

CAREER INSIGHTS

June 2009

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE



Welcome to Dreamland

I would like to invite you to a special place in life we can call Dreamland. This is a place that is within each of us, yet beyond us- a place full of great potential.

If you've never paid a visit to Dreamland you may not be able to see all of your potential on your first visit. But you have got to go there to see the greater picture and the bigger things, the potential within you that has not been released. Decide now if you're going to waste away on the sofa of unfilled wishes or go to Dreamland to see your possibilities.

When you get to Dreamland you will see business opportunities, relationships, financial prosperity, inventions and ideas that perhaps no one else has even thought of in your part of the world. In Dreamland you'll see things that have the potential to literally change your life.

Your trip to Dreamland has to be a conscious decision. We have actually forgotten how to imagine because we trusted others to imagine for us. We can be awestruck by what we see in others, but have little to no faith in what we can see for ourselves. The only door between your unfilled wishes and the potential of your dreams is you. The door to your life is within you, opening from the inside out. Wishing pushes the door open from the outside in and offers pipe dreams, get rich quick schemes, and false hopes. Dreaming courageously invites destiny into your life from within.

A dreamer reaches into a place that is within yet beyond themselves and brings something into reality. So, what will you do? Will you open the door to your possibilities by being a dreamer? Or will you join the multitudes of people around the world who wish for things based on what they see, and hope they can possess those things with little effort?

"The realization of the self is only possible if one is productive, if one can give birth to one's own potentialities." –Johann Wolfgang von Goethe

Source: Woman Act Now by Ann McCoy

Live Your Dream,

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CHAPTER MEETINGS:

- June 16
11:45 a.m.
YWCA
- July 7
Executive Board
12 Noon
YWCA
- July 21
5:30 p.m.
Nancy Weigand's house

CHAPTER MEETING – JUNE

Next Meeting: June 16 11:45 a.m. - YWCA

Program: Women in Network

MEMBER NEWS

- ⇒ **Fathers Day** is around the corner. Don't forget ABWA Career Chapter Members have great opportunities to help with that special gift. Contact one of them today.
- ⇒ **Members—are you looking to get your message out** or maybe even have a sale or special this month. There are 2 great resources available. You can submit items of interest for a large group of ABWA ladies to Ann Mah at lmah@cox.net who then forwards it to all ABWA members in our community that have signed up to receive the notices. OR you can submit them to me (Shawn Maisberger) the Newsletter chair. I would be happy to put items of interest to our membership in the monthly newsletter.

Future Calendar Events

- ⇒ *Florence Crittenton **4th Annual Women's Conference June 18** Grace Episcopal Cathedral. Register today for only \$50.00 at www.flocritkanssas.org or call 785-233-0516. Keynote speaker is Suzie Humphreys, professional motivational speaker & humorist.*
- ⇒ ***Topeka Women's Network** is on **Tuesday, June 23**. This month we are having two guests visit with us about current health issues for women. Dr. Brian Edwards, with Stormont Vail, will tell us "How to Cure Heart Attacks and Strokes". Kathleen Hunter Levy's presentation is "You are what you eat -- Lifestyle changes you can live with". Shawnee Country Club (29th and Adams) with networking at 5:30 and dinner/program from 6 to 7 pm. Dinner is \$20 and can be paid at the door, but reservations are needed. To make a reservation, email Roberta Moe at themoes@cox.net by Friday, June 19.*
- ⇒ ***July 21 ABWA Social Meeting will begin at 5:30 p.m.** Nancy Weigand has graciously opened her house and agreed to host our social. She lives at 1825 SW Oakley—food will be provided—bring your "drink" of choice and a guest. It should be a fun relaxing evening.*

CHAPTER MEMBER BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Birthdays

Glenda Walters, June 6

Nancy Weigand, June 15

Anniversaries

Bette Felker, June 1989

Glenda DuBoise, June 1999



MEMBERSHIP – NETWORKING

In an effort to advertise our memberships strengths and business information, we will list websites here for quick reference from our members by request.

Nancy Weigand	http://nancymassage.com/index.html
Deborah Dawkins	www.homeinteriors.com/debbdawkins
Deborah Dawkins	www.aboveallbooks.com
Michelle Kaberline	www.marykay.com/mkaberline
Cheryl Creviston	www.jayhawkfile.com

Congratulations to the following Slate of Officers:

2009–2010 Slate of Officers

President	Dee Dee Admas
Vice President	Michelle Kaberline
Treasurer	Cheryl Creviston
Recording Secretary	Susan Koch
Corresponding Secretary	Linda Deines

WASHBURN ABWA STUDENT CHAPTER



The ABWA Student Group was formed on the campus during September 2003 and became a nationally registered chapter in November 2004. The primary purpose of ABWA is a networking avenue for students to link with local, state, and national female leaders and business professionals. The Washburn student ABWA chapter is the fifth student group in the United States to form in the United States.

WU Student Chapter ABWA

Students are on Summer Break—Enjoy!



MEMBERSHIP CHAPTER DUES

Don't forgot to make your dues payments.

Make check payable to

“Career Chapter ABWA”

Annual Dues: \$223.00

1st Quarter Dues: \$100.75

Due Aug 2008

2nd Quarter Dues: \$ 40.75

Due November 2008

3rd Quarter Dues: \$40.75

Due February 2009

4th Quarter Dues:\$ 40.75

Due May 2009

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National ABWA will forward a statement directly to each member for payment.

National Dues \$75.00

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Our Mission

To bring together businesswomen of diverse occupations and to provide opportunities for them to help themselves and others to grow personally and professionally through leadership, education, networking support and national recognition.

Become a part of ABWA

A national network of women dedicated to helping each other reach new heights in their careers.

Contact **Terry Hobbs**, Membership Chair, for more information or regarding potential membership opportunities by phone at 271.9808 or at terry-hobbs@sbcglobal.net.

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