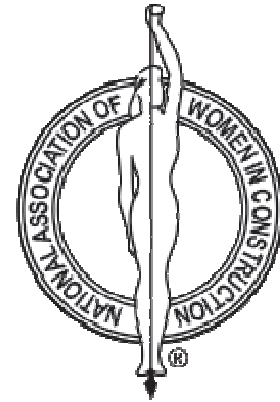
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Current Committees/Chairs

Block Kids — Julie Raymond, Nancy Hall, Sarah Meyers

Construction Industry/WIC Week — Nancy Hall, Dawn Flitz

Membership-Michelle Hetzel

NEF Committee — Kassy Coen

Nuts and Bolts Editor — Michelle Hetzel

Professional Education — Alaina Cartagena

PR/Marketing- Annette "AJ" Simms

Scholarship — Amber Thomas, Shauna Boyer, Dawn Flitz, Sarah Meyers

Sunshine — Karen Hetzel

Ways and Means — Shauna Boyer, Nancy Hall, Dawn Flitz

Community Service —

Strategic Planning – April Weatherston, Alaina Cartagena, Sarah Meyers

Technology – Kassy Coen

There are Multiple
Openings For
Committee Members
and Chairs...Please
Consider Signing Up
For One or Two!!!!
Contact:
Helena.Johnson@cg
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Can you help? STEM Mentors Needed for Future City!

Would you have a few hours a month to help some middle school students learn about engineering, urban planning, and/or science?

We have five schools participating in the Future City Competition which need STEM mentors.

Bruce Guadalupe Middle School, 920 S. 9th Street, Milwaukee - Meets Mondays, 3:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Burdick Elementary, 4348 S. Griffin, Milwaukee - Meets at 10:00 a.m., days are flexible.

Fernwood Montessori, 3239 E. Pennsylvania Avenue, Milwaukee (Bay View) - Meets during school hours - 7:45 a.m. - 2:20 p.m., days are flexible.

St. Charles of Borromeo, 3100 S. Parnell Ave., Milwaukee - Meets Thursdays, 1:50 p.m. - 2:40 p.m.

Waukesha STEM Academy, 130 Walton Avenue, Waukesha - Meet during school hours - 11:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m., days are flexible

Future City is a competition for middle school students to design a city of tomorrow and help solve some of today's problems. Students work together to complete four phases of the program:

- 1) Use Sim City to design a city of the future
- 2) Write an essay on a specific topic - this year the topic is storm water runoff
- 3) Build a model of their city using recycled materials
- 4) Present their city to a panel of engineering judges at the competition

An engineer mentor works with the students and their teacher to give guidance along the way, provide insight to what engineers do, give feedback on their work and offer support and ideas throughout the process. Mentors typically work with their team by meeting, calling or emailing a couple times a month from September until January 12, the day of competition, when students present their work to engineering judges.

Mentoring is extremely rewarding experience and the students truly benefit from learning from an engineer. Can you spare a little time each month to help?

Please contact Kelly Wesolowski, kwesolowski@stemforward.org or 414-383-2834.

WOMEN IN HORTICULTURE 2012 CONFERENCE



**Inspiring Women While Cultivating
Support & Skills For Today's Workplace**

Saturday November 3, 2012

Registration 7:30 am - 8:15 am

Program 8:15 am - 4:00 pm

Mount Mary College
Bergstrom Hall (enter off of 92nd Street)
2900 N. Menomonee River Parkway
Milwaukee, Wisconsin 53222

TENTATIVE LIST OF SPEAKERS AND TOPICS INCLUDES:

Danielle Ernest, Proven Winners - *Things I've Learned Along the Way*

Pat Hayward, Executive Director of Plant Select® Colorado State Univ. - *The Art of Juggling*

Evelyn Alemanni, America in Bloom Judge - *Volunteer and Grow Your Career*

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October 26, 2012

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WOMEN IN HORTICULTURE CONFERENCE 2012 REGISTRATION FORM

(Please submit a separate registration form for each attendee)

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Best Time to Call _____

Email _____

Full Time Student (\$25.00*) *Instructor Signature* _____ Professional (\$45.00*)

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To assist in making this conference work for YOU, we need the following information (please answer all that apply)

Number of years you have been working in Horticulture _____

Field of Horticulture

Arboriculture Design Garden Center Maintenance Turf
 Educator Other, please specify _____

Education

Currently a Student Associate Degree Bachelor's in: _____
 Master's Other

Horticulture School Attended _____

What are the current challenges you are facing as a Woman working in Horticulture?

What is the best strategy (or strategies) for dealing with challenges? Can we quote you?

What would you like to walk away with from this conference?

We are planning to build a Networking List of Conference Participants using the above information.

CHECK HERE if you do not want to be included in the Network List

Your Bio in 35 words or less (please use the back or a separate sheet of paper)

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October General Meeting Brookfield Home Idea Center



Stephanie Parsley-Business Development Coordinator of Milwaukee Lead & Asbestos Information Center.....discussed the background and health effects of lead and asbestos as well as reviewed proper personal protection equipment.!

Thank you Stephanie!



This Year's Events.....Mark your Calendars!!!!!!

NAWIC CALENDAR OF EVENTS 2012- 2013

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS:

October 8, 2012	Remediation Speaker, Stephanie Parsley @ Brookfield Home & Idea Center
November 12, 2012	Junior Achievement Tour and Milwaukee Job Corps Speaker @ Junior Achievement Facility
December 10, 2012	Supportive Care Christmas Party @ Mt. Mary College
January 14, 2013	Plumbing Presentation, Alaina Cartagena @ JM Brennan
February 11, 2013	Mt. Mary Remodel Tour @ Mt. Mary College
March 4, 2013	Industry Appreciation Dinner – Location TBD
April, 2013	Joint Meeting with Madison & Chicago Chapters – Date & Location TBD
May 13, 2013	TBD
June 10, 2013	5th Annual Milwaukee Riverboat Cruise
September 9, 2013	TBD

BOARD MEETINGS (all members are welcomed to attend):

****Board meetings will be held at Bluemound Gardens - 11703 W Bluemound Rd**

October 22	
November 19 th or 26 th , 2012	
December, 2012	No Meeting - Holiday Break
January 28, 2013	
February 25, 2013	
March 25, 2013	
April 22 nd or 29 th , 2013	
May 20, 2013	
June 24, 2013	

OTHER NAWIC EVENTS/CALENDAR ITEMS:

October 12 – 13, 2012	Annual Planning Conference – Middleton, WI
February 23, 2013	Block Kids Event
February 28, 2013	Scholarship Applications DUE to NFSF
March 3 – 9, 2013	WIC Week – Industry Appreciation Dinner on March 4 th
April 26, 2013	Annual Ways & Means Fundraiser - Casino Night
May 3 – 5, 2013	Annual Forum – Black Hills, SD
July, 2013	Convention Credentials DUE
July, 2013	Chapter Leadership Form DUE
August 28 – August 31, 2013	Annual National Meeting – Bellevue

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