The SPEXpert

The Newsletter by and for the Members of the Housatonic Chapter of The Construction Specifications Institute

June Moon
Tuesday, June 17

The Housatonic Chapter was incorporated in 1969. The chapter has an active membership which meets the third Tuesday of the month September through June.

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Articles are welcome for The *SPEXpert*. Send submissions to the email address above.

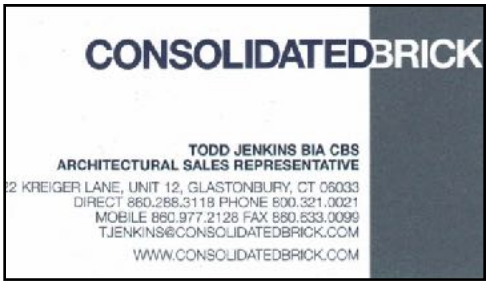
Food for thought.
What is the name given to the full moon in June?

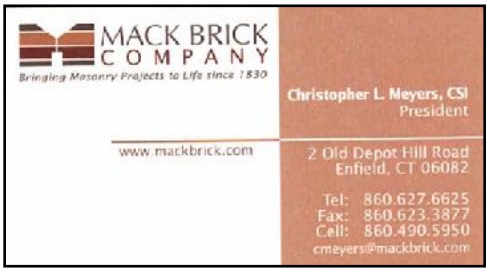
A Concrete Solution …

Chris Cotulio of OandG Industries presented on the topic of "Ground Glass Pozzolans for Sustainable Concrete".

Our May meeting brought a transparency to the additives to concrete. The photograph showing the three samples of the recycled glass. The jar on the left showed the glass as harvested from the recycling plant. The middle jar contained the glass having been ground down. The third jar contained the glass having been ground to the fines that are added to the concrete mix to replace the cement portion.

The color of the glass does not have an effect to the color of the concrete, Interestingly enough, the fines are clear to white and will accept the color additive. This is a truer way to color the concrete to bypass the gray tint provided by the cement.





Chapter Awards in June

On **Tuesday, June 17**, we will gather together at the **BIN 100** restaurant in Milford to enjoy a social evening and to recognizing chapter members who have contributed to the Chapter over the last year. After the limitations of the last few years, please join us to renew friendships and for a relaxed and enjoyable evening with friends and colleagues.
Social gathering at 6:00-6:30, dinner orders taken by 6:15 and festivities for the evening until….
Cost for dinner is $50 per person. Dinner for past (and present) Chapter Presidents are guests of the chapter.

Since we must commit to a minimum head count, reservation no shows will be billed.
Dinner choices: Off the menu.
Please make your reservations with **Roy Olsen** at rolsen@jcj.com or 860-240-9335.

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