

The **Builder News**

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Calendar of Events

June 2021

June 2 - Shawano Country Chamber of Commerce 'Coffee Connections Online,' 8-9 a.m. E-mail chamber@shawanocountry.com to register. Registration is required to receive the Zoom link to attend.

June 4-5 - Sun Drop Dayz, East Elizabeth St., Shawano. Friday – fish fry, kids' activities, music by Trav Ace & the Generators – 6:30-9:30 p.m. Saturday – Menominee Indian Tribe Traditional Singing & Dancing: 10-11 a.m.; Music: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. by Chad Przybyski & the Polka Rhythms; 3-6 p.m. by Grand Union; 6:30-9:30 p.m. by Johnny Wad. Craft Fair, Flea Market, Kids' Activities & Inflatables, 5K Walk/Run, Lumberjack Competition; Sun Drop Museum Tours & Tasting. Visit www.sundropdayz.com for updates.

June 8 - WRBA General Membership Picnic & Meeting, Kuckuk Park, Shawano. Picnic begins at 5:45 p.m. Register at wolfriverbuilders.org

June 22 - WRBA Board of Directors Meeting, The Launching Pad, 5:45 p.m.

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

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June

General Membership Picnic

When: Tuesday, June 8, 2021

Where: Kuckuk Park

700 Oak Park Dr., Shawano

Dinner/Drinks: 5:45 - 6:30

We will provide a ribeye steak and serving ware. Please bring a beverage & a dish to pass.

Guest Speaker Bruce Milavitz,
City of Shawano Mayor at 6:30

Any Questions, leave a message

@ 715-853-2310 or via Email -

wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com

Please invite spouses, employees, and prospective members. Guest/employee/spouse charge is \$15.

REGISTER at
wolfriverbuilders.org

Progressive Attendance Pot
\$140 for June Picnic

Door Prize donations always welcome!

Check out the Member Benefits through NAHB –
<http://www.nahb.org/savings>

May Sporting Clays Outing at J&H



Will Boivin, Dustin Fischer, Austin Buntrock, Justin Buntrock and Todd Hansen



Dick Hesse, Ron Bystol, Josh Hobart, Bryan Nemetz and Nick Bystol



Eric Jordan, Diane Montour and Bill Rapaich



Craig Kosnicki, Keith Kosnicki and Jess Kosnicki



Levi Stueck, Beau Stueck, Gunnard Stueck, Darci Kotter and Mike Papendorf

Members and guests enjoyed the Sporting Clays Shoot at J&H Game Farm in Shiocton on Tuesday, May 11.

We had five teams participate in the event. We had a two-way tie of scores of 43 - winners were determined by the number of consecutive shots at Passing Pheasant. Nick Bystol took the top prize of \$50, and second place and \$40 went to Mike Papendorf. We also had a two-way tie of scores of 42- winners were determined by the amount of consecutive clays shot at the end of the event. Dustin Fischer captured third place and \$30, and Beau Stueck took fourth place and \$20.

A huge thank you to our event sponsors: Jess Kosnicki, CoVantage Credit Union and AbbyBank; along with station sponsors Wolf River Habitat for Humanity, Wallrich Agency, Stone Creations, Dearco, Exquisite Windows & Doors, Moede Plumbing, Shawano Service LLC, CoVantage Credit Union, Jess Kosnicki, and Concrete Cutters Inc.

Registration open for WBA events

Registrations for the Wisconsin Builders Association's Member Meeting Day, Celebration of Housing, and the WB Foundation Golf Outing are now open.

- Struggling with recruiting and retaining workers? Register to attend WBA's summer meeting on July 14 to hear from an expert on recruitment, retention, and generational differences in the workplace.

<https://www.wisbuild.org/wba-events/2021/7/14/membermtg>

- Join us for WBA's inaugural Celebration of Housing July 14 in Lake Geneva and celebrate all the accomplishments of the housing industry after a long time apart! Featured Speaker: NAHB CEO Jerry Howard <https://www.wisbuild.org/wba-events/2021/coh>
- Promote and support future builders in Wisconsin by attending the WB Foundation Golf Outing at Geneva National Club and Resort on July 15! <https://www.wisbuild.org/wba-events/2021/foundationgolf>

Progressive Attendance Drawing



The name drawn for the \$120 pot at the May Sporting Clays Outing was Moede Plumbing. A representative was not in attendance, so the June pot increases to \$140.

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!

WRBA scholarship awarded

Each year, WRBA raises funds through raffles and donations to provide up to \$1500 in scholarships for graduating high school seniors in Shawano, Menominee and Oconto Counties who are continuing their education in some aspect of the building trades.

This year's recipient is Jordan Moede of Bonduel High School. Moede is currently an apprentice drafter at Bayland Buildings. He plans to attend Northeast Wisconsin Technical College this fall, eventually continuing on to UW-Milwaukee for a degree in Architectural Technology. He is the son of Tim and Karla Moede of Bonduel.

WRBA congratulates Jordan and wishes him all the best as he continues to follow his dreams.



WRBA board member Jess Kosnicki (left) and Jordan Moede (right)

Print and radio advertising update

Looking to advertise? Let us help!

Our print advertising program is with the Market Messenger, a direct-mailed advertising publication that reaches over 25,000 households and businesses throughout the area. We have advertising space available on a first-come,

first-serve basis, appearing the third week of the month. Our next ad is scheduled for June 17.

The cost is **\$405 per year/single ad space** (equals \$33.75/month) or **\$116.25 per quarter** (equals \$38.75/month). Choosing the year-long commitment will save you \$60/year (\$5/month).

If you are not currently advertising and would like to be added, please let us know at wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com.

At this time, our radio advertising will be ending June 30. If we can gather enough interest, we may be able to resume this fall.

If you're interested, please contact us!

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).

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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

New Member – Welcome!

- BankFirst, N.A. - Darci Kotter

Memberships Renewed – Welcome Back!

- Luisier Drilling, Inc. - Stephanie Meyers
- A-1 Elevator Sales & Service - Tony Pfefferman

Members – Renewal Due May

- Shawano Well Drilling Inc - John Dillenburg

Members – Renewal Due June

- KerberRose, S.C. - Donald Pedersen

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

WBA's Badger Craftsman Awards

Voting is now open for the Badger Craftsman Awards! [Click here to vote](#) on the best new construction, remodeling, and associate member projects! Voting is open for members until June 11. Awards will be presented at the Celebration of Housing event in July.



2021 Events/Meetings Calendar

As we all have experienced this past year - all dates are subject to change. We'll do our best to keep you updated here and through e-mail.

June 8 - Picnic - Kuckuk Park, Shawano

JULY - NO MEETING

August 10 - Golf Outing - Golden Sands, Cecil

Sept. 14 - Officer Elections - Location TBD

October 12 - Officer Installation - Antlers, Bonduel

NOVEMBER - NO MEETING

Dec. 14 - Breakfast Meeting - Angie's Main Cafe

RED = OPEN TO THE PUBLIC / Spread the word!

Kwik Trip Gift Cards Available

WRBA has Kwik Trip Gift Cards. Denominations currently in-stock are \$10, \$25 and \$50. Just fill out our [ORDER FORM](#), or send an e-mail to wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com. Cards are also available at any of our general membership meetings! Help support WRBA!

Wolf River Builders Association 2020/2021 Board of Directors

President	Darci Kotter BankFirst N.A. 135 S. Main St. Clintonville, WI 54929 Work: 715-602-7048
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Past President	Mark Flunker - Wolf River Habitat for Humanity (Mobile: 715-584-5995)
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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)



Summer Picnic

**Join us for our summer picnic
and network with area builders!**

Tuesday, June 8, 2021

Kuckuk Park

700 Oak Park Dr., Shawano, WI 54166

**A ribeye steak is provided - bring your own
beverages & a dish to pass - starting at 5:45**

**Guest Speaker Bruce Milavitz, City of
Shawano's Mayor at 6:30 p.m.**

One dinner is included with your membership, additional meals are \$15. Please pre-register the names of those attending on our website at www.wolfriverbuilders.org or call 715-853-2310

If you know of a prospective builder or associate member who'd like to join us, they may attend at no charge. Please pre-register on our website.

We are also looking for door prizes for the event - please e-mail us at wolfriverbuilders@gmail.com or call us at 715-853-2310 if you have something to bring.



**Wolf River Builders Association
Golf Outing
Tuesday, August 10, 2021
Golden Sands Golf Course, Cecil**

*Come and join us for our annual golf outing – four person best ball format.
We are also looking for Hole Sponsors...*

Four Person Best Ball Format

12:00 Registration

12:30 Shot-Gun Start

5:30 Social/Networking

6:00 Dinner/Prizes

Fees

Golf / Cart / Lunch / Dinner
WRBA Member - \$75
Guest / Non-member - \$90

Dinner Only

WRBA Member - \$0
Guest / Non-member - \$15

Yes, I will "Sponsor a Hole" for \$75

Sponsor Name: _____

Yes, I will provide a door prize

***Invite Customers, Business Prospects,
Family & Friends to golf with you!
(one "member price" per WRBA
membership)***






Team Players (We will help fill teams if needed)	Lunch, Golf, Cart, Dinner	Additional Dinners (no golf)	Dinner Only
1)	\$	1)	\$
2)	\$	2)	\$
3)	\$	3)	\$
4)	\$	4)	\$
Golf/Cart/Lunch/Dinner Total:		Addt'l Dinners Total:	

Register at www.wolfriverbuilders.org
Mail Entry Form & Fees to address on right
or Email copy of completed form to
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Payment can be made at registration or by mail.
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Phone: (715) 853-2310



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SHOPPING AND 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

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over **\$25,000,000** last year

BUSINESS MANAGEMENT

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	OFFICE DEPOT	Up to 75% off in-store or online. Free Shipping over \$50	Office Supplies	officediscounts.org/nahb 855-337-6811 x2897
	HOUZZ	10% off Trade Program purchases, 5% off Pro+ Local Marketing Advertising (new), Free access to concierge service, free business websites.	Marketing Solutions, Building Products	houzz.com/nahbmembers
	CONSTRUCTION JOBS.COM	20% discounts on standard rates	Job Postings	nahb.org/careers 828-251-1344
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	AMERICAN EXPRESS	Eligible NAHB members can earn 125,000 Membership Rewards® points after they spend \$30,000 on eligible purchases in the first three months of Card Membership. Terms apply.	Business Platinum Card®	nahb.org/amex

NAHB ASSOCIATION DISCOUNTS

	COMPANY	SAVINGS	PRODUCTS	INFO
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	NAHB CONTRACTS	Up to 30% off contract rates	Legal	nahb.org/nahbcontracts
	HOUSINGECONOMICS	\$100 off annual subscription	Economic and Housing Data	housingeconomics.com
	BUILDERBOOKS	10% off books. Up to 45% off research	Books	builderbooks.com
	ONLINE EDUCATION	Up to 30% off webinars; Up to 50% off online courses	Education	nahb.org/education

Discounts are of 8/31/2019 and subject to change at any time. Visit nahb.org/savings for latest deals and limited time offers.



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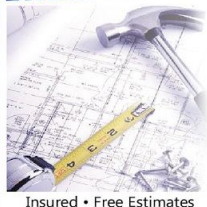
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