

# AGC of Alaska NEWSLETTER



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**Get ready for the 2018 Spring Train Ride!**



**All Aboard!**  
The AGC Associates Council invites the AGC Members & Guests onboard the 2018 Kentucky Derby Spring Train Ride.

FRIDAY, April 13, from 12:00-4:30 pm  
Heading South towards Girdwood  
Visit the AGC of AK website ([agcak.org](http://agcak.org)) to register or contact [kimberley@agcak.org](mailto:kimberley@agcak.org) for more information.

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## Special points of interest

- [Click here](#) to check out the AGC Online Calendar for updated information on Events & Training.
- If you have news or an event you'd like to share with other AGC members, contact

[Click here to Register or for more information!](#)



Mackinnon, John MacKinnon and I'm here with the gang from our recent AGC Great Gatsby Dinner and Casino night and we'd all like to say **THANK YOU!** Thank you to our amazing dealers, to our fabulous entertainment, our great volunteers and sponsors and a special thanks to all the attendees who came to the event. Without all of you these fun events just couldn't happen...so again Thank You!

Our valued sponsors: Alaska National Insurance Company, All Pro Alaska, Art Services North, BDO USA, LLP, Coldfoot Environmental Services, Inc., Construction Machinery Industrial, LLC (CMI), Craig Taylor Equipment Co., DAMA Industrial LLC, Klebs Mechanical, Inc., National Electrical Contractors Association, Inc. (NECA), North Star Equipment Services, Northern Support Services, Inc., Parker, Smith & Feek, Inc., Ryan Air, Service Business Printing, STG Pacific LLC, TransGroup Worldwide Logistics.

Check out the Photo Booth Photos [HERE!](#)

## 1st Annual AGC Fairbanks Casino Night & Bowl-A-Thon Kick-off Party!



Thank you to everyone that joined us for  
***AGC Fairbanks 1st Annual Casino Night Kick-off Party!***

It was a wonderful evening with over 100 in attendance! Thank you to our Event Sponsor [Chevrolet Buick GMC of Fairbanks](#), to [Denali Industrial Supply](#) for donating their casino tables, all our amazing sponsors, dealers, volunteers, and [Midnight Sun Catering](#) for making this first year such a success! Click [HERE](#) to see the photos & top three winners!



A special thank you to the AGC Fairbanks Task Force Committee, our Major Sponsors [Alaska Digital Printing, Inc.](#) & [Spenard Builders Supply](#), all of our valued Sponsors, and hard working volunteers for their continued support of this important FUNdraiser!

Click [HERE](#) to see photos, the winners & everyone that made this event such a success!

## EMI HAZWOPER Refresher Training Class

Held at the AGC Fairbanks Office Friday, March 16th, 8 AM—4 PM. This class is designed to meet the annual 8 hour Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response refresher training requirements of OSHA's 29 CFR 1910.120. This course reviews potential hazards to health and safety associated with site cleanup and emergency response. Students will also be briefed on state and federal regulatory changes.

For more information, please click [HERE](#).

## 3M Silica Competent Person Training



Join 3M and AIH for a 4 hour class to learn more about the new OSHA Regulation for Respirable Crystalline Silica or visit [3M.com/OSHA Silica](http://3M.com/OSHA Silica). This new half-day course will provide initial training for persons designated by their construction management to act as the Silica Competent Person for their site(s) or who want to learn more about the role of the competent person under the new OSHA Construction Regulation (29 CFR 1926.1153) for Respirable Crystalline Silica. Participants will acquire knowledge through lecture and real-world interactive examples that will help prepare them to comply with the new silica standard.

Construction Silica Competent Person will be taught by 3M's Personal Safety Division (PSD) Technical Service employees. Class dates are: Anchorage – March 26 & 27, Fairbanks – March 28 & Kenai – March 29. To register and reserve your seat or for pricing information, contact [Clint Winzenburg at Alaska Industrial Hardware](#) or at 907-263-2421.



Check out the Build Alaska Podcast and the AGC Safety Database!

# The AGC Scholarship Program

Every year, AGC awards a number of students pursuing construction related post-secondary education with scholarships to aid them in their studies. The AGC scholarship program is designed to encourage students to pursue a career in the construction industry or a related field such as accounting, insurance & bonding, and human resources. Scholarship awards will be limited to individuals who plan to live and work in Alaska.

## **Scholarship applications must be submitted no later than 4:00pm March 30th, 2018.**

AGC will award up to \$20,000 in scholarships based on a scoring guide developed by the Scholarship Program Committee. Successful scholarship recipients will be notified in writing by June 1st, 2018 and their award will be presented at the AGC annual golf tournament reception on June 14th, 2018 at the AGC Anchorage office.

[Click Here for more information.](#)

*The old adage says: “You get out of an Association what you put into it.” Why not take some time to check out some of the ways you can get involved at AGC of Alaska. [Click here for more information!](#) Contact an AGC staff member for additional ideas or information.*

## April Election Information

Beginning this year, we can Vote by Mail! But first we have to be registered to vote, making sure the Division of Elections has our correct information (so you get the ballot in the mail).

[Click here to check out my letter on the importance of voting](#), and [click here to update your information or register online.](#)

~ John MacKinnon, AGC of Alaska Executive Director

## Upcoming Events - AGC

### **FREE Lunch & Learn on Tax Reform**

Chad Estes, BDO USA, LLP

Mar. 20, 2018 from 11:45 am - 1:15 pm

[Click here to Register](#) or contact

[Kimberley@agcak.org](mailto:Kimberley@agcak.org).

The tax reform will have an impact on every individual and business taxpayer. It is important that business owners understand the changes now so they are able to properly plan for estimated tax payments that they make during 2018.

### **New Member Mixer: King Street Brewery**

Join us on Tuesday, March 20th for a new member mixer at King Street Brewery from 5—7 PM. [Click here to RSVP.](#)

### **Associates Only Event: Dave & Busters Mixer**

Come check out the new Dave & Busters in the Dimond Center from 3—6 PM! Games, food, and drinks are on us. [RSVP here.](#)

### **Spring Train Ride**

FRIDAY the 13th of April from 12:00 to 4:00 pm

Join the AGC Associates Council (and the Anchorage Chamber of Commerce) for a Kentucky Derby themed networking event that is sure to be a fun adventure!

[Click here to Register!](#)

### **2018 Golf Tournaments**

Registration for both the Anchorage and Fairbanks golf tournaments will soon be open! Mark your calendars for this years' golf dates:

**Anchorage: Friday, June 15th**

**Fairbanks: Friday, July 13th**

More info to come!

## ANNIVERSARIES

### GENERALS

H. C. CONTRACTORS, INC. - 26  
CRITERION GENERAL, INC. - 21  
EKLUTNA SERVICES, LLC - 11  
TIMBERLINE EXCAVATION, INC. - 11  
DAWSON CONSTRUCTION, INC. - 4  
LEND LEASE PUBLIC PARTERSHIPS, LLC - 3  
TUTKA, LLC - 2  
BLAZY CONSTRUCTION - 2  
KANAG'IQ CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. - 1

### SPECIALTY

MCKINLEY FENCE CO., INC. OF ALASKA - 59  
EXCEL CONSTRUCTION, INC. - 35  
DIMOND FENCE CO., INC. - 24  
KETCHIKAN MECHANICAL, INC. - 19  
DAVIS BLOCK & CONCRETE - 19  
INTERIOR ALASKA ROOFING, INC. - 18  
ALCAN ELECTRICAL & ENGINEERING, INC. - 16  
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C.L.I. CONSTRUCTION - 13  
STRAIGHTLINE LLC - 11  
HARRI PLUMBING & HEATING, INC. - 9  
ALASKA DIRECTIONAL, LLC - 3  
PREMIER ELECTRIC, LLC - 2  
STAR ELECTRIC, INC. - 2  
ONYX DRILLING, LLC - 2  
PARAGON INTERIOR CONSTRUCTION, LLC - 1

### ASSOCIATE

ANDY MILNER COMPANY - 59  
PRE CAST CONCRETE COMPANY, INC. - 38  
INSULFOAM - 29  
FS&G REDI-MIX, INC. - 25  
BETTISWORTH NORTH ARCHITECTS AND  
PLANNERS, INC. - 19  
TRAILER CRAFT, INC./FREIGHTLINER OF ALASKA -14  
WHPACIFIC, INC. - 14  
AES ELECTRICAL SUPPLY, INC. - 13  
TRIPLE M CONSULTING - 10  
KLONDIKE CONCRETE - 9  
ASSE MIDNIGHT SUN CHAPTER - 9  
DENALI MATERIALS, INC. - 7  
CONSUMER ENERGY ALLIANCE - ALASKA CHAPTER - 4  
AMERICAN CONCRETE INSTITUTE - ALASKA CHAPTE - 4  
CHEVROLET, BUICK, GMC OF FAIRBANKS - 3  
GES RENTAL, LLC - 2  
PAINTERS & GLAZIERS UNION, LOCAL 1959 - 1

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