



NIBCA November 2016 News to Know!

Message from the NIBCA Executive Officer

NIBCA is wrapping up a successful and productive 2016 and looking forward to thriving in 2017! I want to give a heartfelt **Thank You** to all the volunteers that give countless hours to assure that everything we attempt becomes a successful endeavor! We just completed a membership drive and have 4 new companies that now call NIBCA their association: **Northcon, Inc. - Big Sky Remodel & Construction - Idaho Trust Bank - and Coeur d'Alene Portfolio Real Estate.** Our Spike Club can now welcome 2 new members because of these October sponsorships! Congratulations to Joe Rosen and Ron Nelson! Now, more than ever, is the perfect time to be a part of our growing Association!



Shelly Donovan,
NIBCA Executive
Officer

We are welcoming over 400 people to our Gone Wild Fundraising Event this Thursday, Nov. 3rd, from 4:30 to 8:00 pm at the Best Western Plus Coeur d'Alene Inn. If you're a Spike Club member, come early to the FREE Spike Reception. We expect to make over \$25,000 toward NIBCA programs and services.

Wait until you hear what's happening next year! I hope you're planning on attending the International Builders Show in Orlando, Florida on Jan. 10 - 13th. If you are not planning on attending, I would highly recommend you mark your calendars for the 2018 IBS that will be in Orlando, Florida again on Jan. 9 - 11th, 2018. We will have our Installation of 2017 Officers on Wednesday, January 18th. The 2016 Builder, Associate, and Company of the Year will also be recognized at this event. Then, we are traveling to Boise on Feb. 1st - 3rd to meet with our State Association and host our legislatures for a luncheon. The Home & Garden Show committee is already meeting to ensure that our event on March 3rd, 4th, and 5th is the best ever. Mark your calendars now!

The networking events that we have throughout the year give all of our members an excellent opportunity to expand their contacts within our industry. The North Idaho Builders' Political Action Committee (NIB-PAC) and Joint Government Issues Committee continue to work hard to strengthen our political relationships at the local level. Our Membership Committee continues to focus on retention and making sure we are recruiting the appropriate members for the benefit of our organization. The Professional Woman in Building (PWB) just seems to grow in numbers and never shy away from any challenges for the benefit of our association.

Please, as your year winds down, take time to maximize your membership by getting involved. Support our networking opportunities and all of our committees with your attendance at our events to maximize your foothold in our organization, This will ensure you maximize your membership investment. Your involvement is paramount

to the success of the North Idaho Building Contractors Association. NIBCA offers more! We're here to serve you - let us know how we can help!

Sincerely,

Shelly Donovan
 NIBCA Executive Officer
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Upcoming Meetings & Events

Click on the blue title link for more information.

<p>NIBCA Professional Women in Building Executive Board Meeting Wednesday, November 2nd, 5:15 pm Caruso's</p>	<p>NIBCA 2016 Gone Wild Thursday, November 3rd, 4:30 pm Best Western Plus Coeur d'Alene Inn This event is sold-out! <i>We will not be accepting registrations at the door. If you haven't received a confirmation, then we don't have you registered. Refunds will not be given for no-shows.</i></p>
<p>NIBCA FREE Professional Photos Friday, November 4th, 7:30 to 10:30 am, and 12:00 to 2:00 pm Come and take advantage of this member benefit Sponsored by Stuart's Media Group No appointment necessary</p>	<p>Daylight Savings Time Sunday, November 6th, 2016 Fall Back 1 Hour</p>
<p>NIBCA Finance Committee Monday, November 7th, 1:00 pm NIBCA Office</p>	<p>NIBCA 2017 Budget Committee Monday, November 7th, 2:00 pm NIBCA Office</p>
<p>NIBCA November Board of Directors Thursday, November 10th, 4:00 pm NIBCA Office</p>	<p>NIBCA Office Closed Friday, November 11th, 2016 Veteran's Day</p>
<p>NIBCA Home & Garden Committee Monday, November 14th, 4:00 pm NIBCA Office</p>	<p>NIBCA Joint Government Issues Tuesday, November 15th, 12:00 pm NIBCA Office</p>
<p>NIBCA Houzz University Webinar Wednesday, November 16th 2:00 - 3:30 pm</p>	<p>NIBCA Professional Women in Building Committee Meeting Friday, November 18th, 12:00 pm Elmer's Restaurant</p>
<p>NIBCA Office Closed Thursday & Friday, November 24th & 25th Happy Thanksgiving!</p>	<p>Coeur d'Alene Festival of Trees Nov. 25th to Nov. 28th The NIBCA Professional Women in Building will present a tree in the theme: "It's a Wonderful, Whimsical Life"</p>
<p>NIBCA Professional Women in Building WARMING TREE at NIBCA Office Monday, November 28th Please donate new hats, coats, blankets, gloves, scarves or money. Everything</p>	<p>NIBCA vs. City of Hayden Trial Monday, November 28th to Wednesday, November, 30th Kootenai County Courthouse</p>

collected will be given to the St. Vincent dePaul Warming Center just before Christmas.	
NIBCA Finance Committee Meeting Tuesday, December 6th, 12:00 pm NIBCA Office	NIBCA December Board Meeting and New Board Member Reception Thursday, December 8th, 4:00 pm NIBCA Office
NIBCA Office Closed Friday, December 23rd, 2016 Monday, December 26th, 2016 Monday, January 2nd, 2017 Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!	NAHB International Builder Show January 10th to 13th, 2017 Orlando, Florida
NIBCA Finance Committee Meeting Tuesday, January 10th, 2017, 12:00 pm NIBCA Office	Professional Women in Building Meeting Friday, January 13th, 2017 12:00 pm Elmer's Restaurant
NIBCA January Joint Government Issues Tuesday, January 17th, 2017 12:00 pm NIBCA Office	NIBCA January General Membership Installation of Officers & Company, Builder, and Associate of the Year Announced Wednesday, January 18th, 2017 5:00 to 7:00 pm, Location TBD
NIBCA January Board of Directors Thursday, January 19th, 2017, 4:00 to 5:00 pm NIBCA Office	Idaho Building Contractors Association Winter Boards & Legislative Lunch January 1st - 3rd, Boise, Idaho
NIBCA 2017 Home & Garden Show Friday, March 3rd, 2017 ~ 12 to 6 pm Saturday, March 4th, 2017 ~ 10 am to 6 pm Sunday, March 5th, 2017 ~ 10 am to 4 pm Kootenai County Fairgrounds More Information to Come!	NIBCA 2017 Parade of Homes Show Saturday, August 12th, 2017 ~ 11 am - 6 pm Sunday, August 13th, 2017 ~ 11 am - 6 pm Friday, August 18th, 2017 ~ 1 pm - 6 pm Saturday, August 19th, 2017 ~ 11 am - 6 pm Sunday, August 20th, 2017 ~ 11 am - 4 pm More Information to Come!

[Click Here](#) to visit the NIBCA website with more information.

To receive free text message updates about upcoming meetings & events, text "notify NIBCA" to phone #313131.

NIBCA 2017 Sponsorship Opportunities



The 2017 Major Sponsorship Opportunities are now available for you to review. The opportunities are limited so don't hesitate, sign up today!

[Click here](#) to download the brochure with more details about opportunities that are still available to you in 2017. **Congratulations to Idaho Central Credit Union for becoming the first NIBCA Platinum Sponsor for 2017!** Thank you for your support!

For more information & to sign-up for this special opportunity, contact the NIBCA office at Info@NIBCA.com.

NIBCA Member-Only **FREE** Professional Photo Shoot

When you join NIBCA, you are joining a family! In order to "Thank You" for being a loyal member, you and your staff are invited to have your professional photo taken

at the NIBCA office **THIS Friday, November 4th from 7:30 to 10:30 am or from 12:00 to 2:00 pm.**

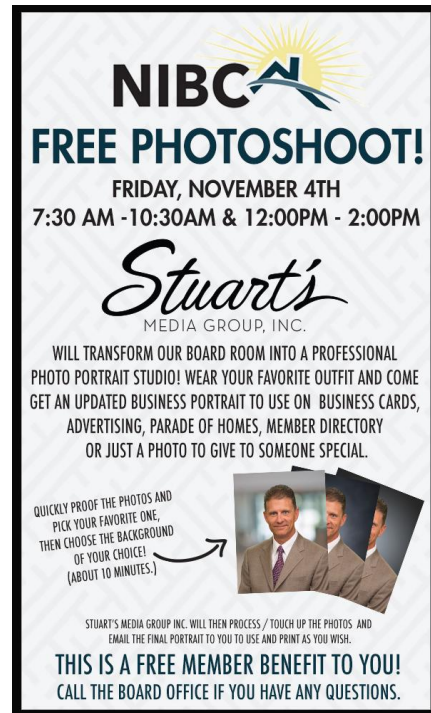
[Click here](#) to download an informational brochure.

One of our new members, Deloy Stuart with [Stuart's Media Group](#), is generously donating his time, talent, and resources to will transform our boardroom into a professional portrait studio.

Wear your most professional outfit in order to get your business photo updated that you can use on business cards, in advertising, in the NIBCA 2017 Directory, or just to give to someone special.

After your photo is taken you will be able to proof the photos, pick your favorite one, and select the background of your choice. Stuart's Media Group, Inc. will touch up the photos and email to you to use and print. The entire process should take 10 minutes.

Please take advantage of this FREE benefit for NIBCA members only. Don't hesitate to contact the NIBCA office with any questions, Info@NIBCA.com or (208) 765-5518. Reservations are not needed.



NIBCA
FREE PHOTOSHOOT!
FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4TH
7:30 AM - 10:30AM & 12:00PM - 2:00PM

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WILL TRANSFORM OUR BOARD ROOM INTO A PROFESSIONAL PHOTO PORTRAIT STUDIO! WEAR YOUR FAVORITE OUTFIT AND COME GET AN UPDATED BUSINESS PORTRAIT TO USE ON BUSINESS CARDS, ADVERTISING, PARADE OF HOMES, MEMBER DIRECTORY OR JUST A PHOTO TO GIVE TO SOMEONE SPECIAL.

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STUART'S MEDIA GROUP INC. WILL THEN PROCESS / TOUCH UP THE PHOTOS AND EMAIL THE FINAL PORTRAIT TO YOU TO USE AND PRINT AS YOU WISH.

THIS IS A FREE MEMBER BENEFIT TO YOU!
CALL THE BOARD OFFICE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

NIBCA 2017 Membership Directory



We are in the process of updating our database in preparation for the 2017 NIBCA Membership Directory. [Click here](#) to log in to your member-only profile so you can review and update your company information online. If you haven't logged in yet, you should have received an email earlier today that will allow you do just that. Contact the NIBCA office if you need us to send it to you

again, (208) 765-5518, Info@NIBCA.com.

All updates need to be made by December 9th. Advertising opportunities in this directory are available. Contact [Deloy Stuart](#) with Stuart's Media Group at (208) 234-1565 or nibca@stuartmedia.com for more information.

Houzz University Webinar

The NIBCA is hosting an exclusive Houzz webinar on November 16th from 2:00 to 3:30 pm.

During this interactive presentation, Houzz experts will virtually work with you to create a compelling & complete professional profile on Houzz to promote your brand.



For more information & to sign-up for this special opportunity,

contact the NIBCA office at Info@NIBCA.com.

Professional Women in Building **Warming Tree**

Warming Tree



The NIBCA Professional Women in Building or "PWB" will be putting together a festive **"Warming Tree"** at the NIBCA office. They will be collecting new hats, gloves, scarves, blankets, coats and monetary donations that will be given to the St. Vincent dePaul's Warming Center. Please feel free to drop your items and donation off at the NIBCA office anytime on or before December 19th.

Are you interested in finding out more about PWB? Contact Tammy VanBrunt, PWB President for more information, (208) 699-7493 or [click here](#) to download the membership application.

Your Home Inspection Checklist



After the excitement of having your offer on a house accepted, the reality of the home-buying process often sets in with the long list of items to complete before closing day. And at the top of your to-do list should be scheduling a home inspection.

Although not required by law, many lenders do require a home inspection, which helps protect the large investment you are about to make. You'll want to learn as much as you can about the physical condition of the home before you buy it, to ensure it's a sound investment. And while an inspection cannot guarantee the condition of a home, the inspector can alert you to items that need repair or any safety concerns. [Read more.](#)

Check out this Special Member Benefit

NIBCA members are always looking for the best deals on travel costs. Check out this special offer for members only and save!



[Click Here](#) to to learn how members can get up to a 25% discount on over 200,000 vacation rentals worldwide. Call 877-782-9387 and mention NAHB at time of reservation.

3 Questions to Ask Yourself About DIY Remodeling

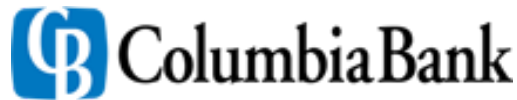
Dozens of do-it-yourself TV programs continually inspire consumers with new design ideas for their homes. Thousands of big-name home improvement retailer locations make it more convenient to find supplies. And millions of how-to videos online highlight seemingly simple step-by-step instructions that incite confidence in even the most novice of "handymen."



It's no wonder why DIY projects account for well over one-third of all home remodeling projects. Successfully completing a job on one's own can create an unparalleled sense of personal accomplishment. [Read more.](#)

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