

### December 2018

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# What's New?

## Exciting changes to share at American Structures...

With the addition of a 2nd laser in our manufacturing area, we are gearing up for 2019 to have increased speed, efficiencies and greater productivity in our manufacturing and fabrication.





#### More to Come...

American Structures has been working on advancements in our tank designs. Watch for further announcements on our website and in upcoming newsletters.



this Christmas season.



As 2018 draws to an end, we celebrate another successful year manufacturing bolted stainless steel tanks. It is fitting to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for your business. We are grateful for continued growth and look forward to working together in 2019 & beyond.





The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) is recognized worldwide as a scientific and educational association which develops engineering standards for agricultural, food and biological systems.

ASABE was founded in 1907. Today, there are 7,500 members in the organization scattered across more than 100 countries.

The headquarter office for the society is located in St. Joseph, MI. The Annual International ASABE Meeting will be held in Boston, MA, July 7-10, 2019.

https://www.asabe.org/About-Us

#### Midwest Food Products Association (MWFPA) wrapped

up their 114th Annual Convention and Trade Show with over 900 attendees and 130 exhibitor booths. The event was held November 28-29, 2018 at the Kalahari Resort & Convention Center in Wisconsin Dells, WI. Food Industry experts discussed food safety, strategies and advancements as well as water regulations. MWFPA members say one of the most valuable bene-



fits is the opportunity to meet and dialogue with food processing leaders.

The next Convention will be December 3-5, 2019 at the same location.

https://mwfpa.org/mwfpa-convention/

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#### AISI Releases November SIMA Imports Data

#### 12-05-18

American Iron and Steel Institute (AISI) provides import data for the monthly Steel Import Monitoring and Analysis (SIMA) Reports.

In November, steel imports totaled 2,544,000 net tons (NT). This was a 15.4% decrease compared to October levels.

AISI serves as the voice of the North American steel industry. AISI is made up of 21 member companies and 120 associate members who are suppliers to, or customers of the steel industry. For more information visit this website www.steel.org

https://www.steel.org/news/2018/12/aisi-releasesnovember-sima-imports-data



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Positive thinking will let you do everything better than negative thinking will. Zig Ziglar