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Women and  
Construction*

*Salt Lake City  
Chapter 90*

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## President's Message

*Salt Lake Chapter #90  
Teresa Callahan, CDS, CIT, President*

Where has the year gone? Our chapter has had a very busy past couple of month's with Block Kids and Design Drafting competitions and WIC Week, and here we are, time for Forum.

Forum is our region's annual "get-together". There are exciting speakers and classes to attend and the hosting chapter always puts together really fun excursions for the group. Forum is a great opportunity to experience NAWIC on a larger scale, and to get to know and network with our region chapter's ladies.

I encourage every member to try and attend a Forum – you'll love it!

Our chapter will be hosting Forum 2009 in St. George. This will be the perfect opportunity for you to see what Forum is all about.

## Membership Report

Happy Birthday to:

<b>JODIE TURNER</b> , CIT, CDS	May 12
<b>JOAN ELLEN SHUPE</b>	May 19
<b>ANNALISE BAILEY</b>	June 8
<b>IONE VANWAGENEN</b> , CIT	June 12
<b>SANDY JOHNSON</b>	June 23
<b>PAM FOOTE</b>	June 27
<b>KAY HOLLEY</b>	June 29

[Need Birthdays for](#)

**KATHY FERNELIUS**  
**LYNDSY OVERRIGHT**

Membership Report – Joela Caldwell, Chair

Please extend a warm welcome to our newest member Lyndsy Overright from CVE.

07-08 Membership Recruitment Contest - The tradition will continue this year – a pin will be awarded to every member who recruits at least three members by July 31, 2008. The pins will be awarded as tradition dictates at Convention. So get out there ladies and let your NAWIC light shine – promote this awesome association and recruit more amazing women into our chapter. As additional enticement I am offering a \$50 gift certificate to the store of choice to the Chapter 90 member who recruits the most new members during the contest.

Industry Appreciation Bar-B-Que / NAWIC Membership Drive Friday June 27<sup>th</sup> – 11:30 am – 1:30 pm. Jana is working on Location. I will be sending out an email with the help that we need. Please email me at [jcaldwell@big-d.com](mailto:jcaldwell@big-d.com) or call me at 801-505-4522 with your ideas on how you can support our effort in trying to increase our membership.

If you haven't received the latest roster let me know and I will email you one!

Thanks! Joela



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**Wall 2 Wall Floorcoverings just awarded 2 contracts with GSA**

Wall 2 Wall Floorcoverings, one of the most experienced flooring contractors in the Intermountain West, has just been awarded two contracts with General Services Administration (GSA) under section 72 I A carpet and section 78 sports. They offer Lees commercial carpet, Mondo sport and commercial rubber flooring as well as Knight Premium Quartz flooring.

“My job is to make your job easier. Most Flooring companies just don’t have the infrastructure that Wall 2 Wall has to offer. Which is why we present the best value to our customers by specializing in handling turnkey operations” says, Zach Hays – Sales, GSA Division. “There’s no question that our customers receive a great product along with a great price, but it’s the service they receive that truly sets us apart. The quality and service remain high at Wall 2 Wall simply because it is the natural result of who we are” says, Shanna Waldron – Manager, GSA Division.

Please visit the GSA website [www.gsaadvantage.gov](http://www.gsaadvantage.gov) for complete product details. Their contract numbers are: GS-27F-0014U Carpet/Carpet Tile and GS-03F-0049T Rubber/Sport flooring.

## NAWIC April Meeting

Jean Foulks from Penco Products invited us to tour their facility. They manufacture steel lockers and various kinds of storage shelving. We ate our yummy sandwiches and salads from Isabellas while we had our business meeting and then Kevin Booth from Penco Products took us on a tour of their fabrication shop. Not all of the machines were going at this time of day, but there still plenty of things going on for us to see how they take the steel from the big rolls and run it through their machines to bend it to make the different edges of the lockers. They also have machines that punch and bend some of the smaller parts. I was impressed me with just the huge machinery needed to do the work. They also had a large, long building within the building. Parts of the lockers were hung on what looked like a clothes line of some sort and were pulled through the building for painting and drying and then ready for packaging. It was a very interesting tour. Thank you, Jean for inviting us to come out.

Our next meeting will be at Kimball Distributing – they have a showroom of high end appliances and various sinks and faucets. They are hosting our meeting and will provide dinner there at their facility. Watch for more information – it will be held Monday, May 12.

Please see the enclosed invitation for our monthly meeting for May. If you have never been to some of these high end show rooms, it is really a nice experience. It is located in South Salt Lake and not too hard to find, so hopefully, we'll have a good turnout.

They are cooking dinner there for us, so Jana needs your RSVP's right away!



Make sure to check the back of the newsletter for attachments!

*Due to an editorial error these meeting reports did not appear in the monthly newsletters. My apologies and thanks to Jana Cochell, who has compiled these reports for us.*

## Meeting Report for February

Our monthly membership meeting was held on Monday, Feb. 11 at Red Robin. We had a couple of things going on:

We had an installation ceremony for 5 new members: Maile Rogers – BYU , Jeanne Isakson – All Trades Staffing, Paula Williams – Big-D Construction, Shannon McFadden – Honey Bucket, and Kathy Fernelius –Wadman Corporation.

We also recognized some of the members for their longevity.

5 Years	Pam Foote, Steel Encounters LaDaun Mitchell, Delta Fire Protection Jodie Turner, Eagle Electric
6 Years	Karla Steel, Associated Reps
7 Years	Sharon Herron, General Masonry
13 Years	Kathy Bonnett, CCI Mechanical
14 Years	Susan Daly, Daly & Associates
15 Years	Ione VanWagenen, VanWagenen & Assoc
22 Years	Karen Morganson, CCI Mechanical
26 Years	Linda Kofford, Associated Reps

James Turner from BEST came and talked to us about fire safety risk analysis. He discussed the tools that can be used to determine risk and consequences by asking the following questions:

1. What is the likelihood of this event happening?
2. What is the impact this event would have?
3. What are the consequences?

Risk Analysis is a process used to identify possible events which could cause loss or harm and then taking those steps to remove or alleviate the risks.

Our next meeting will be a tour of the Shriner's Hospital, along with our Toy Drive, on Monday, March 10.



# March Membership Meeting

For part of our WIC Week celebration, we had been collecting toys for the Shriner's Hospital and had four locations set up.

On Monday, March 10, we brought all of our toys to the Hospital for our dinner meeting and tour of the facility. It was so fun - we had all of the toys set out in the front lobby area so we could get a picture of all of us and the toys. In the meantime, some of the kids were coming through and stopped to look at them and were allowed to pick out a toy that they wanted.

We had such a variety of toys and other items collected. This one little girl, in particular, came by, stopped and just stared at the big Koala bear that was sitting up on the planter. Came to find out that she collected Koala bears and was able to add this one to her collection.

It was fun and touching to see some of the kids come through – they all seemed happy and looked like they had great attitudes..... and it gave us a great feeling of knowing we were helping out a little bit.

Mike Babcock, the Director of Shriners gave us a wonderful and very interesting tour. This hospital specializes mostly in orthopedics and other bone abnormalities. He showed us their large play area, school room area, and the place where they make the prosthetics – they had a wall full of pictures that showed different designs that can be put on their artificial limbs - firey flames, the JAZZ, animals, any type of design you wanted. That in itself would be a fun conversation starter. Can you imagine kids saying to each other ... "Wow, I wish I had a fancy leg like that!"

We really had an enjoyable evening, and I know we all went home feeling good for bringing a few smiles to some of the kids there, and for being introduced to a great organization like the Shriners that helps out children - free of charge. Thanks for Julie Milne Jones for getting this set up for us.

Our next meeting will be a job walk through at Penco Products on Monday, April 14 – they have a state of the art metal fabrication plant. Watch for the invitation for more details.

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# The National Association of Women in Construction Invites you to join us at our

## May Meeting

NAWIC Salt Lake Chapter 90

**When: Monday, May 12, 2008**

*Social 5:30*

*Dinner 6:00*

**Where: Kimball Distributing**  
2233 South 300 East  
Salt Lake City, Utah

Taste the Viking Life – Indulge your passion for great food.

Join us in the Viking Kitchen at Kimball Distributing. See the great display of Viking appliances as you enjoy a tastefully prepared dinner.

Kimball has been serving the Utah/Colorado region for many years, and is dedicated to helping families select the appliances that are the benchmark for gourmets making their homes truly delightful. Kimball Distributing a third generation family-owned company understands the importance of a comfortable, highly-functional living environment for your family. So join us as we share the Viking Range Lifestyle the only appliance manufacturer who offers you true design integrity indoors and out.

The showroom is open, light, with plenty of live appliances for people to see and try, to get up close and personal with. When cooking on these appliances it's all about the senses, touch, taste, smell, and about enjoying life.

Meeting / Dinner costs: \$20.00 ***No Shows will be billed.***

**RSVP to Jana no later than Thursday afternoon, May 8**  
jcochell@big-d.com or call me at 415-6029.



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Kristen Winter - Editor

## NAWIC

### Upcoming NAWIC and Regional Events:

National Convention  
Flamingo Hotel  
Las Vegas, NV  
September 3 - 6, 2008

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## Construction Career Days

### PRESS RELEASE NAWIC:

#### Local High School Students Win Drafting Contest

The local chapter of **NAWIC (National Association of Women in Construction)** held the 2008 High School CAD/Hand Drafting awards at the Mountainlands Area Plan Room April 9<sup>th</sup>. The Chapter also hosted the Regional Competition Awards covering 5 Western States. The competition is open to all High School Students. All Utah High Schools were invited to participate. The winners and participants, received certificates, prizes and cash for their efforts.

The project this year was a Dental Office which the students with a small amount of information designed and thru the use of Computer Aided Drafting programs to came up with their own set of plans for judging.

Local area business that contributed their money and time to this successful event were: Mountainlands Area Plan Room, Steel Encounters, Big D Construction, Canam Steel, and Wheeling Corrugating. The judges took the time to explain to the new up and coming drafters what they could do to make their projects better and more user friendly.

#### Local Winners were as follows:

**Tied for first place were Leighton Weeks from Hunter High School, and Joshua Burns from Layton High School.** Second place award went to Jordan Okabe, Layton High, and Third Place award went to Clark Tezail of Layton High School.

#### Regional Winners were:

1 <sup>st</sup> place Hand Drafting	Colleen Cassidy	Colorado Springs
Chapter 356		
1 <sup>st</sup> place CAD Drafting	Megan Evans	Colorado Springs
Chapter 356		
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> place CAD Drafting</b>	<b>Leighton Weeks</b>	<b>Salt Lake City Chapter 90</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> place CAD Drafting	Michael Rogue	El Paso Chapter 248

NAWIC meets monthly, usually the second Monday. Provides many leadership, personal growth and business networking opportunities. Other programs NAWIC participates in are the Block Kids Program. Introducing elementary aged students to construction while supporting their individual creativity and emotional growth. **Visit [constructUtah.net/NAWIC90.htm](http://constructUtah.net/NAWIC90.htm) for info.**