

Family Museum to Host Block Kids Building Contest

**CALLING ALL KIDS IN GRADES 1-6
Block Kids Building Contest
February 13, 2010, 9-11:30 am**

It's building time again! Join us on Saturday, February 13, 2010 from 9 to 11:30 AM for the annual Block Kids Building Contest at the Family Museum. This popular program, which is co-sponsored by the Quad City Chapter 50 National Association of Women in Construction and the Family Museum, encourages participants to look for creative solutions to construction challenges.

Participants will receive 100 plastic building blocks, a piece of string, and a piece of aluminum foil to create a building project in 45 minutes.

The entrants will be judged by members of the Quad Cities building community. The project chosen by the judges as the most noteworthy will be entered in a regional contest. Winners at the regional level will then be entered in a national contest.

Pre-registration is strongly recommended but if there are openings or cancellations, registrations will be taken the morning of the event. There is no fee to register. You may use the form below or pick up additional forms at the Family Museum or at www.nawicqc.org. The number of applicants is limited to 75 this year so please register early.

Prizes are awarded to the top three entrants but all participants are winners and will receive a special treat following the contest. A free pass will be available to all participants.

Official Registration/Entry Form ***Quad City Chapter 50, National Association of Women in Construction*** ***Block Kids Building Contest—February 13, 2010*** ***At the Family Museum, 2900 Learning Campus Drive, Bettendorf, Iowa 52722*** ***Participation limited to 75—Doors open at 8:15 am—Contest 9-11:30 am***

Name _____ Parent's Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Address _____ City/St/Zip _____

Grade _____ School _____ Teacher _____

Co-Sponsoring Institution: Family Museum, Bettendorf, IA Parent/Guardian's Name _____

RELEASE: *I hereby consent to the use of my child's name, photograph, entry interview in promoting or publishing this contest or the NAWIC Education Foundation, now or at a future date. Further, I understand that this entry shall become the sole property of the NAWIC Education Foundation.*

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

ELIGIBILITY:

This contest is open to ALL children, currently enrolled in grades one (1) through six (6), except previous national winners. Entry in contest must be through a NAWIC Sponsor Chapter.

RULES:

1. All building projects must be completed where and when designated by NAWIC Sponsor Chapter.
2. All building projects must be completed within the allotted time.
3. All building projects must be completed using approved materials only.
4. All building projects must be relative to the construction industry. Projects which depict people or animals will not be allowed.
5. All building projects must be completed by entrant with no outside assistance from parents, teachers or other people.
6. Every participant must submit the Official Registration/Entry Form, signed by a parent or guardian.
7. All registrations must be completed by 8:30 a.m.
8. All participants must be at their building site by 8:45 a.m.

PRIZES:

First Place: \$100 United States Savings Bond (First place entry submitted to Regional Level.)

Second Prize: \$ 75 United States Savings Bond

Third Prize: \$ 50 United States Savings Bond

****Social Security number will be needed for the winning participants.***

Send Registration form to NAWIC by February 9, 2010

Send to NAWIC Quad City #50-Region 13, PO Box 4936, Davenport, Iowa 52808

Phone 563- 391-8100 (For more information visit www.nawicqc.org)

