



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.

## Message From Philadelphia Chapter 145 Vice President

### THE HARD HAT HERALD

Dear Members,

This is going to be an amazing year! NAWIC Philadelphia Chapter is growing and the sky is the limit. It was great to see everyone at our sold out 2015-2016 Installation Dinner with guest speaker Emily Bittenbender. We hope to see you at our other upcoming events throughout the year! The next few month's events are sure to be truly exciting, they include:

- MAGIC (Mentoring a Girl in Construction) Roundtable Discussion
- Philadelphia Museum of Art Tour and Happy Hour

What we do is important to those around us. Just for a moment imagine what it would be like if we were unable to have opportunities like MAGIC camp from these young women, network with other industry professionals, and attend local jobsite tours. The success of our organization and its destiny cannot be made without each of you. Consider how getting involved in NAWIC Philadelphia Chapter can become connected to your personal legacy. So, how can you get involved?

- Visit our website to learn more information about the Philadelphia Chapter
- Attend our upcoming events
- Visit [www.nawicphl.org/events\[nawicphl.org\]](http://www.nawicphl.org/events[nawicphl.org]) for more information
- Reach out to our Board of Directors for opportunities to get involved
- Join a committee
- Become a member today!

We look forward to seeing you at our next event!

Sincerely,

Angelina Perryman, NAWIC Philadelphia PA Chapter 145 Vice President 2015-2016.

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# Upcoming Events

## MAGIC ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION

Join us for a roundtable discussion about MAGIC Camp:

- Learn about the program.
- Be part of the brainstorming process for the 2016 camp.
- Discover what it takes to put the program on.
- Find out how you can get involved!

NOV. 18, 2015, 5:30 PM

## PHILADELPHIA MUSEUM OF ART TOUR AND NETWORKING EVENT

Please join us for a guided tour of the Philadelphia Museum of Art, one of the largest art museums in the US!

After, please join us for a beverage and appetizers at Jack's Firehouse, where you will be able to meet other NAWIC members and network.

DEC. 2, 2015, 5:00 PM

## MEMBER SPOTLIGHT Jaime McGeehan TORCON



*[NAWIC] has allowed me to network with women from other companies...*

Jaime McGeehan, is a Project Engineer for Torcon, Inc., a construction management/general contracting company. She is currently working on the St. Christopher's Hospital for Children, Critical Care Tower project. Her role includes managing submittals, RFIs and coordination between Torcon, the architect/engineer, and subcontractors. Mrs. McGeehan received her Bachelor's Degree in Construction Management from Drexel University in Philadelphia, PA.

When asked how she became involved with NAWIC, Jaime had the following response,

"I got involved in NAWIC through Amy Novak in our office. Something I've enjoyed about getting involved with NAWIC was the events. It has allowed me to network with women from other companies, whether that is a vendor, subcontractor, or another general contractor."



In the spirit of the holidays, we will also be collecting donations for Women Against Abuse Philadelphia at the Philadelphia Museum of Art/Networking Event on December 2! All Contributions to this great cause are always appreciated.

## NEW MEMBERS

## Anne Liberto, GBCA



## Angela Louro, GBCA



## Up Coming Meeting Schedule

## NOV. 2015 MEETING

Nov. 18, 2015 at 5:30 PM – MAGIC Roundtable Discussion

For more about this meeting, please visit: <http://nawicphl.org/event-2061929>

## DEC. 2015 MEETING

Dec. 2, 2015 at 5:00PM - Philadelphia Museum of Art Tour & Networking Event

For more about this Meeting, please visit: <http://nawicphl.org/event-2046134>

## JAN. 2016 MEETING

Stay tuned for more details to come on our January meeting.

## UPCOMING INDUSTRY EVENTS

For more information about upcoming industry events in the Philadelphia area, please visit our page: <http://nawicphl.org/industry-events>

## UPCOMING NAWIC NATIONAL EVENTS

## Northeast Regional Spring Forum

- When : Fri. 5/20/16 – Sat. 5/21/16
- Location: Mystic, CT

## NAWIC AMEC (Annual Meeting Educational Conference)

- When : Fri. 5/20/16 – Sat. 5/21/16
- Location: San Antonio, TX

## October Meeting Recap

Following the FMC Tower Site Tour, NAWIC Chapter 145 held their General Membership Meeting including some of the following items:

- The chapter website now includes the following categories: President's Message, Industry Events, Employment Opportunities, NAWIC Sister Chapter Newsletters.
- GBCA has now enrolled a corporate membership with the chapter.
- We are now looking for a chapter PD & E Chairperson.
- A preliminary MAGIC meeting has been held. The committee includes: Fern Gookin, Ashley Poglese and Maura Hesdon.
- Sherri Nacci has volunteered to be the chapter WIC Week Chairperson.

## Unfinished Business:

- Chapter Insurance: Wells Fargo has not provided current policy. Ellen Neylan offered help.
- Nov. Newsletter: Under Construction
- Mid-Atlantic Steel Fabricator Association would like to have a joint event
- IRS form: Needs to be filed
- Annual Budget: Distributed for review and comment for approval at November Meeting.
- Chapter By-laws and Standing rules (allow 45 days to review): Jennifer Horn to assist with this.
- 7. WIC week: 1st Week of March, 2016

FMC TOUR PHOTOS



# Chapter 145 Would Like to Thank Its Generous Sponsors:

## NAWIC CHAPTER 145 FISHING TRIP

COMPANIES:



Mayfield Construction

INDIVIDUALS:

Piljo Yae

## NE REGIONAL FALL CONFERENCE



## CHAPTER 145 INSTALLATION DINNER

Piljo Yae

## CHAPTER 145

Denise Quigg

## 2015 AMEC CONFERENCE



# November 2015

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<b>1-Congrats!</b>  Jaime McGeehan – Member since 2013 Denise Canuso – member since 2012	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	<b>18-Round Table</b> - Joint meeting for 2016 MAGIC- GBCA, Youth Build, PGW, Workshop School, Chicago Chapter REP, Baltimore Chapter REP, Exelon/PECO/BGE - General Member Meeting/Board Meeting	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	<b>Happy Thanksgiving to you and your families!</b>	27	28
29	30					