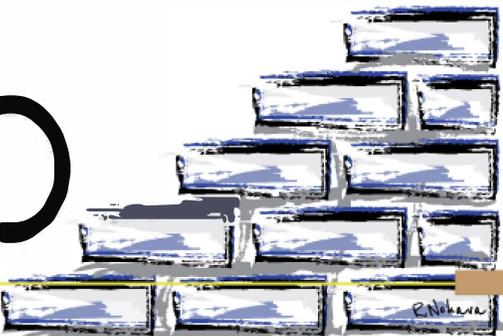


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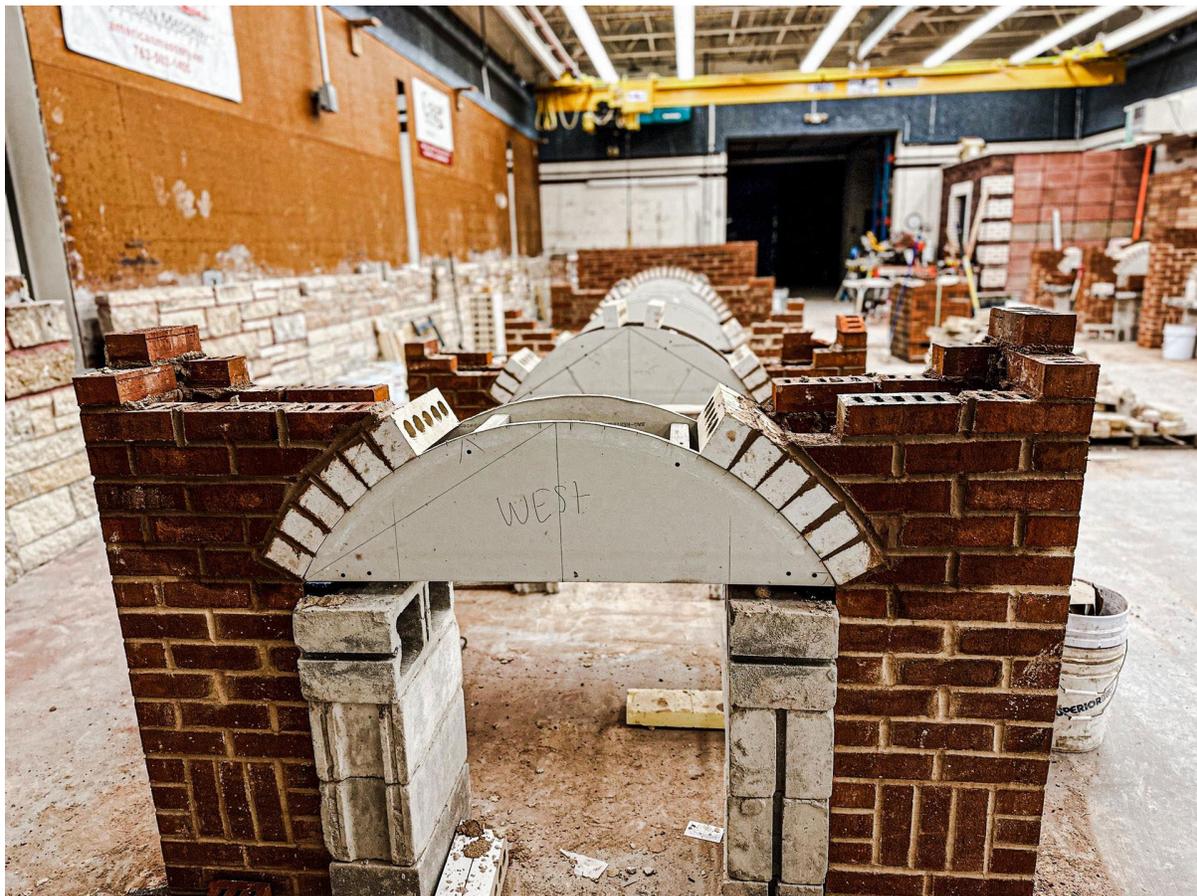


Construct Tomorrow – Heritage Center of Brooklyn Center

On December 7, we set up a booth at the Construct Tomorrow event at the Heritage Center of Brooklyn Center. These events are the best way to spark interest in curious youth and provide a basic understanding of both apprenticeship and the type of work our crafts perform. 1700 high school students from schools around the area had the opportunity to have hands-on experiences with different union trades. A special thanks to our apprentice volunteers Alexis Kroska, Christian Schultz, and Tong Yang and to Rod Schmidt and Terry Wong for stopping by.

PCC and Correspondence
Apprentice Classes Begin
January 16.
Check the Calendar for Your Dates!

'Tis the Season for Arches



every year in the fall the second-year brick apprentices begin the arch project. This project begins as two hollow piers, then they craft a form, and lay brick over the top. It's great practice working with their levels and a challenge to keep both piers parallel and level. Over the next few months, these projects will be used by our PCC apprentices to practice grinding, tuckpointing, and caulking.

1st Year Apprentices Sworn In

The Annual Holiday Union Meeting took place in mid-December. Many first-year apprentices were in attendance and officially sworn into the union.



First Aid/CPR Certification

We hosted two sessions of First Aid CPR Certification this month. This is an 8-hour safety certification through the Minnesota Safety Council. This course includes First Aid, CPR, and AED use of automated external defibrillator. Attendees consisted primarily of brick and tile apprentices and a few journey-workers for upgrade certification.

CPR First Aid Certification needs to be renewed every two years. Register now for the next session

[Register Here](#)

Pre-Apprenticeship Dates
Coming Soon!

Keep an eye out for February's issue!

Register for Pre-Apprenticeship
Here!

OSHA 3115 Fall Protection Certification

We will be hosting a certification course for OSHA #3115, Fall Protection, January 24-26. 7:30am-4pm.

This course covers the OSHA Fall Protection Standard for construction and an overview of fall protection methods. Course topics include principles of fall protection, components and limitations of fall arrest systems, and OSHA Standards and policies regarding fall protection. Students will participate in workshops demonstrating the inspection and use of fall protection equipment, residential construction fall protection, training requirements, and developing a fall protection program. Upon course completion students will have the ability to assess compliance with the OSHA Fall Protection Standard, evaluate installed passive systems and fall arrest systems, and develop and implement fall protection plans.

This program is open to BAC members and representatives. In order to complete this program and receive a certificate, participants are to attend all three days and successfully pass final exam. Class is limited to 20 persons.

[Register Here](#)

Upcoming Events & Classes

January 2023				
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
2	3 1st Year Brick - Group B	4 2nd Year Tile Finishers	5 1st Year Tile Layers	6
9 1st Year Brick - Group A	10 1st Year Brick - Group B	11 2nd Year Brick 2nd Year Tile Layers	12 1st Year Tile Finishers 3rd Year Brick	13
16	17	18	19	20
1st Year PCC Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
1st Year Correspondence Brick Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
		2nd Year Tile Finishers	1st Year Tile Layers	
23	24	25 Volunteer Opportunity! Construct Tomorrow	26	27
2nd Year PCC Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
3rd Year PCC Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
OSHA 3115 Fall Protection, 7am-3:30pm				
1st Year Brick - Group A	1st Year Brick - Group B	2nd Year Brick 1st Year Tile Finishers	3rd Year Brick 2nd Year Tile Layers	
30	31			
1st Year PCC Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
2nd & 3rd Year Correspondence Brick Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				
All Correspondence Tile Classes Mon-Fri, 7am-3:30pm				

Calendar