

The Builder News

The Official Publication Of The Wolf River Builders Association

Calendar of Events

April 2022

Apr. 6 - Chamber of Commerce 'Coffee Connections,' 8 a.m., Angie's Main Cafe, 130 S. Main St., Shawano. RSVP 715-524-2139

Apr. 10 - WRBA Cash Raffle Drawing, Facebook Live, noon

<https://www.facebook.com/WolfRiverBuildersAssociation>

Apr. 12 - CPR Training, 5:30-7:30 p.m., Shawano Community High School. Register online:

<https://forms.gle/HfR53wtHVQGDcTK28>

Apr. 26 - WRBA Board of Directors Meeting, Launching Pad, 5:45 p.m., Shawano

May 4 - Chamber of Commerce 'Coffee Connections,' 8 a.m., Angie's Main Cafe, 130 S. Main St., Shawano. RSVP 715-524-2139

May 17 - WRBA Sporting Clays Outing - J&H Game Farm, Shiocton. Registration form is inside, or register www.wolfriverbuilders.org

May 24 - WRBA Board of Directors Meeting, Launching Pad, 5:45 p.m., Shawano

Mission Statement

The Wolf River Builders Association's purpose is to serve as an advocate and resource for area building industry professionals, while supporting a commitment to our community through leadership and education.



Wolf River Builders Association

Professionals You Can Trust!

April CPR Training Event

When: Tuesday, April 12th

Where: **Shawano Community High School - room 1116**

220 County Road B, Shawano

5:30-7:30 p.m.

PLEASE RSVP

By Friday, April 8
ONLINE at

<https://forms.gle/HfR53wtHVQGDcTK28>

phone call @ 715-853-2310 or visit

www.wolfriverbuilders.org/register

The cost is \$75 per person for certification/\$30 for no certification.

If you plan to receive certification, an online training series **MUST** be completed on your own prior to attending on April 12 with proof of completion brought to the training (printed certificate or screenshot).

Pizza and soda will be provided. Please plan to wear comfortable clothing.

Check out the Member Benefits through NAHB –

<http://www.nahb.org/savings>



Scholarship Cash Raffle

1st prize: \$2,500

2nd: \$1,000 3rd: \$500

Ten \$100 winners

**Tickets are \$20 each,
only 500 tickets sold!**

Tickets: AbbyBank-Shawano, CoVantage Credit Union, or any WRBA member

Proceeds benefit local high school student building trades scholarships

Drawing will be held Sunday, April 10, 2022 at NOON on our Facebook page

Wolf River Builders Association - P.O. Box 595 - Shawano, WI 54166

www.wolfriverbuilders.org

RAFFLE LICENSE NUMBER: R0027713-A-94323

Scholarship Cash Raffle April 10

We still have a few tickets left for the 2022 Cash Raffle, with the drawing on Facebook Live on Sunday, April 10 at noon.

Tickets are available for \$20 each, with only 500 tickets sold. First prize is \$2,500 cash, second place \$1000, third place \$500, along with 10 additional prizes of \$100 cash.

Tickets are available at AbbyBank in Shawano and CoVantage Credit Union's main branch in Shawano. If you are interested in having tickets at your place of business, please contact us at wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com.

CPR Training Class Apr. 12 at SCHS

WRBA is hosting a CPR class with instructor Kris Johnson on Tuesday, April 12th - 5:30-7:30 p.m. at Shawano Community High School.

The cost is \$75 per person for certification/\$30 for no certification.

If you plan to receive certification, an online training series MUST be completed on your own prior to attending on April 12 with proof of completion brought to the training (printed certificate or screenshot).

The training cost can be invoiced if necessary through WRBA, otherwise please bring payment the night of - payable to WRBA. WRBA will provide pizza and drinks.

If you sign up, a reminder will be sent the week prior with any other details. Please plan to wear comfortable clothing.

The class has a maximum capacity of 20 people. Sign up online at

<https://forms.gle/HfR53wtHVQGDcTK28>

Progressive Attendance Drawing



The name drawn for the \$240 pot at the March Breakfast Meeting was The Wallrich Agency. Cap Wallrich was there to claim the prize, so the pot at the Sporting Clays event will reset to \$20.

Unfamiliar with the "Progressive" Attendance Drawing? For each General Membership Meeting, each member will have a chip with a number that corresponds to their name placed in the bucket, whether the member is in attendance or not.

If present and your name (#) is drawn, you will win the pot! If you are not present and your name is drawn, the pot will grow by \$20 for the next meeting or Hard Hat Happy Hour event. Minimum pot will always be \$20. It costs you nothing, but you could be a winner if you're there!

**Make sure you are there to win if
your name (#) is called!**

Kwik Trip Gift Cards Available

WRBA has Kwik Trip Gift Cards. Denominations currently in-stock are \$10 and \$25.

You may access our online [ORDER FORM](#), or send an e-mail to wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com

Health Insurance Plan available

Health insurance remains one of the most expensive employee benefits your business offers. During a time when you are reviewing your current health insurance renewal plans, please take this time to review all your options with superior health care provider networks that are available through our partnership with the Wisconsin Builders Association.

Take a look at cost-effective options with superior health care provider networks that are available through the partnership of the Wolf River Builders Association and the Wisconsin Builders Association (WBA). Through the buying power of WRBA and WBA, you can get large group service and prices for your business of any size. New and existing members can take advantage of this opportunity to choose coverage from WPS Health Insurance and Arise Health Plan.

You get help controlling costs and navigating a complex health care system through special pricing exclusively for members. If you are interested in reviewing the options, simply contact:

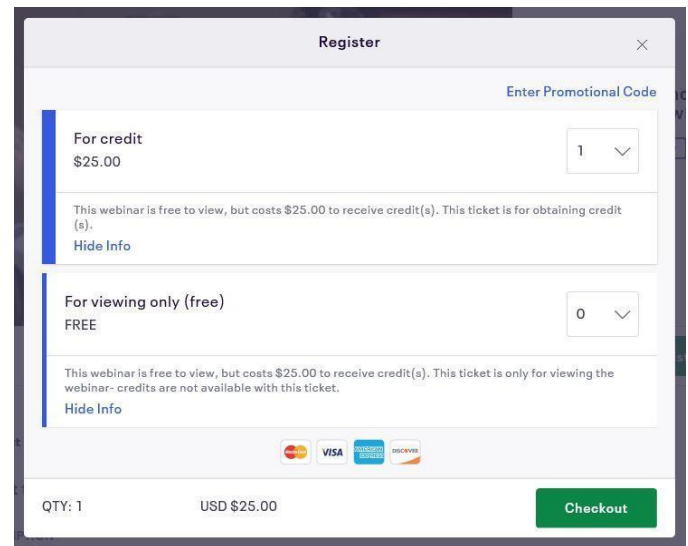
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920.419.1055

Membership is not required to receive a quote!

Free continuing education courses

Thanks to a partnership with Slipstream and the [B4 Conference](#), the Wisconsin Builders Association is offering members 12 free credits through a promo code on their website. You will need your members-only login to access the page with the code - <https://www.wisbuild.org/online-courses>

These courses are designed to fulfill Wisconsin's continuing education requirements for dwelling contractors (12 credit hours every two years), and are approved by the Wisconsin Department of Safety & Professional Services (DSPS).

The image shows a 'Register' form for a webinar. At the top, there's a field for 'Enter Promotional Code'. Below that, there are two ticket options. The first option is 'For credit \$25.00' with a quantity selector set to '1'. A note below this option states: 'This webinar is free to view, but costs \$25.00 to receive credit(s). This ticket is for obtaining credit(s)'. The second option is 'For viewing only (free) FREE' with a quantity selector set to '0'. A note below this option states: 'This webinar is free to view, but costs \$25.00 to receive credit(s). This ticket is only for viewing the webinar- credits are not available with this ticket.' At the bottom of the form, it shows 'QTY: 1' and 'USD \$25.00'. There are logos for Mastercard, Visa, American Express, and Discover. A green 'Checkout' button is in the bottom right corner.

Note: Code does not work in Internet Explorer

Instructions to Receive Free Credits:

1. Visit <https://www.wisbuild.org/online-courses>
When website launches, find promotional code and click "Take Courses" button
2. Review the available course(s) you want to take and click "Details/Register Now"
3. Read through the course details and click "Register"
4. Choose 1 ticket under the "For Credit" option and click the blue "Enter Promotional Code" link. Enter the promotional code, click "checkout," and submit information (view image below)
5. View course, pass quiz, and Slipstream will submit your information to DSPS for license renewal!



Membership News

Memberships Renewed – Welcome Back!

- The Sherwin Williams Company - John Zovnic
- Felts Construction Company, Inc - Charles Felts
- AbbyBank - Julie Chase
- Moede and Sons Inc - Curt Moede
- Shawano Community High School Building Trades - Greg Brown

Members – Renewal Due February

- Robinson Construction LLC - Ray Robinson
- Schneider & Son's Landscaping Inc. - Angela Schneider

Members – Renewal Due April

- Hawkeye Hearth & Home - Dale Hawkinson
- Tundraland Home Improvements - Hope Kosmerchok

Membership Dues — Installment Payments

You may make installment payments on your membership dues renewal - split the payment up into two or three payments, with the final payment due by your renewal date. There are no refunds if dues are not paid in full. One payment in full when due is always an option!

Help boost our membership!

Please **invite member prospects** to membership meetings! We'll pay for their meal for the first meeting to give them the opportunity to see what we are all about. We'll also give **you** a \$10 Kwik Trip Card for bringing them! Share our membership info by sharing this link: [WRBA Potential Member Letter](#)

There are many reasons to maintain your membership! We'd love to hear what you find valuable in your membership! Let us know!
Membership: Trish Kieckhafer – 715-853-9961

2022 Event/Meeting Calendar

April 12 - CPR Training - Shawano Community HS

May 17 - Sporting Clays Shoot - J&H Game Farm

June 14 - Picnic - Kuckuk Park, Shawano

JULY - NO MEETING

August 9 - Golf Outing, Golden Sands Golf Course

Sept. 13 - Officer Elections - Location TBD

Oct. 11 - Officer Installation - Location TBD

NOVEMBER - NO MEETING

Dec. 13 - Breakfast Meeting, Angie's Main Cafe

RED = OPEN TO THE PUBLIC / Spread the word!

Wolf River Builders Association 2021/2022 Board of Directors

President	Justin Buntrock Exquisite Windows & Doors N6680 Elm Road Shawano, WI 54166 Mobile: 715-851-5309
President Elect	Jess Kosnicki CoVantage Credit Union 911 E. Green Bay St. Shawano, WI 54166 Work: 715-524-8200 ext. 3238
Treasurer	Don Pedersen KerberRose, S.C. 115 E. Fifth Street Shawano, WI 54166 Work: 715-526-9400
Secretary	Bryan Nemetz Bryan Nemetz Construction W8885 Oak Avenue Shawano, WI 54166 Mobile: 715-853-7104
Past President	Darci Kotter (Mobile: 715-250-2448)
Builder Directors	John Maule – Maule Construction LLC (Work: 715-745-2256) Bill Rapaich – Top Shelf Builders Inc. (Work: 715-524-2016) Greg Brown - SCHS Trades Program (Work: 715-526-2175) Mark Flunker - Wolf River Habitat for Humanity (Mobile: 715-584-5995)
Associate Director	Trish Kieckhafer - Stone Creations of WI (Work: 715-526-8690)
State Directors	Trish Kieckhafer – Stone Creations Greg Brown – SCHS Building Trades
Executive Officer	Nathan Falk Email: wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com Website: www.wolfriverbuilders.org Ph: 715-853-2310 (no texting)



2022 WRBA Sporting Clays Outing

Tuesday, May 17 (General Membership Meeting to follow)

J & H Game Farm
W5810 J & H Road
Shiocton, WI
715-758-8134

Located 1-1/2 miles west of Navarino off Hwy 156 -
From Shawano, take County Road K (Hwy 187) south to Hwy 156,
Left on 156 to J & H Road on right. Follow to end.

Registration:	4:20 – 5:00 p.m.
Shooting:	Starts at 4:30 p.m., last group out at 5:00 p.m.
Networking:	5:45 – 6:30 p.m.
Dinner:	6:30 p.m. (Meeting to follow)

(No alcohol allowed prior to shooting)

Price to shoot – 50 targets per round – (does not include meal)

Groups of 4 to 6, we will put you with a group if needed

1st Round - \$25.00 2nd Round, if desired - \$15.00

Requirements: 50 rounds of shells & shotgun. Shells are available at J & H -
Two boxes (12 gauge or 20 gauge) - \$20.00 including tax.

Dinner: \$15/person **(As always, one meal per membership is free)**

Alcohol: Beer and soda are available at J & H (after shooting for sporting clays participants).
If you would like to bring your own beer/liquor/wine/soda, you are welcome to do so.

Please RSVP (number attending / # of rounds desired / station sponsorship) by May 13th
at www.wolfriverbuilders.org, via phone (715-853-2310) or email – wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com.

We are also looking for door prizes. Cancellations will be accepted until Monday, May 16th at 9:00 a.m.

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	GM	Save \$500 per vehicle on select vehicles for retail customers. Save \$500 - \$1,000 per vehicle on select vehicles for fleet customers. Stackable with most national retail & fleet offers. NAHB Member & household family eligible.	Chevrolet, Buick, GMC	nahb.org/gm
	NISSAN	Save between \$2,000 - \$9,500 per vehicle. Must be purchased in member's company name. NOT stackable with most national offers. Member's company eligible.	Nissan	nahb.org/nissan
	AVIS	Save up to 30% off Avis PAY NOW rates when making a reservation with Avis Worldwide Discount (AWD) number G572900.	Rental Cars	avis.com/nahb 800-331-1212 AWD #G572900
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	COMPANY	SAVINGS	PRODUCTS	INFO
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SHOPPING & ENTERTAINMENT

	COMPANY	SAVINGS	PRODUCTS	INFO
	MEMBER DEALS	Up to 50% off.	Theme Parks, Movie Tickets, Concerts, Water Parks, Gift Cards	memberdeals.com/nahb/?login=1 (877) 579-1201
	SAM'S CLUB	One-year membership for \$24.88.	Bulk Discount Retail	bit.ly/nahbsams (877) 579-1201
	HOTELPLANNER	NAHB members can save up to 65% on hotel room rates at over 800,000 properties worldwide in more than 250 countries.	Hotels	nahb.hotelplanner.com 1-800-497-2175

NAHB Members Saved
over **\$29,000,000** last year

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

	COMPANY	SAVINGS	PRODUCTS	INFO
	DELL	Up to 40% off Dell computers, servers, electronics & accessories.	Computers & Hardware	dell.com/nahb 1-800-757-8442
	HOZZ	25% Off Houzz Pro, free help with best practices, 10% trade discount on Houzz Shop purchases.	Marketing Solutions, Building Products	houzz.com/for-pros/nahb-discounts (888) 225-3051
	OFFICE DEPOT	Up to 75% off in-store or the online regular prices on their Best Value List of preferred products. Plus, free shipping over \$50.	Office Supplies	officediscounts.org/nahb 855-337-6811 x2897
	UPS SHIPPING	Flat-rate pricing, 50% discount for next day shipping, 30% for ground commercial/residential.	Business Shipping	1800members.com/nahb 1-800-MEMBERS
	YRC FREIGHT	At least 75% off Less Than Truckload (LTL) shipping over 150lbs.	Freight Shipping	1800members.com/nahb 1-800-MEMBERS
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	COMPANY	SAVINGS	PRODUCTS	INFO
	NAHB INTERNATIONAL BUILDERS' SHOW®	Up to \$200 off show registration. Up to \$2.75 per sq. ft. off exhibit space.	Trade Show	buildersshow.com
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	ONLINE EDUCATION	Up to 30% off webinars; Up to 50% off online courses.	Education	nahb.org/education

Discounts are of 3/1/2022 & subject to change at any time. Visit nahb.org/savings for latest deals & limited time offers.

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We thank you for your continued support and participation!

JOIN US... Meet Your Area Builders & Building Professionals
to Learn About Networking Opportunities and the Way
We Help Each Other and Our Communities!



Our next membership meeting will be held May 17, 2022 —
send us a message for location & time.

WRBA is always looking for new members to expand our team
of professionals! Come mingle & your meal is on us!



Wolf River Habitat for Humanity **NEW DONATIONS RECEIVED WEEKLY!**
Open Thursdays 9-4,
Friday 9-4 & Saturday 9-1

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