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President's Message



We have hit the ground running for the start of this new NAWIC year; with APC, a strong turn-out for the October membership meeting, and the MSABC Breast Cancer 5K walk already under our belts. My thanks to the members

whose participation has made this possible.

November will focus on Forum 2012. Blueprint 2000 is hosting a tour of Cascades Park on Saturday November 5th. This project is part of the Blueprint 2000 presentation we received at our March meeting, and ties into upcoming Forum plans. I highly encourage everyone to attend, and scout out this developing jewel.

And then, come share in the building

excitement with Region 3 Director Jean Cox at the Forum Committee meeting to be held at the Holiday Inn Express at the Monroe Street Conference Center restaurant at 6 p.m. on November 14th. See you there!

*Rebecca Bailey, CIT
President*



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Sat. Nov. 5, Cascades Park Tour begins at 10 a.m. in the auditorium at the FDOT building at 605 Suwanee Street, Tallahassee.

NEXT MEMBERSHIP MEETING – November 15, 2011 – Po Boy's



Tuesday, November 15 at Po Boy's Creole Café located at 1425 Village Square Blvd., Tallahassee. NAWICing begins at 5:45 p.m. dinner at 6:30 p.m. Speaker this month are attendees of Annual Planning Conference who will give reports.

MAKE RESERVATIONS through Susie Hastings at (850)205-2235 or email: NAWICTallahassee72@gmail.com by November 10th.

Reminder: Nov. 14, Forum Committee Meeting at 5:30 p.m. at Monroe Street Conference Center in Holiday Inn Express Restaurant. Our guest, Region 3 Director, Jean Cox, CBT will be there.
Nov. 15, Membership Meeting at Po Boy's.

Schedule of Events


- **Construction Book-keeping Technician (CBT) Classes** to begin January 2012.
- **Construction Industry Technician (CIT) Classes** to begin soon at ITT Technical Center. Information forthcoming.
- **May 4, 5, 6, Region 3 Forum 2012** Tallahassee "Building the Value of NAWIC Brick by Brick"

**FORUM 2012
COMMITTEE
MEETING**

See Cover for information.



November 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 NAWIC Board Meeting	2	3	4	5 Capital Cascades Park Tour at 10:00 a.m.
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 Forum 2012 Committee Meeting 6 p.m.	15 Membership Meeting	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24 Thanksgiving 	25	26
27	28	29	30			

December 2011

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7 Board Meeting	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20 Membership meeting	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31

January 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3 Board meeting	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17 Membership Meeting	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

FEBRUARY 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7 Board Meeting	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21 Membership meeting	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29			

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Ajax Building Corporation accepts ABC Award

On October 6th Tallahassee Chapter member, Rebecca Bailey, accepted an ABC (Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc.) 2011 Excellence in Construction Award as part of the Ajax Building Corporation project team for the Florida A & M University Tucker Hall and Charles Winter Wood Theater Renovation. Submitted by Rebecca Bailey, CIT, 2011-2012 President NAWIC Tallahassee Chapter 72.



Childers Construction Company, Inc. accepts ABC Award

On October 6, 2011 Childers Construction Company received the 2011 ABC (North FL Chapter) Excellence in Construction Award for the construction of the TMH Cancer Center located in Tallahassee, Florida. This new 54,412 square-foot Cancer Center, located on five acres of the existing medical campus, sited at One Healing Place, is setting the standard for cancer care and treatment in the Tallahassee area.

The Cancer Center houses state-of-the-art technology including the Novalis Tx radiosurgery system (one of only 50 in the world), giving patients a very real advantage in the fight against cancer. The Healing Garden on the facility grounds provides a place of rest, relief, solace and comfort with ambling paths, outdoor seating and soothing water features to create a natural retreat for patients, families and staff.

An important aspect of this project was the degree of local participation from area businesses and subcontractors. This was accomplished with better than 80% success, while also constructing it under the LEED certification requirements to promote a high performance green building. The project was awarded the Silver LEED Certificate upon its' completion, which made it the first healthcare facility in this area to achieve this prestigious ranking. Submitted by Immediate Past President, LiChea Bennett.



CELEBRATIONS

Members send in your celebrations to share with others. Send pictures as well with description.



Promotions



Birthdays



Achievements

Send us your celebrations!

Upcoming Events

Forum 2012 Committee Meeting
 Monday, Nov. 14, 2012, Region 3
 Director, Jean Cox, will be there.
 6:00 p.m. at Holiday Inn Express at
 Monroe Street Conference Center
 restaurant - 2725 Graves Road, Tallahassee, FL 32303

Support National Education Foundation (NEF)

NEF Chapter Fundraiser: 50-50 tickets on sale at Membership meeting. \$1 per ticket or 6 tickets for \$5.

These funds are donated by all NAWIC Chapters towards the National Education Foundation Scholarship Fund. For more information go to the NAWIC Website listed below.

Amanda Hopkins will be selling the tickets at our Membership meetings.

Birthdays:

Anniversaries:

NAWIC Anniversary:
 Susie Hastings 1990

Job Anniversary:
 Elaine Yawn 1999

Congratulations!

NAWIC Websites

Tallahassee: www.nawictallahassee.org
Region 3: www.nawicregion03.org
NAWIC National Organization: www.nawic.org
NAWIC Education Info: www.nawiceducation.org



The NAWIC Tallahassee 72 Team—Put on Your Pink Bra for Making Strides Against Breast Cancer (MSABC) had a great time at this community event held at Southwood on Oct. 23, 2011. This was our first year to do the walk and surpassed our Team Goal by raising \$675.00. Membership attendees were: Rebecca Bailey, CIT, President; Barbara Bergstrom, Vice President; Sandra Davis, CIT, CBT, Treasurer; LiChea Bennett, Immediate Past President; Elaine Yawn, Director and Amanda Hopkins, Director, and Mariah Hopkins.

There were many vendors at the event and over 6,000 people attended. The entertainment was phenomenal. Enjoy the pictures.





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