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HOME BUILDERS ASSOCIATION of WAYNE & HOLMES COUNTIES

February Membership Event—Breakfast

Das Dutch Kitchen, Dalton

February 16, 2016, 7:00 a.m. eat at 7:30 a.m.

Deadline for RSVP by Tuesday, February 9

2016 Economic Forecast

Robert Giacomo, Westfield Bank

Directions: (From Wooster) Take 30 East past Rt. 57 & Kidron Road, on the left just past Lake Harmony.

Cost: One meal is **FREE** per company, each additional meal is \$12.00. There is a \$12 charge for no shows & cancellations after the reservation deadline.

THIS IS A DON'T MISS EVENT & IS WELL ATTENDED!

**INTERESTED IN BUILDING IN
THE 2016 PARADE?**

MEETING IS 2/2 AT 9:30 A.M. AT THE HBA!

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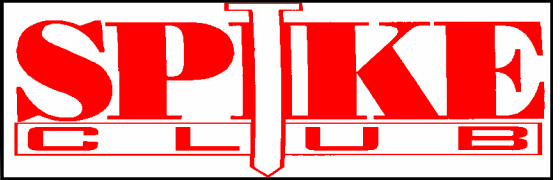
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Focus on Membership

UP FOR RENEWAL

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 Miller Homes



Thru 12/31/15
LIFE SPIKE

THANK YOU FOR RENEWING

89 Homes & Building
 Buckeye Mobile Power Wash
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 Galehouse Lumber
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 Mast Builders
 Metals USA
 Shetler Excavating
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 Wayne County Title
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 Wooster Glass Co.

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HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS

Leroy Mullet	2002
Stan Galehouse	2003
Ben Weaver	2003
Paul Miller	2004
Terry Pol	2004
Atlee Yoder	2007
Ron Lechner	2015
Tony Mullet	2015
Wayne Riggerbach	2015
Dave Showers	2015
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*A Message from your
Chairman of the Board
Merle Stutzman*

Happy New Year!

It's hard to believe we are almost through January already. Home building is very busy and 2016 looks like it will be a great year. The upswing in new construction is good for our industry, the builders, suppliers, banks, title companies and many other businesses that are impacted by new homes. It's exciting to see so much interest in new homes again. Despite the increase in some building materials impacting the cost of new construction consumer confidence is still the most important factor in new home sales. When consumers feel confident in their jobs, and the economy they are more comfortable in purchasing a home.

I just returned from the International Builders show in Las Vegas and it was really busy and industry experts are predicting a 13 -18% increase in new home sales in 2016. Our industries biggest challenge currently is the labor force. We need to encourage and support the next generation

that has interest in construction. Let's continue to share the benefits of our HBA to our subs and suppliers and encourage them to join in supporting our industry through membership.

Merle

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PARADE DEALS

Now is also the time to get your deals into HBA for the Parade Builders. We can present these to the Parade Builders at the February 2 Parade of Homes Meeting.
Fax, email, snail mail we take it anyway!

Advertise in the Monthly HBA Focus Newsletter

300+ are mailed/emailed each month!

INCLUDES A FREE LINK TO YOUR WEBSITE!

\$200 a year for 1/16 page

\$350 a year for 1/8 page

(\$50 setup per ad change during the year.)

Do you have a special event you would like the Members to know about?

You can now put run an **ANNOUNCEMENT** in the HBA newsletter for your one time event. A 1/8 page, text only, no website link, for \$40.00 to run once! (See the size below.)

WE NEED YOU!

The Following Committees have Openings

Please call the HBA if you would like to be involved:

- COMMUNITY RELATIONS • GOLF OUTING (both)
- MEMBERSHIP • PARADE OF HOMES
- REVERSE FUND • SOCIAL / GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

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March 21 (TENATIVE)
Meet your Building
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Discussions

April 18 —Business
After Hours at
Lincoln Way Interiors &
Dutch Country Stone,
Old Lincolnway, Wooster



PARADE OF HOMES

Scattered Site

July 22-24 & July 29-31, 2016

Join the Team - Be a Sponsor!

Deadline for Sponsorship with ad copy is May 23, 2016

NOTE: The above Deadline is Final.

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Silver Sponsor \$ 750.00

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Get Your Name out – Run an Ad in the Brochure

Glossy Color	\$600.00 (Limited Availability)	9.437" high x 7.437" wide
Full Page Ad	\$400.00 ADD COLOR FOR \$45.00	9.437" high x 7.437" wide
½ Page Ad	\$250.00 ADD COLOR FOR \$35.00	4.718" high x 7.437" wide
¼ Page Ad	\$200.00 ADD COLOR FOR \$25.00	4.718" high x 3.718" wide

5000 Brochures are distributed 4 weeks prior to the Parade in the grocery stores, restaurants & businesses in Wayne & Holmes Co.

NON-MEMBERS WELCOME!

ADD \$300 to all above listed prices.

Color ads in brochure are an additional \$60 for full page, \$40 for 1/2 page & \$20 for 1/4 page plus cost of ad.

*All sponsorships & ads are subject to approval by
the Parade committee*

2016 Inaugural of Merle Stutzman

Everyone had a great time, catching up & networking was great!

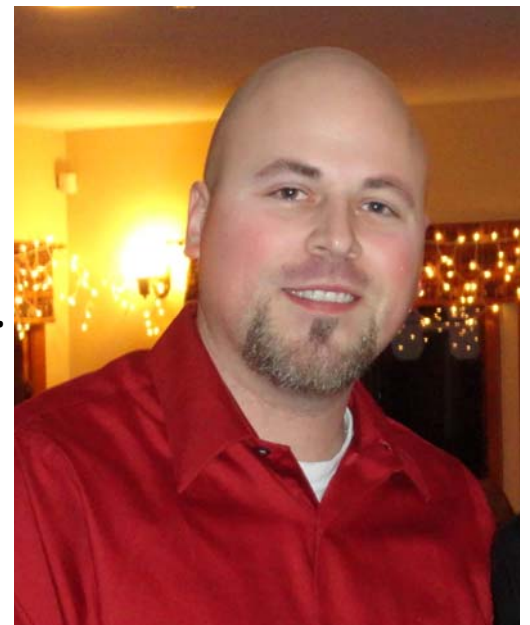
2015 Chairman of the Board Mark Zollinger presented the awards:

*Chairman of the Year—Linda Amos
(voted by the Board of Directors)*



*President's Honor Award—
Bob Giacomo
for his dedication to the
HBA.*

*Associate of the Year Mark Dorffer
(voted by all members)*



2016 Inaugural of Merle Stutzman



*Terry Pol presented the
Builder of the Year to
Zollinger Builders
(voted by all members)*

*Five Honorary Life Membership were given.
(voted on by the Board of Directors)*



*Ron Lechner
Tony Mullet*



*Wayne
Riggenschach*



Ed Suttle

*Unable to attend
Dave Showers*



*2015 Chairman of the Board
Mark Zollinger
hands over the
podium to
2016 Chairman of the Board
Merle Stutzman*





EXECUTIVE VICE PRESIDENT'S COLUMN

*By Vincent J. Squillace, CAE
Executive Vice President,
Ohio Home Builders Association*

NAHB CONVENTION A SHOWCASE FOR THE INDUSTRY

The annual convention of our industry just concluded last week. Once again, it was a showcase of a proud industry association demonstrating its sincere interest in serving all who make a living in this industry. There was something of interest for all. One had to be there to experience the excitement and vibrancy the association provides.

Hundreds from Ohio attended. This was most encouraging to find so many of our members getting a firsthand experience of the event. The topics covered in education and information sessions was as broad as the industry is wide. The legislative and regulatory updates increased the awareness of current and future regulatory hurdles you may face when planning your next project. All who attended will be the best prepared for these challenges.

Naturally, there was fun, big time entertainment and a showcase of the latest products and home furnishings available. As I said, just about something for everyone. A much stated goal for the association this year is to regain much of the membership lost the past few years. A necessary goal for sure. The industry and

its efforts will be enhanced as we grow to our full potential. Hopefully, you all will be recognized spikes at next year's event by sponsoring new members. As a new member sponsor you will be ready to attend and enjoy next year's show and strengthen your industry association as well.



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OHBA LEGISLATIVE REVIEW

CALL BEFORE YOU DIG ENFORCEMENT IN EFFECT

The new enforcement provisions of existing Call Before You Dig laws became effective January 1, 2016. While the PUCO rules implementing the new law are expected to be finalized later this year, the statutory provisions are in effect. Be sure to call OUPS when required to do so, and the PUCO will be sending out invoices in 2017 for registration based on those calls to OUPS in 2016.

- **When and who is required to call OUPS?**

- The person or persons responsible for making the actual excavation **MUST** contact the Ohio Utilities Protection Service, 8-1-1 or 1-800-362-2764, at least 48 hours but no more than 10 working days (excluding weekends and legal holidays) before beginning ANY digging project.

Each separate entity planning to excavate is required to call OUPS. **Note:** if a subcontractor has been hired to do any digging, the entity/person responsible for the actual excavation is required to call.

- **Excavation** is defined as, "the use of hand tools, powered equipment, or explosives to move earth, rock, or other materials in order to penetrate or bore or drill into the earth, or to demolish any structure whether or not it is intended that the demolition will disturb the earth. "Excavation" includes such agricultural operations as the installation of drain tile, but excludes agricultural operations such as tilling that do not penetrate the earth to a depth of more than twelve inches." (ORC 3781.25 (I))

- **Note: Everyone must call. An excavator is still required to call even if there are already marks present from a separate entity doing excavation on the same site, or in the same trench, if they are doing any work that would constitute excavation from definition above.**

- **Developers:** 3781.27 (A) In order to ascertain the name of each utility with underground utility facilities located at the proposed excavation site and the types and tolerance zones of those facilities based on current records of the utility, any developer who is planning a project that will require excavation or the designer employed by the developer for the project shall notify a protection service of the location of the proposed excavation site.

The January 27th scheduled meeting of the RCAC to discuss 2012/2015 IECC has been **CANCELLED**. The next meeting of the Board of Building Standards Residential Construction Advisory Committee will be on Wednesday, February 24, at 9 a.m. at the Division of Industrial Compliance, 6606 Tussing Road, Training Room 3, Reynoldsburg, Ohio .

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Farmers State Bank	Mid-Ohio Concrete	TimCo Pavement Striping
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Happy Valentines Day!!