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Dear Members,

It's great when we can spotlight our member's accomplishments. This month I would like to take the time to highlight and offer "CONGRATULATIONS" to Jessica Young. She is employed by Pumford Construction as a Project Management Assistant & Accounts Receivable Associate.

Jessica recently completed the necessary requirements to become a "Construction Industry Technician"(CIT). The CIT training is set up as a self-paced, home study program. Passing an examination at the end of the course establishes mastery of the material and upon successful completion, the participant will receive the Construction Industry Technician Certification. This certification acknowledges the accomplishment of attaining a higher professional level in the construction industry. Jessica is also Vice President/President Elect of the National Association of Women in Construction (NAWIC) Chapter 378 in the Great Lakes Bay Region. Way to go, Jessica! If you have any news you would like to share with our members, please send it to me.

Maria Sandow
Executive Director

GLSTC 11th Annual "Safety for the Kids" Golf Outing

Welcome New Members

- US Trackworks LLC.

Tee it up! The GLSTC's 11th Annual "Safety for the Kids" Golf Outing will be held at the Swan Valley Golf Club on



July 23rd. This annual event is held to support local building trades students from local high schools. These programs give students important and needed experience in the building and construction fields. Last year's event was a success, and through the outstanding support GLSTC was able to provide safety training, protective equipment, power tools and scaffolding to these students. We had a WINNER in our putting contest last year. [THE PUTT](#) that won \$5,000. For registration and sponsorship information, please call us at (989)-837-2332 or go to www.great-lakes-safety.com/. We look forward to seeing you there!

GLSTC Security Background Checks

Have you ever thought about using security background checks to verify employee information? The GLSTC offers this service for your piece of mind and convenience. There are many reasons why you might consider security background checks and they are all important to your business. If you are asking yourself; Why do I need a GLSTC Security Background Check to verify my employee information? Contact GLSTC Background Check Specialist Deb Criner at (989) 837-2332. Deb can answer your questions, or go to www.great-lakes-safety.com/

The GLSTC Video Library

One of the best tools we have to offer our members, is our video library. Offer your workers a quick and easy video refresher between certifications. We have partnered with "Summit Training Source" to provide GLSTC members with up to date safety videos. These videos can be checked out for FREE. Find all of

Provides railroad track repair and construction

- **Anthony Gushow & Sons Inc.**
Provides excavation and heavy hauling of materials
- **Choice Concrete Inc.**
Provides concrete for construction

OSHA To Increase Oversight

In an effort to crack down on fraudulent training classes, the U.S. Department of Labor's (DOL) Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) May 20 announced it is increasing the oversight of its Outreach Training Program and changing how participants become authorized to teach in this field. We at GLSTC take this very seriously, and would welcome scrutiny of our program as we know our instructors are trained according to regulations and conduct class accordingly. For more information, visit the OSHA website at www.osha.gov/

Severe Weather Safety Tips For You

If severe weather was on the way, and you had to deal with the possibility of a tornado approaching, would you know what to do? Tornadoes are the most destructive atmospheric phenomenon with winds up to 250 miles per hour. What about when a thunderstorm is heading your way or developing? Or how about when you feel your hair standing on end? Did you know lightning can strike several miles away from a thunderstorm. How about Flash Floods, or River Floods? For help to prepare and respond to Severe Weather Events, go to NWSFO at www.srh.noaa.gov/

our available titles at www.great-lakes-safety.com/

GLSTC Upcoming Classes: APOLLO RCA, OSHA, MIOSHA

We have a variety of upcoming safety courses for your convenience. Please check them out and let us know what we can do to help get you registered. Just as a reminder, MIOSHA Level 1 Certification has come to GLSTC. To receive this certification, a person must complete six hours worth of training through the MIOSHA Training Institute (MTI) within three years. By completing the Level 1 certification your company can earn "Good Faith Credits" that will be used to calculate penalties in the event of a MIOSHA inspection. For more information about MTI and Level 1 certification, please go to www.great-lakes-safety.com/

Apollo RCA classes coming up.

9/22/09	Apollo Practitioner	8:00-4:30	\$845
9/24/09	Apollo Super User	8:00-4:30	\$470

Register Now!

OSHA classes coming up.

9/28-10/01	OSHA 30 Hour Const	8:00-4:30	\$625
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MIOSHA classes coming up.

10/06/09	10 Hour Const	9:00-3:00	\$150
10/27/09	Fall Protection	9:00-2:00	\$90
11/10/09	Asbestos-Lead Awareness	12:30-4:00	\$60
11/10/09	Health Issues Const	9:00-12:00	\$60
12/01/09	Recordkeeping	9:00-4:00	\$90
1/13/10	10 Hour Const	9:00-3:00	\$150
2/04/10	Electricity-Silent Killer	9:00-12:00	\$60
3/10/10	Excavation-Grave Danger	9:00-12:00	\$60

Register Now!

Members and Loyal Supporters,

The GLSTC, thanks you for your support and guidance. With your help we make a difference. We appreciate your generosity, feedback and contributions. Moreover, if you have ideas, suggestions, or stories you would like to contribute to our newsletter, please contact Ty Krauss at tkrauss@great-lakes-safety.com

Sincerely,

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