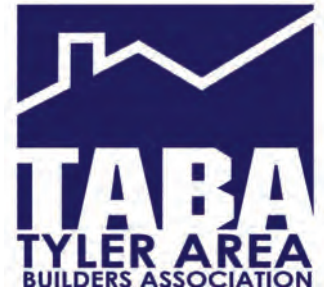


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2 Welcome

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



This month provides many opportunities to make the most of your membership and get involved.

If you've already found value in membership, we hope you'll tell others about the benefits of joining TABA. Our Membership Drive starts in a few days and we have room for a few more team members, so call the TABA office to sign up.

Join us for the first-ever TABA "Putting Par-Tee" on October 15th at Green Acres Putt-Putt. This will be a laid back evening to spend with your TABA friends and meet new contacts. And hopefully, the weather will be a little cooler!

Also plan to bring your kids or grandkids to the Fall Family Festival on October 26th. Last year, this event was a huge hit and now we've added even more activities to make it a fun-filled morning at TABA.

Last but not least, mark your calendar for the 2014 Home Products Show Booth Draw on October 24th. Prime spots at the 2014 Home Products Show always go fast, so be sure to attend the booth draw and secure a spot!

Carlton Edwards
2013 President

2014 HOME PRODUCTS SHOW BOOTH DRAW

Thursday, October 24
5:30 p.m.

It's that time again! In order to comply with new fire codes, booths have been remapped for the 2014 Home Products Show. **That means this year is a complete booth redraw, so no one is guaranteed their previous space.**

Additional deposits will be required for premium spaces. Watch your email during the first week of October for contract and prices .

2013 Membership Drive

OCTOBER 2, 2013

Join the 2013 Membership Drive and earn fantastic prizes!

Details:

On October 2nd, team members will work shifts at TABA calling potential new members. TABA will have a list of contacts to call, but you may bring your own list as well. New member is only valid with completed application and payment. You can still join a team! Call TABA at (903) 561-3964!

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EDUCATION NEWS

Builder Assessment Review (BAR) Exam

- Wednesday, October 16
8:30 a.m. - Noon at TABA
Register online or call TABA to enroll.

One of the required classes for NAHB's Graduate Master Builder Designation.

TABA Member Orientation

- Tuesday, October 16
Noon at TABA

Join us for a light lunch as we show you how your TABA membership can benefit you and your business.

Negotiating Skills

- Tuesday, October 22
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m at TABA
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In addition to addressing new legislatively mandated contractor payment requirements in locally-declared disaster areas, **many improvements have been made to the 2013 - 2015 contracts package**, which include:



a new construction services agreement between the builder and prospective clients;



performance standard updates and numerous other changes that reflect best practices and up to date construction transactions;



integration of several court decisions in the last two years that more clearly define the rights of all parties; and



revised warranty and performance standards, including foundation performance to reflect current engineering practices.

4 Membership

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* New members as of August 31st

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In attendance to TABA's General Membership Meeting and Government Officials Appreciation Luncheon were TAB Executive Director Scott Norman, TAB Vice President of Regulatory Affairs & General Council Ned Munoz, NAHB 3rd Vice Chairman candidate Granger MacDonald, TAB Vice President of Administration, Mary Castetter, & TAB First Vice President, Joe Carlyle

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October 2013

October 1

Board of Directors

4 p.m. at TABA

After Hours Sponsored by East Texas Title

5-7 p.m. at TABA

October 2

Membership Drive

Social Events Committee

4 p.m. at TABA

October 7

Builder Assessment Review

8:30 a.m. - Noon at TABA

October 15

TABA Putting Par-Tee

4 p.m. - 8 p.m. at Green Acres Bowling Alley

October 16

Member Orientation

Noon at TABA

October 17

**Builders' Luncheon Sponsored by
Cassity Jones Lumber**

Noon at Clear Springs Texas Seafood

October 22

Negotiating Skills

8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

October 24

Home Products Show Booth Draw

5:30 p.m. at TABA

October 26

Fall Family Festival

9 a.m. - 11 a.m. at TABA

October 28

Public Relations Committee Meeting

2:00 p.m. at TABA

Budget & Finance Committee Meeting

4 p.m. at TABA

October 30

Education Committee Meeting

4:00 p.m. at TABA

October 31

**Builders Luncheon Sponsored by Citizens
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Membership Committee Meeting

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