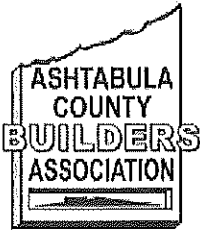


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# ASHTABULA COUNTY BUILDERS ASSOCIATION

## February 2015

### President's Comment

January 26, 2015  
Ashtabula County Builders Association

Hello Members and friends,

I would like to thank everyone for attending our first meeting for 2015. Many times Northeast Ohio weather keeps us home putting another log on the fire, so it was nice to see we had a great turnout.

Mr. Ray Saporito of the Ashtabula County Health Department did a great job explaining the new septic laws and how they will effect out county from the home owner to the general contractor. This was a very informative meeting on all the steps that must be taken before, during and after the installation of a new sanitary system in our county.

Our meeting in February is going to be on the topic of Workers Compensation and how it affects our business and our employees. Christian Williams, a regional business consultant for the Ohio Bureau of Workers Compensation will be our guest speaker. Christian has been with the BWC Youngstown office for over 20 years. Her knowledge and expertise in engineering, risk management, safety, and insurance should be very inviting to our membership.

I would like to welcome (3) new members to our association. Please welcome Brenda Williams and Barb Carr of the Ashtabula County Building Department, Danny Venturella of Venturella and Sons Plumbing and Heating, and Randolph Kaser of Acquire Fire Protection, Inc. Look for a personal biography on each of our new member's in the future new letters and on our website (AshtabulaCountyBuilders.org).

Tickets for our annual Ashtabula County Builders Reverse Raffle will be available at the February meeting. If you would like to sell tickets, please contact myself or one of our board members. If you purchase your tickets before the end of March, you will be entered into a special drawing to win an extra change on the main board. The winner will have their ticket placed into the barrel once the 150th number has been called. Please see enclosed Reverse Raffle Flyer.

I would just like to say "Thank You" to our members for having confidence in me as president of the builders. Also, a special thanks to Bill Romanko as Past President and all that he does for our association.

Thank You,  
Calvin Brown Jr.  
President of Ashtabula County Builders Association

#### Board of Directors

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#### Calendar of Events

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|---------------|--|
| February 12th | Christian Williams<br>Workers<br>Compensation<br>Elks        |
| March 12th    | James Mayer<br>Wells Fargo<br>Casa Capelli                   |
| April 9th     | Subject:<br>How to get<br>approved for State<br>Jobs<br>Elks |
| Social Hour   | 6:00pm   |
| Dinner        | 7:00pm   |

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**OSHA** - A protective coating made by half-baking a mixture of fine print, split hairs, red tape and baloney - usually applied at random with a shot gun.

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NEW MEMBER TO  
A GENERAL MEETING  
ON THE BUILDERS!**

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# Ashtabula County Builders Association Annual Reverse Raffle

**May 2, 2015**

**Grand Prize: \$1,500.00**

50/50 raffle ~ Instant Bingo ~ Black Jack ~ Silent Auction

**\$100.00 Early Bird**  
Drawing at 6:15 p.m.

**\$50.00 a couple**

Includes dinner and open bar

Doors open at 5:00 p.m.

Raffle starts at 7:00 p.m.

Location: Ashtabula County Fairgrounds

4-H Building

All Proceeds will benefit:

**Community Care Committee &**

**The Ashtabula County Builders Association**

For more information or tickets contact:

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## MAKE YOUR MONTHLY MEETING RESERVATION ON THE WEBSITE

[www.ashtabulacountybuilders.org/meeting\\_reservation.html](http://www.ashtabulacountybuilders.org/meeting_reservation.html)

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MEETING DATE \*

\* REQUIRED FIELD

- February 12, 2015
- March 12, 2015
- April 9, 2015
- June 11, 2015
- October 8, 2015
- November 12, 2015

COMPANY NAME \*

ATTENDEE NAME #1 \*

CHOICE OF DINNER ATTENDEE #1 \*

- Prime/Steak
- Chicken Breast
- Baked Fish

ATTENDEE NAME #2

CHOICE OF DINNER ATTENDEE #2

- Prime/Steak
- Chicken Breast
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ATTENDEE NAME #3

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