



CALUMET NATIONAL VOICES / STORIES

**FREE
SPECIAL
PROGRAM**

WOMEN IN STEEL

OCTOBER 1, 5:30PM – 7:15PM

Indiana Welcome Center
7770 Corinne Drive, Hammond, Indiana

In 1943 a handful of women steelworkers welded their names into a plate of steel at Inland's Indiana Harbor Mill. See this unique cultural artifact and the names of the women who left their mark. Tour the exhibit, then hear and tell stories of women who worked in the Mills and pioneered a more visible place for women in the industry.

Register for this free event online.



This will be a participatory storytelling event. Come with your stories or simply to listen.

Light refreshments will be served. This event is free and open to the public. Register online at alongthesouthshore.com/calumet-voices. If you are unable to RSVP, don't let that stop you from stopping by.



Courtesy of United States Steel, 2023



detail and photo by John Weinstein/Field Museum

While women's numbers dropped in Calumet's steel mills after WWII, they persisted in industry. By the 1970s their numbers were on the rise again. Together through hard work in the United Steel Workers union, they created Women of Steel, an official division of the Union and a lasting sisterhood that has extended beyond the workplace and their time in the Mills.

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