

“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.”

Coming Together
Is A Beginning;
Keeping Together
Is Progress;
Working Together
Is Success.



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Message from the President

As we close Spring, I wanted to share a few of my thoughts. We have become an exemplary chapter this year because of our accomplishments, how we operate, and most of all, the quality of our members. We have combined our talents, personalities, careers and passions to leave a markable footprint in our industry this year. It is important to note that even though there is a lot to improve, such as expectations that have not yet been met and/or ideas that have not yet materialized, we are ready for those to become our future.

There is a place for everyone, but as a group, we have formed a chapter. We are to be proud of one another and to inspire one another, but perhaps most of all, to give our best to make the National Association of WOMEN in Construction Oklahoma City possible. The success of a chapter depends on the effort of each one of its members.

MEMBER SPOTLIGHT Julie C. Foley

Vice President Oklahoma Commercial Sales, Star Flooring



At just 10 years old, Julie Foley drew her first floorplan. Drawn to scale, Julie says that the four rooms would measure to about 50,000 square feet! Even though no one in her family was involved in building construction or architecture, those art forms have been in Julie's constitution for as long as she could remember.

Julie's biggest accomplishment (aside from raising her son who she describes as "just a good human being with a sense of humor") is staying true to her early love for building construction. Being a woman in a male dominated field has had its set of challenges, she admits; however, there is nothing more fulfilling to her than seeing buildings that she had a hand in creating that still stand years later.

The satisfaction that comes from drawing a plan on a piece of paper, then seeing it take shape and serve its purpose has kept Julie engaged and inspired for more than 25 years.

After graduating from Oklahoma State with a degree in Construction Management, Julie worked for several General Contracting companies, and eventually opened her own. She later spent several years teaching construction education and leadership training, and ultimately decided to immerse herself again in her original passion.

Today, as Vice-President of Oklahoma Commercial Sales at Star Flooring, Julie wears several different hats. Lately, her focus has been on implementing processes within a new software system; coaching and counseling team members, reviewing jobs with estimators, and fighting the normal fires that come with the territory. She appreciates solving problems and creating solutions in dynamic circumstances, and finds that her biggest obstacles are related to miscommunication in this high-paced, technology driven time. With all things accounted for, Julie would rather devote herself to nothing else. Really.

We're fortunate to have you as part of our NAWIC family, Julie. Thank you for being authentically you.

Written By: Christine Spretnjak

ANNOUNCEMENTS



Congratulations to Francis Tuttle student, **Dondraya Williams** for taking second place in the Design/Drafting Competition in the college category for the 2018 South Central Region. She took second place for her design on her luxury tiny house.

Dondraya Williams, the student from Francis Tuttle, was announced as the second place winner, College category of the region, in the in the CAD contest for 2018. Dondraya was one of our three entries in the contest. NAWIC, with her instructor, presented Dondraya with her plaque and a gift Thursday, May 24th.

The tiny house was described as a place where west coast traveling meets luxury amenities, with maintaining an eco - friendly home as the main focus. The floor plan allows for tall ceilings in the main area with tall windows to create an illusion of more space while providing the ability to create air circulation along with vinyl shades for privacy.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Lila Burns
6/7

Sherri Chitwood
6/7

Dana Givens
6/11

Brooke Beatty
6/12

Kimberly Lewis
6/15

Lila Bailey
6/24

Megan Woolverton
6/24

Dawn Hensley
6/29

COMMITTEES

SCHOLARSHIP

Holly Morrisette, Lucy Lambert, Julie Foley, Wendy Hudlow, Janna Benear, Kimberly Lewis, Anna Howard

Block Kids

Donnita Dewey, Megan Woolverton, Anna Howard, Heather Stovall, Courtney Baker

NOMINATING

Sonnie Maughan, Cherri Morford, Dana Givens

NEWSLETTER

Mandy Hodges, Christine Spretnjak, Tina Fairless

MEMBERSHIP

Jennifer Roberts, Sonnie Maughan

BIRTHDAYS

Jennifer Roberts, Sonnie Maughan

NEF/CAD

Lauren Parker, Angela Troncoso

MARKETING

Brooke Beatty, Mandy Hodges, Jasmin Howells

SOCIAL

Heather Stovall, Donnita Dewey, Brooke Cochrane

WIC WEEK

Kolleen Kostboth, Lynsee Boyse, Connie Swatek, Kristen Magley, Anna Howard

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Please join us in celebrating
the one year anniversary of the
**NAWIC Oklahoma City
Chapter 383**



July 21, 2018
7pm-10pm
Remington Park
Eclipse Room
1 Remington Pl, OKC

food | cash bar | valet
**this is a special event - dress accordingly*
(no denim please)

PROFESSIONAL WOMEN IN BUILDING teamed with Habitat for Humanity August 25th

Family friendly event - 16 or older.

8:00 - 3:00

Please confirm by July 31st

Contact Angela for participation details



2018 Annual Conference
August 15-18
Orlando, Florida



NAWIC
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF
WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION

This year's Annual Conference offers exciting new changes, with more education, activities and networking opportunities than ever before. The 2 ½ day conference is designed for all women in construction, NAWIC members and non-members alike.

NAWIC OKC #383 Meeting August 8th

Location and Time TBD
Board Members Announced

Join us for Fall Conference in



Little Rock

**SOUTH CENTRAL REGION
FALL CONFERENCE**
November 9th & 10th

Education, Networking and Fun Wyndham Riverfront Hotel

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