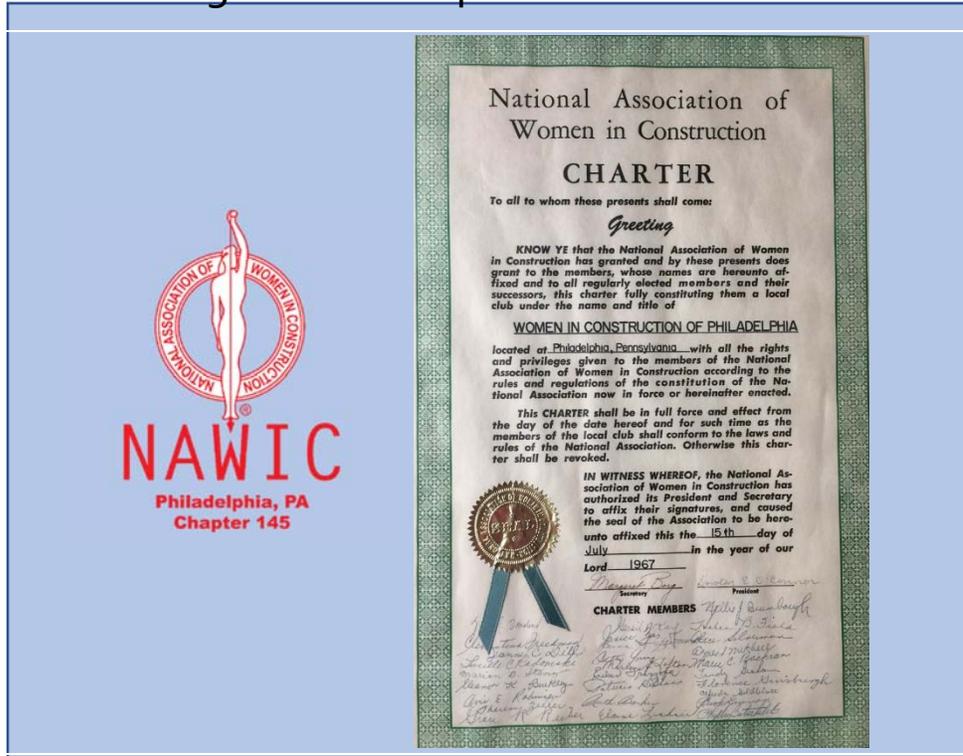


Message From Chapter Vice-President



THE HARD HAT HERALD

Dear NAWIC Members,

What an amazing year! As we get ready to round out the year, as a local chapter I am hopeful that we will continue positively progressing as we get ready to start the next term in September. The growth and participation of our membership this year has played a significant role in the successful events we have held and participated in. We thank every one of our members and encourage you to continue to get involved.

As a general recap, we have made great strides as a local chapter. Some highlights include:

- Our membership has grown!
- We had several successful and exciting events including a jobsite tour of the Bok Building
- WIC Week 2017 including a feature in the Philadelphia Sun
- and great networking opportunities through our events as well.

Don't forget about the following upcoming events

- Mentoring a Girl in Construction (MAGIC) – **BECOME A SPONSOR** at www.nawicphl.org/magic
- Philadelphia NAWIC's **50th Anniversary** and Member Appreciation Dinner
- Chapter 145 Scholarship Fundraising and Hard Hat Happy Hour at 2nd Story Brewing Company

Look forward to seeing you at the **50th Anniversary** event on May 17th. Visit www.nawicphl.org/events for more information.

Best,
 Angelina Perryman (Chapter Vice-President)

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.

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MEMBER SPOTLIGHT

Lindsay Poulin



I joined NAWIC to assist in the advancement and empowerment of women in the construction industry and to be an advocate and much needed *womenrole* model for young girls interested in pursuing a STEM related career.

Upcoming Chapter Events

WEDNESDAY JUNE 21ST
5pm

Chapter 145 2016-2017 Scholarship Fundraising and Hard Hat Happy Hour
The 2nd Story Brewing Company
117 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA

SAVE THE DATE!
WEDNESDAY JULY 19TH
5PM- JOINT JOB SITE TOUR
EVENT WITH WIA
5pm

Visit nawicphl.org/events

I currently work as a Project Manager for CRB, a national design and construction firm. I have been fortunate enough to be a part of several complex construction endeavors and have gained invaluable knowledge and experience working on construction projects in several core markets including: Higher Education, Corporate Office, Advanced Technology and Life Sciences. I have extensive knowledge in Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED®), sustainability, and cost effective building practices. I've managed the cost controls for several high-profile S&P 500 companies in Colorado, Nevada, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania.

My peers describe me as a highly motivated, ambitious and enthusiastic individual who leads with purpose. Detail oriented, team oriented, and resourceful, I will act in the best interest of Chapter 145 and its esteemed members. As a self-starter, I have the ability to successfully execute responsibilities, withstand stresses, and face everyday challenges by utilizing tactful leadership skills. As a strong supporter and advocate for the empowerment and advancement of women in the construction industry, I can help NAWIC achieve its core purpose and fulfil the Board of Director duties. I would love the opportunity to become an asset for the NAWIC Philadelphia Chapter, and help aid in its continued success.

People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. - Maya Angelou

UPCOMING NAWIC REGIONAL & NATIONAL EVENTS

NAWIC AMEC 62nd

When : August 16-19, 2017

Where : Anaheim, CA

NE Regional Fall Conference

When: Nov. 9th-11th, 2017

Where: Newport RI

Upcoming Meeting Schedule

WEDNESDAY JUNE 21ST

Chapter 145 2017-2017 Scholarship Fundraising and Hard Hat Happy Hour

The 2nd Story Brewing Company
117 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, PA

NAWIC Philadelphia, PA Chapter 145 is excited to announce our annual Eleanor K. Buckley Memorial Scholarship Fundraising Event and Hard Hat Happy Hour. Every year, our Chapter 145 awards scholarships to young women who are pursuing their studies in construction at a university or trade school through NFSF. We are proud to announce that the 2016-2017 scholarship recipient, Olivia Birt, who attends Pennsylvania School of Technology. We hope for all of you to join us and participate in this event for networking and help support our scholarship fundraising. We will be selling raffle tickets at the door and through our web site. Also, we will be announcing the 2016-2017 election results for the incoming chapter 145 board and officers.

Visit www.nawicphl.org/events

MEMBERSHIP

A big thank you and congratulations to NAWIC Chapter 145 and its members! Let's please welcome our new members:

Ellen Neylan

Kathryn Pettit

Please help us maintain this positive growth in our Chapter by attending events and recruiting other hard-working ladies for our organization!

The New School of Bok



April 19th, 2017 Job site Tour Event at BOK Building, South Philadelphia, PA

The women of our chapter took a guided tour through the corridors and classrooms, in what was once known as the Edward J Bok Technical School in South Philadelphia.

A historic vocational school closed by the School District of Philadelphia in 2013, Scout, an urban design firm, is working to lovingly restore the building into a new, richly layered and constantly evolving center for creatives, small-businesses, non-profits, small-batch manufacturers and beyond. The project takes stock of the existing infrastructure (wood shops, culinary training kitchens, science labs and classrooms) to enable activity and affordability to create a revived place of making, training, learning and job creation in South Philly.

First, let me just say that the introduction to what or whom Scout is made up was very lack luster because this project is truly amazing. From Scout's 'About Us' page:

Scout is a collective of young, enthusiastic urban designers and strategy makers who like to think about design at a city scale. With a diverse mix of expertise - from design and planning to project management and community engagement - we bring a thoughtful pragmatism to our work, ensuring successful project delivery. We are excited by projects of a public nature and explore this dynamic in every project we do be it an installation or a business feasibility study. Scout has a keen interest in activating and animating vacant or underutilized spaces in inclusive, resourceful and playful ways.

I wouldn't argue with this very concise paragraph of what Scout is and what they do. Have been to the Bok building once before, I had an idea of what the building was but had no idea of the impact Scout had on this neighborhood which they too humbly described on their 'About Us' page. Scout has and will change an entire community starting with their repurposed Bok building.

The New School of Bok



Gathered in the Scout offices we all were introduced to Lindsey Scannapieco, founder of Scout and our tour guide for the evening. Energetic and poised, she introduces us briefly to some of the Scout team and move us along to the next corridor.

We moved from room to room in awe of how the building hasn't changed but has been repurposed. Moving like we were gathering clues, the ladies of NAWIC prowled levels of the Bok building viewing all the varying shops, showrooms and maker spaces. Tattoo parlor, salon, wood makers, fashion designers, instrument repair, bespoke wedding planning just to name a few of the small businesses who occupy and have transformed the classrooms into amazing spaces.

Just when we thought the tour couldn't get better, Lindsey piles us into the freight elevator for one more surprise. On the 9th floor, the elevator doors open as if we were on a ride at Disney World. As we inch out of the elevator, not knowing what to expect next, we turn left to a magnificent view of Center City.

The view was breathtaking, looking directly at Philadelphia's skyline. It stretched from the Navy Yard to the Schuylkill River. This rooftop, serves a community bar called BOK BAR. Lindsay generously gave us all one free drink ticket and encouraged us all to come back for the summer season. The bar idea was a way for Scout to fund the building while working on its progression. A must go destination for happy hour this summer.

We ended the tour with our Hard Hat Happy Hour at Stateside in South Philly. We enjoyed conversation about the Bok building and projects we're are working on. I'm excited to see the progress of the Bok Building and its impact on the surrounding community.

Special thanks to Lindsey and the entire Scout team for welcoming us and sharing the wonders of Bok.

By: Angelique Hunter

Please be sure to visit our Member Directory in the Members section of our website! Get involved with your fellow Chapter members and committees!

NAWIC Scholarship Awarded



A big thank you to everyone who helped to support Chapter 145's Scholarship Fund!

The Awards Committee of the NAWIC Founders' Scholarship Foundation (NFSF) met recently to select award recipients for the year 2016-2017.

CONGRATULATIONS to Olivia Birt who attends the Pennsylvania School of Technology. Olivia was chosen to receive the Eleanor K Buckley Memorial Scholarship from the NAWIC Philadelphia, PA Chapter #145.

Please visit <http://www.nawicphl.org/scholarship> to donate.

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May 2017

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| 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 |
| 28 | 29 Memorial Day | 30 | 31 Conference meeting - MAGIC committee meeting at 4pm Mail next year officers Slate for vote | 1 | 2 | 3 |