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ABC Events

ABC/MSTI 42nd Annual Craft Graduation Ceremony & Banquet



The Board of Directors
of
Associated Builders and Contractors, Texas Gulf Coast, Inc.,
Merit Shop Training, Inc. and Brazosport Safety Council

Cordially invite you to be our guest at the

42nd Annual ABC Graduation & Banquet

1002 ABC Avenue
Freeport, TX 77542

Tuesday, June 12, 2018

Social: 6:00 p.m.
Dinner: 6:30 p.m.
Ceremony: 7:00 p.m.
Attire: Business Casual

Reservations are binding. Charges will be incurred for no-shows and also for cancellations after May 25th.

RSVP to Kay at (979)824-7370 or kay@abctxgulfcoast.org

ABC Supplier/Member Mixer Combines Business & Pleasure

Thanks to the ABC Member Exhibitors and Sponsors (below), great networking was combined with fun, prizes and a delicious crawfish dinner!

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Special Thanks to These Exhibitors & Sponsors:

















ABC Calendar Preview

Date	Event	Location
June 12	42nd Annual ABC/MSTI Craft Training Program Graduation & Banquet	ABC Brazos A
June 20	ABC HR Webinar: 20 Shades of Retaliation	Webinar
August 8	ABC HR Symposium & Luncheon: Wage & Hour	ABC Brazos B

ABC Government Affairs

ABC Attends White House Presentation of Apprenticeship Report



ABC's Greg Sizemore, vice president of HSE and workforce development, joined the secretaries of labor, education, commerce and stakeholders from industry, education and government in the Oval Office on May 10 to present the final report from the Task Force on Apprenticeship Expansion to President Trump. The report outlines how industry-recognized apprenticeship programs and other innovations can help meet the need for highly skilled workers in all industry sectors. [READ MORE](#)



One Powerful Message

June 24-28, 2018
Washington, D.C.

LEGISLATIVE WEEK 2018

ABC Human Resources

US Supreme Court Upholds Class Action Waivers in Arbitration Agreements

The Supreme Court in *Epic Systems Corp. v. Lewis (Epic)* has upheld the use of class and collective action waivers in arbitration agreements, finding such waivers lawful and enforceable under the Federal Arbitration Act (FAA). The Court's decision ends a circuit split and overturns the National Labor Relations Board's (NLRB) position that class and collective action waivers violate employees' rights under the National Labor Relations Act (NLRA). [>>READ MORE](#)

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Construction Coalition for a Drug- and Alcohol-free Workplace

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ABC / MSTI Craft Training





Associated Builders and Contractors, Inc.
Texas Gulf Coast Chapter

ABC Apprenticeship Grad Featured on Fox Business



ABC apprenticeship grad Christian Morfin, who now owns his own electrical business, Morff Electric, was interviewed on Fox Business May 21. "You, sir, are living the American Dream," host Stuart Varney said of Morfin's successful career journey. Morfin shared his experiences, commenting on how quickly ABC helped him find the right apprenticeship program. After graduating in four years, he went on to start his own company just one year later. [READ MORE](#)









Brazosport Safety Council, Inc. Courses Offered:

- Aerial Lift Certification
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- Safe Work Permit Acceptor Training
- Spotter/Flagger for Vehicle & Heavy Equipment

Merit Shop Training, Inc. Courses Offered:

- [Basic, Intermediate & Advanced Rigger Refresher Class](#)
- [Construction Site Safety Technician \(CSST\)](#)
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- Project Management Class
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