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Letter to the Editor: Knights Foundry worth preserving

By Janice Veline, Drytown May 5, 2023

I wrote to express my gratitude to the Knights Foundry volunteers. I recently took a sand molding and metal casting class offered by the Knights Foundry and was pleasantly surprised by what I found. The individuals associated with teaching the class were absolutely charming, helpful and knowledgeable. My interest in this field is more toward an artistic bent, but I was very much included in how maybe I could use this process to my benefit. The instructors and volunteers made very sure all our needs were met and not even once did I

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need to look for an individual to help me as they were already standing beside me. What a great thing to have in our community. Once again thanks for all your hard work and in particular thanks to Mr. Robin Peters for lugging buckets of sand to me and eloquently presenting the history and processes needed to accomplish casting in metal. Ladies, there are ladies there as well, and I felt very comfortable in a usually male oriented interest. This place is definitely worth preserving and of course the educational offerings are a big opportunity as well. Anyway, had a great time learning and wish to say bravo!

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