



Transitions

We are excited about this year with the Construction Leadership Council (CLC). Our name change has been exciting as we are shifting from the Young Constructors Forum, with our emphasis shifting from “young” to “leadership”.

We are proud to have Chris Vetter serve as our Chairman this year. We are also very fortunate to have two of our members, Andy Huber and Mike Swift, serving as representatives on the National AGC Construction Leadership Council committee.

We would like to thank Andy Huber for his contributions as our 2008 Chairman. Highlights from 2008 included a focus on our key areas of education, networking and service. Educational programs included job site visits at the John Q. Hammons Arena and Performing Arts Center, department store tour at Von Maur and a luncheon with Terry Riley, Kansas City Councilman, to discuss the current economic impact on the construction industry. Networking events included the mainstays of the bowling, Royals and T-Bones Nights. We also built a park-like shelter for the Sherwood Center in their school yard.

Professional Development

We will have a luncheon on February 19th with Breandan Filbert as our guest speaker to share some marketing ideas. The luncheon will be from 11:30 to 1:00 at Figlio's, with registration from 11-11:30. Gina Cline will be sending out registration notices, so be sure to get signed up with her. If you have any suggestions on professional development topics this year, please contact Andy Huber as he is serving as our Education Chair.

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Networking and Social Events

We had a great turnout for our inaugural PowerPlay Event and Membership Drive. We put our youthful competitive spirits to the work with whirly ball, bowling and go-karts. We raised over \$700 with a raffle of some great prizes. The proceeds will be given to the Sherwood Center. Our next social will be the 7th Annual Bowling Night in March with details to follow. Contact Brian Roth, Social Chair, if you have any suggestions for events this year.



PowerPlay!!!

Community Projects

In addition to the raffle proceeds from the PowerPlay event, we also plan to have a service project for the Sherwood Center in the summer. The Sherwood Center provides effective and innovative educational and therapeutic services for children and adults with autism and related disabilities. For more info on the Sherwood Center, their website is www.sherwoodcenter.org. Josh Vogel is the chair of our service committee for 2009. If you have any suggestions or would like info on this project, please contact Josh.

Membership

Our purpose is to promote education, foster the exchange of new ideas, network to build relationships and support the advancement of mid-level professionals in the construction industry. The CLC on a local level has been around since August of 2000 and has a steering committee of 10 individuals and an AGC representative. Gina Cline coordinates the membership application with the AGC, with Courtney Kounkel serving as our Membership Chair this year.

Be sure to check out our website for updates and sign up forms for upcoming events at <http://www.buildersassociation.org/Services/Education/education.html>.

Sherwood Center
Community Benefit Project



Performing Arts Center Job Site Tour



Membership Appreciation Night