



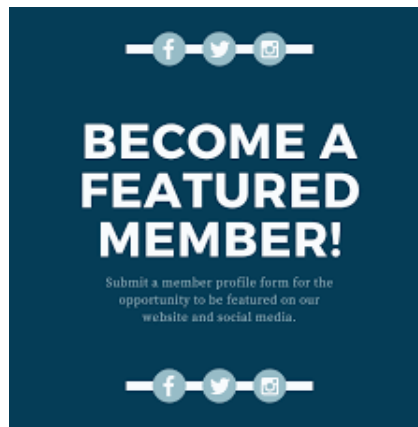
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Save the dates and join us!

- March 24, 2023 CAWGC 90th Anniversary Party
Bolingbrook Country Club
- April 26, 2023 Administrative Professionals' Day
TBD Plainfield
- May 19, 2023 42nd Annual Golf Outing
Cog Hill Golf Club, Lemont
- August 17, 2023 CAWGC Annual Steak Fry
- September 15, 2023 Todd Sandeno Memorial Golf Outing
Nettle Creek Golf Club, Morris

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THE CONTRACTOR CHRONICLES

The Member Newsletter of the
Contractors Association of Will & Grundy Counties



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The CAWGC Annual Steak Fry was held on Thursday August 18, 2022 at St. Joseph's Park in Joliet. The weather was perfect as guests enjoyed the delicious steaks that were prepared by our hardworking members who volunteer year after year. Premier Catering supplied the delectable sides and kept the ice cold drinks flowing. Many attendees had their photo drawn by caricature artist, Bruce Carlevato. The band Sundance kept the crowd happy with familiar favorites and an abundance of energy. This year's event featured a professionally facilitated bean bag tournament. The first place team won \$50 and a trophy. Mike Stevens, and Bruce Wright of TMR came in first. The second place team, Josh Kirby and Aaron King of Alta Equipment Company took second and won \$25. The 50/50 raffle was won by Joe of West Side Tractor. He received half of the \$1,178 pot, and the rest went to our charity of the year, Lightways Hospice and Serious Illness Care.

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FROM THE DESK OF THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

BY LESTER CHENEY



Will County Needs The ILLIANA Expressway

As everyone will agree, the traffic issues between Elwood & Joliet at times are terrible at best. The worst being Laraway Road & Rt 53 to interstate 80. The current expansion of Interstate 80 will help, but not solve the issues. The Houbolt Road bridge over Illinois river will help greatly but won't resolve all issues. I truly believe the only solution is the ILLIANA Expressway to resolve all traffic congestion. Will County is home to the largest inland Port in America. Currently the Elwood & Joliet Intermodals do 3 1/2 million lifts per year combined. Which will double within next 10 years. Certainly the ILLIANA Expressway will provide a tremendous amount of Construction jobs. If we truly want to resolve traffic congestion and make our Roads safer our United Goal should be Build The ILLIANA Expressway. I'm asking for everyone's support on this very critical matter.

Les Cheney
Executive Director
CAWGC

90th

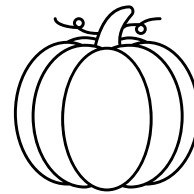
SAVE THE DATE!

Save the date for The Contractors Association of Will & Grundy Counties 90th Anniversary Party, held on March 24, 2023 at the beautiful Bolingbrook Golf Club. Save the date cards and invitations will be sent out at the end of this year with more information.

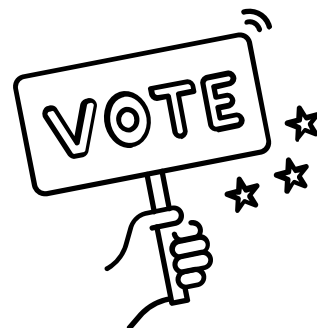
The 2022-2023 CAWGC directory is being printed and will be mailed out at the end of October. The CAWGC has remained strong as we continue to be the voice of the commercial construction industry offering many great benefits to our 217 members. If you need more than one copy, please contact us at (815)741-1455.



2022 CAWGC OKTOBERFEST

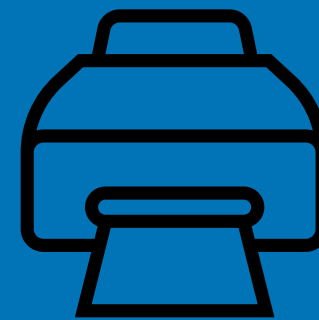


CAWGC will hold it's third annual Oktoberfest as well as the CAWGC directors election on October 6, 2022 from 4-8 PM. The event will take place at the Grundy County Fairgrounds, 8890 N. Illinois Route 47 in Morris. (Just one mile north of I-80/ Exit 112). Ticket prices are \$30 each and attendees will enjoy beer, music, and an Oktoberfest themed menu. Each guest will receive an Oktoberfest Stein, perfect for your favorite beverage. Entertainment will be provided by the Downhillers. The 50/50 raffle proceeds will go to the CAWGC charity of the year, Lightways Hospice and Serious Illness Care.



Video Conference Room Available to All Members

The video conference room in the CAWGC office is available to all members. The well designed meeting space is equipped with easy-to-use technology that allows meetings to flow effortlessly and helps all to be more productive and engaged. Call the office, (815)-741-1455 or email: kcichon@kawgc.org to schedule usage of the conference room.



KIP Printer will no longer be available in CAWGC office

The KIP printer in the CAWGC conference office will no longer be available after the first of the year. We are working to secure a partnership for future printing needs.

2022 Todd Sandeno Memorial Golf Outing

The 2nd Annual Todd Sandeno Memorial Golf Outing was held on Friday, September 9th at Nettle Creek Country Club. The outing had a new set up this year with a morning outing of 18-holes and an afternoon outing of 9-holes. All enjoyed a banquet lunch courtesy of Indicom Electric Company, of pulled pork, baked beans and au-gratin potatoes. Each golfer received a CAWGC cooler bag, koozies, and golf tees courtesy of the Association. The morning Todd Sandeno Memorial Best Team prize went to Edward Jones. The afternoon Best Team Prize went to Alta Equipment. Drinks were flowing, thanks to: D'Arcy Buick GMC, D Construction, Baish Excavating and Rod Baker Ford. \$4,000 in cash prizes were won courtesy of our generous sponsors, and even a Las Vegas Trip, courtesy of the IIFFC! Guests enjoyed live entertainment by Alex Hoffer, sponsored by D'Arcy Buick GMC. It's no wonder this golf outing sells out in record time with amazing prizes, food, and fun had by all!

CAWGC ANNUAL STEAK FRY 2022



2nd Annual Todd Sandeno Memorial Outing

