



PRESIDENT'S Message

Hello NAWIC Sisters!

We had an exciting time at Block Kids! We had an incredible turnout at the recent Block Kids event, with 50 students and a fantastic group of volunteers!

Special thanks to Christi, Joani, and KaityInn, who did an outstanding job coordinating the event. Their behind-the-scenes efforts were crucial in ensuring everything ran smoothly.

One of the standout creations came from our first-place winner, who built an amazing drawbridge! The design featured a foil base representing water, with Legos acting as structural supports on both sides. The bridge, made from foil, could even move up and down, mimicking the real-world mechanism of a drawbridge. The car placed on top was ready to cross, and the attention to detail was remarkable. The white construction paper symbolizing sand and dirt grounded the entire design. Truly impressive!

Here we are in February so Get Ready for SINGO! Our Membership Committee is gearing up for a fun-filled Membership Drive featuring SINGO! Start thinking about who you'll invite to join in on the excitement. It's going to be a blast!

Don't forget March is right around the corner and we have WIC Week and Scholarship Fundraiser!

We are very excited to celebrate WIC Week from March 2nd through March 8th. Be sure to mark your calendars for our Scholarship Fundraiser, featuring a Casino and Corn Hole event, on Friday of WIC Week. You won't want to miss it!

It's shaping up to be an exciting few months, and I look forward to seeing everyone soon as we dive into a busy schedule of events and activities.

Dana Cookson,
NAWIC Tulsa Chapter 76 President



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NEXT MEETING:

3rd Tuesday of the Month
Membership Mixer
6:00 PM

LOCATION:

The Bros. Houligan
4848 S Yale
Tulsa, OK 74135

RSVP email by EOB 12/13/2024

julianna@colburnelect.com

*(This event may postpone to 2/24
due to weather)*

UPCOMING EVENTS

FEBRUARY	Membership Drive— 2/18 SINGO 6:00 pm Bros. Houligan (This event may postpone to the 24th for weather)
MARCH	BOD Meeting—03/04 6:00 pm TBD WIC Week 03/02-03/08: events info will be coming out soon, look for the save the date in the newsletter! Scholarship Fundraiser—03/07 11:00am —3:30pm DOs & DONuts—03/13 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Meeting— DEI & PDE 03/18
APRIL	BOD Meeting—04/01 6:00 pm TBD DEI Dinner— 4/03 6:00 :30pm TiAmo's DOs & DONuts—04/10 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Meeting—04/15 6:00 pm Industry Appreciation Tulsa Country Club
MAY	BOD Meeting—05/06 6:00 pm TBD DOs & DONuts—05/08 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Fundraising Event—TBD
JUNE	BOD Meeting—06/03 6:00 pm TBD DOs & DONuts—06/12 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Meeting—06/17 6:00 pm: Board of Directors Voting
JULY	BOD Meeting—TBD DOs & DONuts—07/10 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Summer Social—TBD
AUGUST	BOD Meeting—08/05 6:00 pm TBD DOs & DONuts—08/14 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Lunch & Learn—TBD
SEPTEMBER	BOD Meeting—09/02 6:00 pm TBD DOs & DONuts—09/11 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Meeting BOD Installation—09/16 6:00 pm TBD
October New Leadership	BOD Meeting—10/07 6:00 pm TBD DOs & DONuts—10/09 7-8:00 am AGCOK Tulsa Office Membership Meeting —10/21 6:00 pm TBD



Wake Up with a New Kind of Training

NAWIC and AGC Presents:

FREE Professional Development & Education Breakfast Series

Open to Everyone!

Non-Members/Members and Men/Women

Visit NAWIC's website for monthly topics and event details
www.nawictulsa.org/upcomingevents

2nd Thursday of Every Month
7 am to 8 am

AGC - Tulsa Office
12121 East 51st Street, Suite 102
Tulsa, OK 74146





UPCOMING WEBINARS: www.nawic.org/webinars

WIC Week Monthly Mtg. 02/04 10-11 AM CST

Powerless to Empowered:

Discover Your Voice with Cultural Intelligence PDE 02/13 12—1 PM CST

Celebrating Progress & Planning for Future Success Webinar 2/25 12-1 PM CST

Effective Practices for Growth, Belonging and Success 2/27 12-1 PM CST

NAWIC Brand Standards 2/27 2-3 PM CST

2024-25 Nat. BOD Meeting 3/20 4-5 PM CST

Biophilic and Regenerative Design 4/22 4-5 PM CST

2024-25 Nat. BOD Meeting 4/24 4-5 PM CST

2024-25 Nat. BOD Meeting 5/25 4-5 PM CST

2024-25 Nat. BOD Meeting 6/26 4-5 PM CST

2024-25 Nat. BOD Meeting 7/24 4-5 PM CST

National has stepped up and provided NAWIC members with some outstanding webinars throughout the upcoming year with the focus in two areas:

**Professional Development
& Education (PD&E)
& Membership**

The webinars should be available on the national website to view at your convenience if you can't attend the initial airing. The webinars are also listed in the Calendar of Events.

Celebrating Our NAWIC Sisters!

Happy Birthday

02/06 Lauren Colwell

Welcome New Members

Congratulations On Your Anniversary

02/94 Lisa Haney
02/20 Nicole Ferguson
02/24 Teresa Tosh

**SHOUT
Out!**

JOANI KELLY

DESERVES RECOGNITION FOR:

In Joani's role as a mentor, she got to know her mentee's career ambitions. Joani reached out to a NAWIC sister to share her knowledge, experience, connections, and guidance to take Joani's mentee to the next level.



Preparing Jobsites for Winter Weather

Stay Aware of Weather Forecasts



Pay attention to changing weather forecasts. Make sure to reference the planned site activities with the weather so that tasks can be shuffled to keep the project on track and workers safe

Limit Exposure to the Elements



Time spent out in frigid temperatures can cause conditions like frostbite and hypothermia. Make sure there will be a way for employees to limit this exposure.

Review the Jobsite



Make sure to check that pipes will not burst due to cold temps. Ensure that all pipes under job trailers are insulated and that there is a plan for providing water to employees in case the pipes freeze. It is also important to make sure there is a call tree in place or a way to contact everyone if the jobsite will be shut down due to weather.

Remove Snow and Ice



Parking lots, travel paths, and sidewalks should be treated or cleared to prevent slips and falls. Look back on the January newsletter to see some in-depth information on slip and fall prevention in winter weather.



Please remember our NAWIC Endowed Scholarship at OSU

whenever you're in a giving mood. The full name of our scholarship is the

NAWIC Tulsa Chapter 76 Endowed Scholarship In Honor of Gene Harris Fund.

On your checks or online donations,
please note the fund number: 26-75750

On-line donations: <https://osugiving.com/>
please see the "Give" tab at the top right.

Mailing Address:
OSU Foundation
400 S. Monroe, Stillwater, OK 74074

Your Scholarship Committee thanks you!!

NAWIC TULSA CHAPTER 76
General Membership Meeting – January 21st, 2025

The General Membership of NAWIC Tulsa Chapter 76 met January 21st at the AGC Offices in Tulsa. The meeting was called to order by President Dana Cookson at 6:28 p.m. Members present were:

Abigail Sullivan	Marla Carter	Chrissie Humphrey	Jennifer Cearley
Dana Cookson	Julianna Guglielmo	Kristi Ostler	Christi Farr
Kaitlynn Henson	Cindy Nelson	Faith Schraeder	Karley Potter
Joani Kelly	Jaylee Klempa	Paula Fennell	Kitzie Vander Kooi & Blue
Bailey Martin	Paullei Tanner	Paula Esposito	

REGULAR ORDER OF BUSINESS:

A Quorum was established.

There was not a flag present so the Pledge of Allegiance was not recited, but the NAWIC Pledge was recited. Dana Cookson acknowledged board members present. She also asked all members to introduce themselves to the newer members.

REPORTS FROM OFFICERS:

President – Dana Cookson thank the group for their support as she has been navigating personal loss.

Vice President – Paula Fennell - No report.

President Elect – Marla Carter - No report.

Recording Secretary – Kristi Ostler – No report.

Correspondence Secretary – Kaitlynn Henson – No report.

Treasurer – Julianna Guglielmo – No report.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Finance/Budget – Julianna Guglielmo - No report.

Membership – Paula Fennell – No report.

Block Kids – Christi Wyatt – Block kids is Thursday. Please arrive at 7:30 AM if possible. All volunteer slots are filled at this time. Should inclement weather occur, the event will be rescheduled for February 6th.

Professional Development & Education (PDE) – Marla Carter – The committee has met, and program topics have been generated for future meetings. There could be evening PD&E events, as well as lunchtime events. The committee meets again soon to finalize details for publishing. The event promotions will be put into a sharable format on all social media so that all members can share.

Diversity, Equality & Inclusion (DEI) - Sarah Hopper – No report.

Marketing – Kristi Ostler – No report.

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Social – Jennifer Cearley – No report.

Ways and Means – Paula Fennell – No report.

WIC Week – Marla Carter – The committee has been meeting and is working out details for the various events. Included will be a Habitat for Humanity clean up day, and fundraising event. Details will be released once the information has been finalized.

Safety – Bailey Martin – Presented for the PD&E topic of PPE.

Strategic Planning – Dana Cookson/Hannah Humphrey - No report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

Joani Kelly has received the Chapter's financial books from last year from Julianna. Joani and Debbie Martin will complete the audit of the books, and a report will be sent to the chapter upon completion.

NEW BUSINESS:

Paullei Tanner noted that in previous years, NAWIC has volunteered at the AGC Education Foundation's Golf Tournament. The event will be April 29th from 9-4. Paullei asked if there was interest in volunteering again this year. The event needs raffle prizes as well as volunteers. Several women were interested, and all agreed that Paullei should check into signing us up to help.

Kristi Ostler spoke briefly about the Tulsa Technology Center's upcoming summit, attracting high school girls to skilled trades. NAWIC will provide promotional items for the event, and others have been asked to provide donations of door prizes, time, promo items, and money. Details will be shared as they become available. The event will be on 2/11.

SPECIAL PRESENTATION – Kaitlynn Henson presented the red rose to Jennifer Cearley for her involvement in all facets of NAWIC. She is fairly new to the organization but is always willing to jump in and help.

PROGRAM – PD&E teamed with the Safety Committee to present: Women in Construction & Personal Protective Equipment. Bailey Martin provided a presentation on the hazards of wearing non-fitting PPE, as well as OSHA requirements for PPE & who provides the items. In addition, she provided resources for obtaining PPE designed specifically for women.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Next month's meeting will be on 2/18 and will feature SINGO—a form of musical bingo. It is a membership drive, so be prepared to bring friends.

ADJOURNMENT: There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned by Dana Cookson at 7:24 pm.

NOTES TO THE PRESIDENT

We Value Your Feedback!

We've set up a QR code for you to easily share any comments, questions, concerns, or compliments. If you have suggestions on how we can address a concern or improve something, we'd love to hear from you. Likewise, if there are any ideas or features, you'd like to see, please let us know!

If you'd like your comment to not be anonymous, please feel free to include your name. Additionally, I'll have a box available at each meeting where you can leave messages as well.

We are committed to providing transparent communication, and each newsletter will feature updates on any concerns, questions, or compliments we've received, along with responses when appropriate.

Thank you for helping us improve!

NOTES from January:

Comment 1:



SCHOLARSHIP FUNDRAISER



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Royal



Flush

- * 2-Player Teams
- * \$200 per Team,
2 meals per Team

- * Single Player Registration
- * \$100 per Player,
\$1000 in chips & 1 meal

1st, 2nd, and 3rd place prizes to be presented

Blackjack Tables • Craps Tables • Roulette Table

March 7th, 2025



Tulsa, OK

Registration @ 11am

Lunch @ 11:30am

Games Begin @ 12pm

📍 Mike Fretz Event Center

11545 E. 43RD ST. TULSA, OK 74146

**PLATINUM/GOLD/SILVER/BRONZE
SPONSORSHIPS GLADLY ACCEPTED**

SEE REGISTRATION FORM FOR ALL INFORMATION OR EMAIL PFENNELL@CRAFTSMENRESOURCES.COM

NAWIC TULSA Scholarship Fundraiser Cornhole & Casino Event

Friday, March 7, 2025 Sign in @ 11am

REGISTRATION FORM

Company:		Main Phone:	
Contact:		Cell Phone:	
Address:		Email:	
City, State, Zip		Email Completed Registration Form to: pfennell@craftsmenresources.com	

REGISTRATION OPTION		If more than four (4) Attendees, complete additional form.		ATTENDEE NAME
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$200 - Cornhole Team of Two + meals	\$		1
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$100 - Cornhole Single Player + meal	\$		Email:
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$100 - 1 Ticket for \$1000 Chips + meal	\$		2
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$75 - Networking Only + meal	\$		Email:
<input type="checkbox"/>	\$50 - \$1000 Chips (add-on purchase only)	\$		3
				Email:
SPONSORSHIPS				
<input type="checkbox"/>	Platinum Sponsor \$3000 (next page for info)	\$		4
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gold Sponsor \$1500 (next page for info)	\$		Email:
<input type="checkbox"/>	Silver Sponsor \$1000 (next page for info)	\$		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Bronze Sponsor \$500 (next page for info)	\$		
Prize Baskets & Silent Auction Donations welcome!				
TOTAL: \$				Total Cornhole Players: _____
				Total Casino and Single Players: _____
				Total Networking ONLY Attendees: _____

NOTE: Lunch Buffet, Tea & water are included with Registration. We will have an open bar, however alcoholic beverages are on the individual.

*Contact Paula Fennell to coordinate delivery of Swag and Prize Items 918.271.1210 pfennell@craftsmenresources.com

Three (3) Payment Options:

Make Checks Payable to
NAWIC TULSA #76
PO Box 1558
Owasso OK 74055

Pay with Credit Card

Check Enclosed:	<input type="checkbox"/>	Check #		Check Amt	
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		Discover	<input type="checkbox"/>	American Express	<input type="checkbox"/>
Credit Card Name:					
CC Number:					
Expiration Date:		Security Code:			
Billing Address:					
City, State, Zip:					
Signature:					

Sign Up and Pay with QR Code
(Fee Charged by CheddarUp)



CANCELLATION POLICY:

1. If the event is canceled entire entry fee will be considered a donation. No refunds will be issued.
2. If player cancels, 72-hour notice is required to receive 50% of entry fee
3. If player is a "no-show", entry fee is non-refundable.

SPONSORSHIPS

PLATINUM SPONSOR—\$3000

- Six Casino Tickets (worth \$6000 play chips)
- Three 2-person teams for cornhole (or 6 single players)
- Six meals included
- Advertising—premier spot(s) on event media, website recognition and posts on social media (we request your logo)

GOLD SPONSOR—\$1500

- Four Casino Tickets (worth \$4000 play chips)
- Two 2-person teams for cornhole (or 4 single players)
- Four meals included
- Advertising—spot on event media, website recognition and posts on social media (we request your logo)

SILVER SPONSOR—\$1000

- Two Casino Tickets (worth \$2000 play chips)
- One 2-person teams for cornhole (or 2 single players)
- Two meals included
- Advertising—spot on event media, website recognition and posts on social media (we request your logo)

BRONZE SPONSOR—\$500

- Advertising—spot on event media, website recognition and posts on social media (we request your logo)

DONATIONS:

We are in need of Silent Auction Items, along with Raffle and Prize Basket Donations.

Contact Paula Fennell pfennell@craftsmenresources.com



Tulsa, OK

WIC WEEK 2025

Tulsa Chapter 76

March 2, 2025

Park Clean Up

March 3, 2025

Western Supply Jobsite Tour

Presented by: Crossland Construction Company

March 4, 2025

Mardi Gras Happy Hour

March 5, 2025

Habitat for Humanity Jobsite Clean up

Women's Lunch Panel with Women in Transportation

March 6, 2025

Tulsa Tunnel Tours

March 7, 2025

Cornhole & Poker Tournament Scholarship Fundraiser

March 8, 2025

Doormat Workshop

\$40 Registration Fee

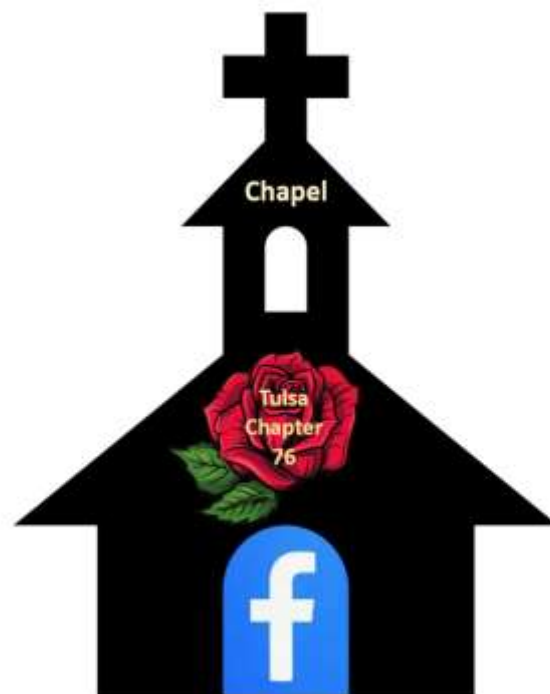
WATCH OUR SOCIAL MEDIA
FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please know we have a prayer chapel on Facebook.

It's a private group and you may post your own prayer requests at any time or if you'd rather, please e-mail me and I'll post them for you.

This is open to all members but is strictly optional. We would ask that you read the pinned post at the top of the page.

If you'd like to join the chapel, simply request to be added. If you have any issues with that, please contact me:
jklempa@pmgtulsa.com



Thanks, Jaylee Klempa
NAWIC Membership Support

We have an email for all questions:

Email: TulsaNAWIC76info@gmail.com

Check out our website on the go!

Find us at: nawictulsa.org

We have links to the national website along with current calendar events for our chapter and each newsletter at your fingertips!

FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA:





NAWIC Meetings/ Dinners/Events Policies

A reminder of our Tulsa chapter policies concerning all of dinners and events. Please RSVP by the deadlines. We need confirmed counts for our restaurants ahead of time. If you are bringing guest(s), please supply their name and company.

All guests are paid for by the chapter the first time they visit, as well as new members—your first meeting is on us! After that, meetings/events will be charged unless otherwise indicated.

Members shall RSVP to attend the monthly meeting the Friday prior to the meeting (unless otherwise communicated) and will be billed for said meeting. Even if you cancel at the last minute, we need you to pay.

Our BOD has decided we need to be more vigilant. We run the risk of losing money as a chapter without this policy and we can't afford that.

We very much appreciate your understanding and your cooperation!

Julianna Guglielmo, Tulsa Chapter Treasurer julianna@colburnelect.com

February Membership Meeting is a SINGO Membership Mixer. All first-time guests of NAWIC are free, WTSI & AGCOK members sign up with the QRCode at \$35 each.

This event may postpone to 2/24 due to weather

Do you have something to report?

Exciting News / Your Committee / Awards

Please forward info to Jaylee Klempa by EOB 1st Friday of the month to get it in the Newsletter. jklempa@pmgtulsa.com

NAWIC Tulsa Committee Info

We've got something exciting coming up! On February 18, 2025, join us for a fun-filled Singo-Bingo event at Bros Houligan's at 4848 S Yale Ave., Tulsa, OK 74135. You won't want to miss it, it is going to be a blast! Come out, enjoy the fun, and try your luck at winning prizes while "bingo-ing" to your favorite songs. **EVENT MAY POSTPONE TO 2/24 FOR WEATHER**

And don't forget about our Cornhole Casino Fundraiser on March 7, 2025! Get signed up bring all your co-workers and come out for an exciting time. You can try your luck at your favorite casino games like Blackjack, Craps, and Roulette, or even enjoy a game of Cornhole for a chance to win amazing prizes!

Have a fantastic rest of the month, and we hope to see you at both events! See the Scholarship Fundraiser Registration for more info!

Email Paula Fennell, Chair, with questions:

pfennell@craftsmenresources.com



NAWIC Tulsa Chapter 76 hosted Block Kids this year at Lewis & Clark Elementary School in Tulsa. I'm honored to be the chair of this amazing team. We got to promote the construction industry with 5th graders. We had several judges both mem-

bers of NAWIC and some non-members. The winner is moving on to the Regional Competition. All the volunteers were wonderful and the school was a great host!

Christi Farr, Block Kids Chair



Through the Marketing Committee we had several chapter members present and be a part of the Tulsa Tech Empowering Careers for You for studies for women.

Rose Recipient NAWIC Tulsa

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION

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.



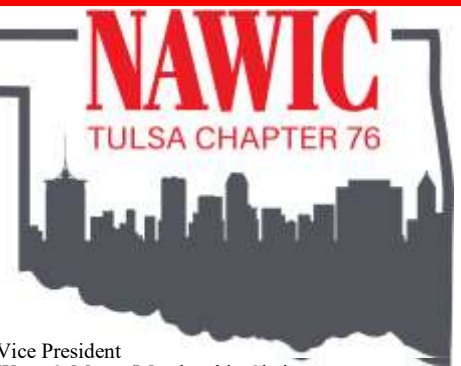
Kaitlynn Henson bestowed the Rose to Jennifer Cearly.

I'm Jenn, I am currently the VP of Finance and HR for Murray Womble. I have been with the company for 10 years. While this is my first official position in a construction company, I am no stranger to construction. I grew up in a household of construction workers, I even worked with my dad laying tile when I was younger.

I grew up in Northern Illinois and moved to Oklahoma when I was 23. I met my husband here 12 years ago and we have been happily married for 10. We spend our free time travelling, usually to visit family, but also

to explore with our 2-year-old Golden retriever Elora!

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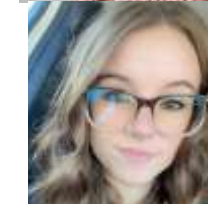
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