

YP Week

October 10 - 14

YP Week connects and engages YP's in the building industry from across the country. During this week we focus on three things: Mentoring, Community Involvement and Professional Development.

NAHB wants to be with you every step of the way on your career path. Each day we'll highlight a different phase of a members career and how we can help you take the next step!

OUR MISSION

To provide Young Professionals opportunities to connect, collaborate, and develop professionally.

OUR VISION

Our vision is to create a strong community of Young Professionals and help them advance personally and professionally. We are here to help you Build Your Career!

OUR VALUES

As a premiere National Young Professional Community, a culture of quality, integrity and forward thinking are essential aspects of our identity. We are committed to the following values:

- Leadership
- Connections
- Development
- Diversity
- Community

WE WELCOME YOU TO CONNECT & COLLABORATE WITH US ON ALL OUR CHANNELS:



SO, WHAT'S HAPPENING DURING YP WEEK?

Monday, October 10 Careers in Construction Day!

Careers in Construction Day is designated to highlight and promote the various facets of the building industry! By highlighting the opportunities within the industry, this day is meant to help encourage YP's to start their career in the residential construction industry! Let's showcase what makes the building industry so great!

CALL TO ACTION:

1. [Join the YP Facebook Group](#)
2. [Follow the YP Instagram Page](#)
3. Show how far you've come! Post a photo of yourself when you were a kid and where you are now using the **HASHTAGS:**
#THENANDNOW #YPWEEK #CICDay2021

Attend Mental Health for the Long Haul: How to Avoid Burnout from the Beginning

Learn some tips for keeping your mental health a priority.

[REGISTER HERE!](#)

Tuesday, October 11 Student Chapters and Competitions

NAHB's Student Chapter program is dedicated to enriching students' educational experience and offers first-hand exposure to the real world of the building industry through membership, educational programming and networking opportunities. NAHB Student Chapter members also have access to the same member benefits as a builder, associate or affiliate member.

CALL TO ACTION:

1. Read more about Student Competitions!
2. Post a photo from you rocking your Alma Mater Gear!
Don't forget to use the hastags!

Attend Retention Woes: How to encourage Young Professionals to stay

Discuss strategies for keeping YPs at jobs longer.

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Wednesday, October 12 Emerging Professionals

You're finally out of school and ready to join the workforce but do you know how to advance your career? NAHB provides tons of tools and tips for growing your career and making lifelong connections.

CALL TO ACTION:

1. Gain a competitive Advantage by using NAHB's BizTools
2. Post a photo of your mentor and let us know how they changed the trajectory of your career! Don't forget to use the hashtags!

Thursday, October 13 Establishing yourself!

You've got your feet under you and you're looking to take your Young Professional journey to the next level. NAHB can help with that!

CALL TO ACTION:

1. Join a Council!
2. Get involved with Connect 10.
3. Tell us on Social Media how YOU take your business to the next level. Make a post and add #YPWEEK

Attend Weathering a Recession: Tools to get your business to the other side

Join us to get prepared for uncertainty now.

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Friday, October 14

So... What's Next?

You're nearing the next chapter of your career and you might not be a young professional anymore! Don't fret! There are tons of ways to still be involved with NAHB. Look at how far you've come and ask yourself "What can I do to lift up those coming next?"

CALL TO ACTION:

You've gained so much from being a part of the YP community - why not help someone else join? Recruit a new YP member and get them involved with YP.

[YP Toolkit for Recruiting](#)
[Recruitment Tips & Resources](#)

Attend the YP Happy Hour Celebration!

Register and meet YPs from around the country.

ALL WEEK LONG

Industry forums, they are all the rage, and everyone has something to contribute to the convos. So, why haven't you logged in and participated in the NAHB Connect forum?! This member to member communication was created for you to connect with all NAHB members from across the country. Have a burning question, have a lot to say about a specific code issue or do you just want to build your network while learning new skills, tips and tricks along the way?

Check it out at connect.nahb.org



The [NAHB Young Professional Awards](#) recognizes young building industry professionals under the age of 45 that propel their careers forward; advance in local, state and national NAHB associations; advocate for the home building industry, engage with peers; and embed themselves as exceptional members of their communities!

This award was designed to acknowledge young professionals based on:

- Career Progress
- Industry Involvement
- Leadership Development
- Innovation

Anyone under 45 (born AFTER December 31, 1975) is eligible to be nominated or self-submit.

[Click here to apply.](#)