

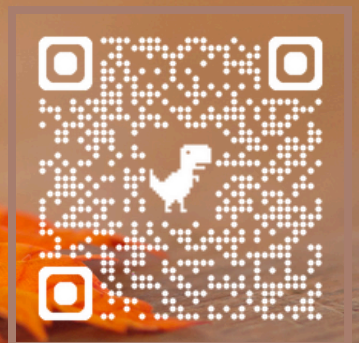
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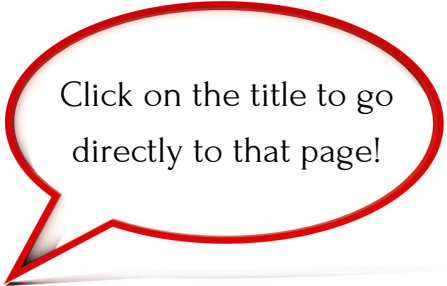
The month of gratitude and women cultivating it



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# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

*A*s November unfolds and Thanksgiving draws near, I pause to reflect on the strength, resilience, and brilliance of the women who build—literally and figuratively—the foundations of our community.

This season of gratitude reminds me how thankful I am for each of you: for the walls you raise, the ceilings you break, and the legacy you're crafting in an industry that's stronger because of your presence. Your dedication, skill, and leadership inspire not only the next generation of women in construction, but everyone who witnesses your work.

May this Thanksgiving bring you well-deserved rest, joy with loved ones, and pride in all you've accomplished thus far.

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*Lori Donnell*

President, 2025-2026  
NAWIC Fort Worth Chapter 1







## *Our Foundation*

# NAWIC PLEDGE

As material for the construction of our buildings, I pledge the agility of my hands, the ability of my mind, and the integrity of my heart.

## NAWIC CORE VALUES

Women focused,  
Courageous  
leadership,  
Commitment to  
inclusion and  
growth,  
Anticipate change

## NAWIC CORE PURPOSE

To strengthen and amplify the  
success of women in the  
construction industry.



# Calendar of *Events*



<i>November</i>						
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23	24	25	26	27 	28	28
29	30					

*November 11, 2025 - Board Meeting*

6:00 PM

TEXO

417 Fulton Street,

Fort Worth, TX 76104

*November 20, 2025 - Business Meeting*

5:30 PM

Diamond Oaks Country Club

5821 Diamond Oaks Dr N,

Fort Worth, TX 76117



# Calendar of *Events*



<i>December</i>						
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
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21	22	23	24 	25 	26 	27
28	29	30	31 			

*December 7, 2025*  
**Gingerbread Chapter Build**

10:00AM  
TEXO  
417 Fulton Street,  
Fort Worth, TX 76104

*December 9, 2025*  
**Board Meeting**

6:00 PM  
TEXO  
417 Fulton Street,  
Fort Worth, TX 76104

*December 10, 2025*  
**Gingerbread Build Off**

6:00 PM  
Pella  
3901 West Freeway  
Fort Worth, TX 76107

*December 18, 2025*  
**Business Meeting**

5:30 PM  
Diamond Oaks C.C.  
5821 Diamond Oaks Dr N,  
Fort Worth, TX 76117



# Save the *Date*

Click on the link!



Holiday Party RSVP: <https://2025gingerbread.eventbrite.com>

Sponsor Sign Up: <https://forms.gle/zdNE5FNxNd3GVqKp8>

Gingerbread Team Sign Up: <https://forms.gle/QzHh8qG7YMG1BMXJ8>

(NAWIC Fort Worth Team has been registered)

Chapter Build day – Sunday, 12/7/25 10:00 am

TEXO Office (417 Fulton Street)

Contact Megan Shaw at [megan.shaw@schindler.com](mailto:megan.shaw@schindler.com) for more information and to volunteer.



Save the  
*Date*

## SAVE THE DATE

The National Association of Women in Construction  
Fort Worth Chapter's  
42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Golf Tournament



Fort Worth, TX

**April 27, 2026**

2 Courses! Bear Creek Golf Club

Contact Shelie Murphy at [shelie@ci-gc.com](mailto:shelie@ci-gc.com) for  
sponsorship opportunities





## Tammy Crooks

### South Central Region Director



Tamara (Tammy) Crooks serves as a Construction Manager for the Byrne Construction Services. Since her graduation from law school in 1997, she has acquired the additional education, skills, experience, and most importantly, the relationships necessary to become an industry leader. While her primary focus has been on delivering projects to clients, she is also committed to providing pathways for other women seeking to enter and enjoy successful careers in the industry.

Tammy believes it is our responsibility as members of the organization to provide guidance and mentorship to the next generation of builders. Recognizing education to be the single most important element in a successful construction career, she is committed to improving existing and creating new educational programs while ensuring this critical education is accessible to those seeking a career in the industry. In doing so, Tammy is an active member of the American Council for Construction Education as well as serving on the board of Trustees for the NAWIC Education Foundation.

During her twenty-five years as a NAWIC member, Tammy has served two terms as the Dallas Chapter's President, among other Chapter-related positions. She has been a member of the Board of Trustees of the NAWIC Education Foundation for several years and has served as the Foundation's President, Vice President, Immediate Past President, Executive Committee Member, and Board Trustee. She is currently the South Central Region Director.

Tammy's focus as the Director is to bring the Region together to work toward the common goal of being "Better Together". There has been too much divisiveness that only weakens the foundation of our Association. We, as members, need to put our differences aside to stop promoting our own personal agendas and do what is best for the Region as a whole. Tammy hopes that the SCR members will join her in this endeavor and make our Region the standard bearer for this effort.





## *Committee Reports*

# NAWIC FORT WORTH

**Audit** - Nothing to report

**Badges & Reservations** - Nothing to report

**Blueprint** - Nothing to report

**Bylaws and Chapter Manual** - Nothing to report

**Construction Industry Safety/OSHA** - Nothing to report

**Diversity, Equity & Inclusion** - Nothing to report

**Foundation Liaison** - Nothing to report

**Membership/Friendship** - See page 11

**NEF Block Kids** - Nothing to report

**NEF Design/Drafting** - See page 12

**New Member** - See page 11

**PR Marketing** - See page 12

**Professional Development & Education** - Nothing to report

**Sponsorship** - Nothing to report

**Strategic Planning** - Nothing to report

**Ways and Means** - See page 8

**WIC Week** - Nothing to report



# *Membership / Friendship*

## November Anniversaries

Riley Seahorn	8 Years
Megan Shaw	7 Years
Lauren Plouff	3 Years

## November Birthdays

Cathie Figueroa	11/3
Karen Weatherford	11/20
Megan Shaw	11/25

## *New Members*

Say hello to our newest members!  
Phyllis Werner - Building Talent Foundation  
Gisel De La Orta - Burns & McDonnell

We're honored to welcome you both and look  
forward to all the ways we'll connect in the  
months ahead!



The background of the entire page is a dark, textured surface, possibly slate, decorated with autumn-themed elements. In the top left, there's a partial view of a pie. In the middle left, another pie is shown, topped with walnuts. At the bottom, there are several autumn leaves in shades of yellow and brown, and a small, striped pumpkin. The text is overlaid on this background.

# *WEEF Design Drafting*

Registration forms are now open! Forms are due **December 15, 2025**, and all project submissions are due **February 28, 2026**.

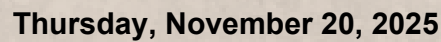
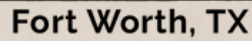
We are still seeking help to encourage student sign-ups. Please help spread the word!

## *PR & Marketing*

New step & repeat received! New tablecloth received!



What is the yuckiest food you've ever eaten?



## **Diamond Oaks Country Club**

**5821 Diamond Oaks Drive N**

Fort Worth, TX 76117

Click on the link!

(Grilled All Beef Burgers and Chicken Breasts, Pasta Salad, House-made Potato Chips, Fresh Baked Cookies)

**\*\*ALL PLEASE RSVP NO LATER THAN NOON NOVEMBER 17\*\***

**Via email** [reservations@nawic-fw.org](mailto:reservations@nawic-fw.org)

**LinkstoPre-PayDinnerCost - \$45(Includesparking)**

**Members** <https://checkout.square.site/buy/I3EANHMQJ5Y4NUB33BQTXF7Y>

**Guests** - <https://checkout.square.site/buy/YMRNERDM5QHT4EVZYRQUS72T>

Please remember that members and guests not canceling dinner reservations before Monday noon prior to the meeting shall be responsible for dinner cost.

This is necessary because costs are incurred based on the anticipated attendance.





# December Teaser



**M.A.G.T.A.G.**

**Christmas Party!**



**Make A Gift, Take A Gift**

**December Business Meeting 12/18/2025**

- All gifts must be made, not bought
- To get a gift, you must bring a gift
- Gifts need to be wrapped
- No tags so we can guess who made what!

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other deserts, small  
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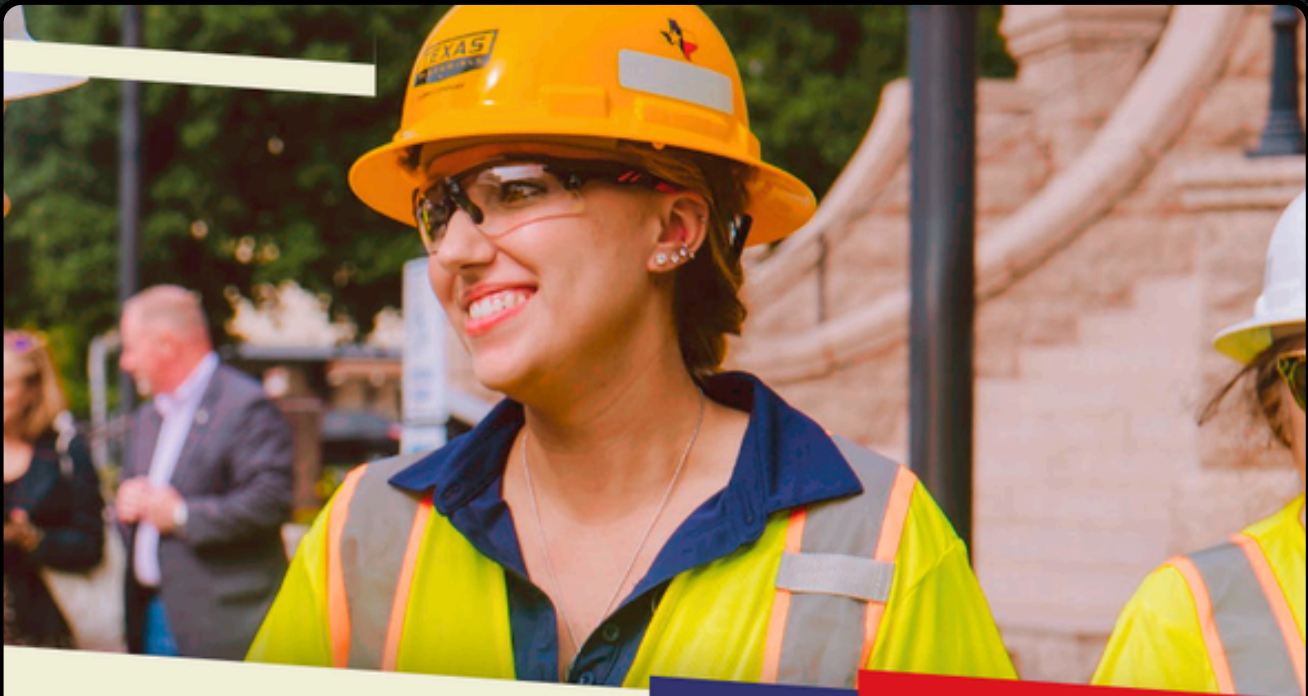
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2025-2026

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2025-2026

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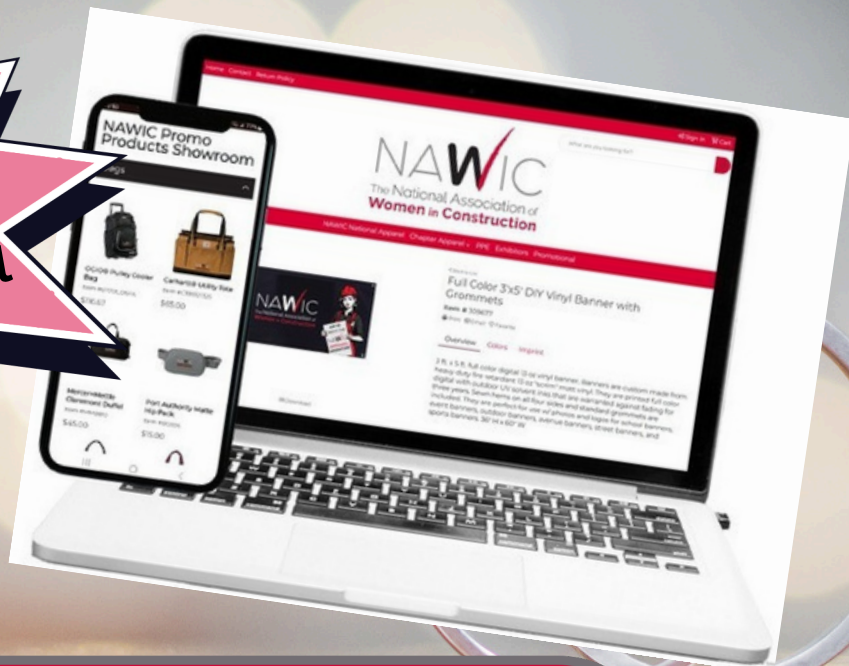


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