



NAWIC Orange County # 91

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Message from the Board



Where does the time go? May was gone in a flash. I attended a "Women in the Boardroom" seminar in LA on May 24th at the Hyatt Regency Century Plaza. There were at least 200 attendees from a number of organizations such as the American Business Women's Association, American Society of Women Accountants, National Association of Women MBAs, Women Lawyer's Association of LA and more. I went looking for guidance on how to be a better Board Member and came away with a couple ideas. 1) What skills and expertise do you bring to a Board; 2) An accounting background is extremely important. I also joined the Toastmasters Club at Clark Construction. I am telling you this because the topic of **enhancing your success** has been brought up more than once this past year. Everyone should go out of their comfort level and learn something new or

be better at something you already know. Education, education, education.

Our NAWIC OC website www.nawicoc.org has been updated thanks to Lynne MacVean and Art Jimenez. Please note we have changed our Calendar date for Industry Night and Scholarship Awards to July in order to accommodate our Speaker on the new NFL Stadium in LA. Rosemary Carson, Esq. will be presenting Green Building Construction practices at our June meeting.

MAGIC Camp committee is meeting regularly now and we need everyone's help to make this year's camp a success. Please volunteer to help in some way.

Plan to attend the Summer Conference July 17th at the California State University, Channel Islands in Camarillo. The

registration form is available on the regional website www.nawic.net.

"Education is the best provision for the journey to old age." Aristotle

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Upcoming Events



- June 9, 2010 – Board Meeting 5:30 @ Clark Construction
- June 22, 2010 – General Membership Meeting @ McCormick & Schmick's Seafood Restaurant from 5:30 PM to 8:00 PM; topic: : *Green Building Construction: Best Practices To Mitigate Your Company's Liability Through Educated Bidding Strategies and Negotiation of Specific Contract Clauses*
- July 17, 2010 – Region 12, Summer Leadership Conference, located at California State University, Channel Islands Library, cost \$35.00 per person
- July 19 – 23, 2010 – MAGIC Camp

Birthdays & Anniversaries



June Birthdays:

- Janice Ramsay-Gonzales – 06/01
- Gerry Robbins – 06/04
- Lisa Bates-Seabold – 06/08
- Katherine Taverner – 06/19
- Kathy McCord – 06/22
- Madeline Chapman – 06/25



June Anniversaries:

- Lynne MacVean – 19 Years
- Laura Olson – 3 Years

Membership News



Our chapter is still holding at 35 members; please remember to invite fellow co-workers and friends in the construction industry to our General Membership meetings on the 4th

Tuesday of the Month.

If you have any questions on Membership, please contact Ruthie Horner, our Membership Chair at rhorne@missionlandscape.com or Kim Thompson at kt040495@yahoo.com

Spread the word of NAWIC!

Food Drive

NAWIC Chapter #91 will be contributing the local Orange County community this year. With the holidays around the corner, many families need help, some with basic every day items and others just trying to get a hot meal. NAWIC Chapter #91 will be conducting a food drive for Second Harvest of Orange County. Our chapters giving spirit should not end with the holidays; we will contribute through the entire year. Each month at our dinner meetings and our board meeting, please bring any items you wish to donate. The most needed items are listed below. I will be the point of contact for the drop off for all members. Your office may contribute as well as yourself. Second Harvest will pick up all donations we provide them and distribute them to different organizations that are in need.

Personal Care Items Needed:

Diapers, toothpaste and tooth brushes, deodorant, toilet tissue, razors, q-tips, soap, band-aids, combs and brushes and Feminine hygiene items

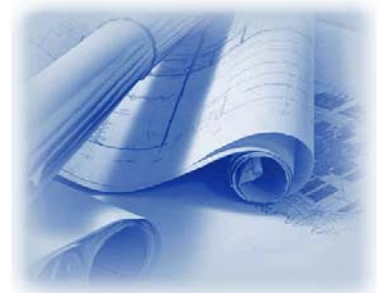
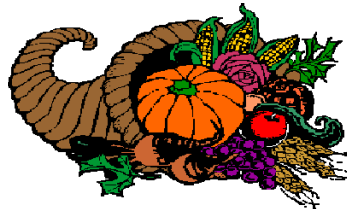
Most needed Items:

Canned meats, canned fish, beef stew,

chili, pastas, macaroni & cheese, rice, beans, canned fruit & vegetables, canned juices, soups, hot & cold cereals, peanut butter

Our donations to Second Harvest will assist in feeding over 220,000 people per month. Cash donations are also acceptable. For every dollar donated, \$12 of food will be provided to the community.

Jennifer VanBreda
Vice President
Orange County Chapter #91



Core Values:

- *Believe in ourselves as women*
- *Persevere with the strength of our convictions*
- *Dare to move into new horizons*

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