## THE WIBA PUNCH LIST

WIBA is an association of individuals and firms who have joined forces, voluntarily, to promote all phases of building and remodeling.

BUILDERS ASSOCIATION

April 2015

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#### **Board Members:**

President: Wayne Allen

Vice-President: Scott Howe

Treasurer: Amy Schwartz

Past President: Greg Davis

Directors: Steve Hawkinson Tammy Lufkin Clinton Masters Neil Thomas

Life Directors: Terry Hartley Bill Johnson

Executive Officer: Kaylee Johnson

#### **Upcoming Events**

April 15th 6:30p.m. Membership Meeting The Kensington

April 15th After M.M. Golf Committee The Kensington

May 6th 6:30 a.m. Board Meeting The Broadview

May 20th 6:30p.m. Membership Meeting The Kensington

\* See back page for Important City Meetings

#### **General Membership Meeting**

#### Wednesday, April 15th, 2015

Kensington 311 E. Simmons St.

Networking: 6:30—7:00p.m.- Dinner: 7:00p.m.

Cost: \$10.00/person

Presenter:



## WIBA Playhouse Builder

WIBA pays for all the materials & supplies for the playhouse.

\$2,000 Budget

Free WIBA Membership for a year.

#### WIBA Board President's Corner...

Now that Spring has arrived most of us are ready for a busy season. Remember to always work in a safe manner.

It is important that each member attend our Membership Meetings. You can network, meet new members and give your opinions on what improvements can be made. This is your organization!

We need a WIBA Member to volunteer to build the WIBA Playhouse? Would you like to this year?

If you know of a topic or speaker you would like to have at the Membership Meetings, just let us know.

Do you like to play golf? We will have our Annual WIBA Golf Outing on July 16th at Oak Run.

Would you like to advertise at the Golf Outing? Let us know.



Sincerely, Wayne Allen Board President

Western Illinois Builders Association





#### Board Meeting Highlights....

- 72 Members
- If you receive a Home Show Gift Certificate to redeem, contact the office by email or phone and we will reimburse you with a check from WIBA.
- Chamber of Commerce sent us a report for the email blast about the Home Show we had sent out on March 5, 2015. We paid \$20 for it. It was sent to 881 businesses that are Chamber of Commerce Members. 335 opened it. And 86 clicked on a link to look at our website.
- The WIBA Golf Committee will begin meeting to get ready for the WIBA Annual Golf Outing July 16, 2015. Please consider sponsoring or donating a door prize to advertise your business and help make this a successful event.
- We are starting to receive applications for the WIBA Playhouse 2015-2016. We need a builder!
- The M. Brad Johnson Memorial Scholarship Committee met and have selected a recipient for the 2015-2016 academic year. Special Thanks to Michelle Hoffman of First Mid-Illinois Bank & Trust for chairing the committee!
- We are looking into further ways to advertise WIBA.





#### Congratulations!



The Register Mail was drawn for the **Cash Drawing** but was not present to it roll over to \$50.

Tammy Lufkin of Hansen Lumber & Lufkin Sweiter Ready Mix was drawn for the **50/50 drawing.** He won \$13. Congratulations, Tammy!

\$298,300

THE AVERAGE LOAN AMOUNT

December 2014



-Federal Housing Finance Agency





The estimated number of Housing Units Completed in 2014

-U.S. Census Bureau



Single-Family Permits







December 2014

-NAHB

The Estimate of how many
New SingleFamily Houses
sold 2014





-U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development



How much **U.S. Renters** paid for **Rent** in 2014

\$441Billion



-Zillow

The **Average Interest Rate** on all

*Mortgage Loans* in December 2014





-Federal Housing Finance Agency





Contracting Firms
plan to expand
payrolls in 2015

-Associated General Contractors of America

## U.S. Housing Starts



December 2014 **728K** 

-NAHB





U.S. Homeownership Rate fourth quarter 2014

-U.S. Census Bureau



## **Membership Benefits:**

#### . Local, Professional Organization

- Monthly Meetings with Keynote Speakers
- Opportunity to network with others
- Cash Drawing at Membership Meetings

#### . Annual Home Show at Sandburg Mall

• \$100 booth credit for attending 5 meetings

#### . Charitable Giving to the Community

- Yearly Playhouse donated to local charity
- Annual Scholarships for area students to CSC
- Sponsor of National Railroad Museum
- Other cash donations to area charities

#### Additional Advertising Opportunities

- Website (3 Members Highlighted each month)
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Pinterest
- Google Plus
- Brochures
- Business Cards in Welcome Center
- Newspaper & other Publication Advertisements
- Your Flyers in WIBA Newsletter (Free once a year.)
- WIBA Member Signs & Decals
- Monthly Newsletter

#### . Social Events

- Golf Outing
- Christmas Party



#### Western Illinois Builders Association

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#### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP DATE:\_\_\_\_ TO: Western Illinois Builders Association FROM: \_\_\_\_\_TITLE: \_\_\_\_ COMPANY NAME: \_\_\_\_\_PHONE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ Years in Business\_\_\_\_ FAX NO. Web Site E-mail: Insurance Agent BUSINESS ADDRESS: (STREET) (CITY) (STATE) (ZIP) BANK / CREDIT REFERENCES: OTHER REFERENCES CLASSIFICATION REQUESTED: □ BUILDER/REMODELER □ ASSOCIATE I agree to abide by the By-Laws and Code of Ethics of the Association to which this membership application is directed. A remittance of \$150.00, representing my annual membership dues in Western Illinois Builders Association accompanies this application. By signing this application I am giving my permission to check into the above references. Signature of applicant SPONSORED BY RETURN THIS APPLICATION Western Illinois Builders Association WITH CHECK PAYABLE TO: P.O. Box 565 Galesburg, Il 61402-0565

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE

Dues payments to WIBA are not deductible as charitable contributions for federal income tax purposes. However, dues payments may be deductible as ordinary and necessary business expense.

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### Wanted: Playhouse Recipients



The Western Illinois Builders Association donates a playhouse to a local charity each year for raffle. Any non-profit organization wishing to be the recipient of the 2016 playhouse, should submit a letter of interest by April 30th detailing why they would like to be the recipient, how they would sell tickets, and what they would use the proceeds for. The Builders Association provides not only the materials and building of the playhouse, but also the tickets to sell at no cost to the recipient. The playhouse recipient is responsible for the selling of the tickets, reporting sales to WIBA, having volunteers walk in the Christmas parade and hand out candy (provided by WIBA), and staffing a table at the Mall on weekends, during special events, and especially during the 2016 Home Show which is the first weekend in March. This is an excellent fundraiser as the earning potential is unlimited with no cost to the organization! WIBA will also contribute an additional \$1,000 to the recipient if they break the all-time ticket sales record of \$10,868.00!

#### **Each Member Can Reach One Member!**

Our best tool for growing our organization is a member reaching out to someone else who should join us! People respond to personal invitations. The more the merrier and the bigger the pool to network in. A blank application is included so that you can include those you may already work collaboratively with for your business.

#### Special Thanks for Donations of Materials for the WIBA Playhouse

WIBA Member- Roger Williams- games for the shelves in the playhouse. WIBA Member- Sherwin Williams- chalk board paint & supplies.



ABC Supply- 2 play gem sample windows.

Lumberyard Suppliers, LS Millworks, and Pinnacle Vinyl- shingles, siding, decking, door, & windows.



Last Month, our speaker was Adam Baze from J Mac Metals. J Mac Metals is located in Galva. They opened for business in April of 2013. Their business is 50% agricultural, 25% commercial, and 25% residential. Their product has a 30 yr warranty against fade and a 40 year warranty. It has a silicone, modified paint with a G90 coating. Their residential roofs are energy star rated and are in 5 dark colors and will be adding 2 more soon. They can cut to specific sizes for cus-

tom orders. If you pick up in Galva, you can pick up a custom order the next day.

Metal roofs are more expensive upfront but then you could have long term savings as shingles need replaced sooner than metal roofs.

Post Frame is more economical, faster, and easier than a steel frame. Wider buildings are more economical in steel frame.

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# WIBA Annual Golf Outing July 16th 1:00p.m. Oak Run Golf Course

Four-Person Scramble

\$200 per team (\$50 per Single)

Includes green fees, cart, dinner, and	prizes. Refreshments will be provided during p	olay
Join us for Dinner only- \$12.00	per person	
Team Name:		
Players: 1	2	
3	4	
Contact Name & Phone #:		

#### Mail Entries with Payment by July 7th to:

WIBA P.O. Box 565 Galesburg, IL 61402-0565

(All entries must be paid in advance!)



**For More Information call:** Kaylee Johnson at 309-343-2116 or Clinton Masters at 309-368-5198

Want to advertise?

**Sponsor a Hole?** 

Donate a doorprize?

call 343-2116 or Email wiba@gris.net



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#### Don't forget...

#### **WIBA Membership Meeting**

Wednesday, April 15, 2015 Kensington 6:30 p.m.



OUR WEB SITE - WIBAWEB. ORG:

**Now FEATURED**;





WEBSITE FEATURES WILL BE:

Midwest Bank of Western Illinois Roger Williams, General Contractor West Central FS, Inc.

(Please make sure your information on the WIBA website is up-to-date. If you need assistance, please call or email Kaylee, wiba@grics.net, at the office.)



City Hall

**Overall Code Review** CANCELED