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NEWSLETTER



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Our mission is to attract the finest professional saleswomen, for the purpose of enhancing the profession of sales, furthering self-development and building a network of success-minded women, who share our commitment to charitable and educational service to our community.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

NOMINATIONS FOR 2014-15 OFFICERS STILL NEEDED

Nominations are still needed for PSN President, PSN Treasurer, and PSN Capitol City Director, three very important positions. If you cannot think of anyone to nominate, feel free to nominate yourself!!! The outgoing officers will assist in making your transition into office smooth and effortless (and fun!!). Please complete the form on page 2 of this newsletter for officer nominees and charity nominees for 2014-15.

After all the nominations are in and the nominees have accepted, the elections process will begin the second week of September. PSN Members, please watch for separate e-mails detailing the process.

The September 9th meeting is PSN's annual membership meeting, and will, therefore, be closed to guests.

Regular meetings open to members and guests will resume in October, when the new slate of officers will be introduced. This will be exciting, so don't miss it.

See you all soon!

Mary-Ann

REMINDER:

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP
DUES FOR 2014-15 ARE
DUE OCTOBER 1, 2014
You may pay online at
www.psn-nevada.com

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2014-2015 NOMINATIONS FOR PSN OFFICERS
Email completed form to: psnpresident@gmail.com

President: Nominee: _____

Vice President: Nominee: _____

Secretary: Nominee: _____

Treasurer: Nominee: _____

Capitol City Director: Nominee: _____

Capitol City Deputy Director: Nominee: _____

Capitol City Secretary: Nominee: _____

Capitol City Asst. Treasurer: Nominee: _____

CHARITY NOMINEES FOR 2014-15

PLEASE NOMINATE YOUR FAVORITE CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS TO BE RECIPIENTS OF PSN MONTHLY LUNCHEON RAFFLE PROCEEDS AND SWOTY PROCEEDS. NOMINEES MUST BE A NORTHERN NEVADA NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION THAT SERVES WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

ORGANIZATION NAME, CONTACT PERSON, PHONE NUMBER AND/OR EMAIL ADDRESS:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

CHARITABLE ORGANIZATIONS

Each month PSN raises funds from raffle donations for a charitable organization in our community.

PSN CAPITOL CITY-SEPTEMBER CHARITY



Advocates to End Domestic Violence

24 Hour Crisis Hotline
775-883-7654

Advocates to End Domestic Violence is a private, not-for-profit organization, formed in 1979 by two formerly battered women who saw a need for a domestic violence program in Carson City, Nevada. They have grown from a small two-bedroom apartment, to a full service program that operates a 51-bed shelter and provides a wide variety of services designed to protect and support battered women and their children in the community.

AEDV'S mission is to provide a safe, supportive environment where domestic violence victims can re-examine their view of themselves and work towards a violence free future. We accept a woman as she is and encourage her positive growth toward independence and self-sufficiency.

For more information or to make a donation, email AEDV at: CARSONADVOCATES@aol.com or visit the website at www.aedv.org

Quote of the Month

Obstacles can't stop you. Problems can't stop you. Most of all, other people can't stop you. Only you can stop you. - Jeffrey Gitomer

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept 9:** PSN Reno Annual Membership Luncheon
11:30 - 1:00 – Peppermill (PSN Members Only)
- Sept 11:** PSN Capitol City Monthly Networking Luncheon - 11:30 – 1:00 – Reds Old Grill
- Sept 14:** 1st Annual Vesta-ful event
9am - 6pm – Vesta in Reno
- Sept 16:** You Can! Homebuyers Workshop
6 - 7:30 - Courtyard Marriott Carson City
- Sept 20:** *Ignite Your Spark* with Donna Hyatt –
10 to 4 – Bosma Center
- Sept 23:** PSN Board Meeting – Kimmie Candy Company, 525 Reactor Way, Reno
- Oct 9:** PSN Capitol City Monthly Networking Luncheon - 11:30 - 1:00 – Place TBA
- Oct 14:** PSN Reno Monthly Networking Luncheon
11:30 - 1:00 - Peppermill
- Oct 19:** W.I.S.E. Halloween Fundraiser
3:30-7:30 – Civic Hall – Minden
- Oct 28:** PSN Board Meeting – Kimmie Candy Company, 525 Reactor Way, Reno

Appreciate!

PSN CC MEMBER OF THE MONTH

TERRI "T.J." BAIJOUNAS grew up in the Central Valley in California, very much a country girl. She was a member of FFA, did seasonal farm labor and was never far from her beloved bicycle. In 1977 after graduating from high school, she started her career with Farmers Insurance as a typist. The Merced Regional Office was one of the largest employers in the area. She thought she would stay temporarily while deciding what she really wanted to do. T.J. has now accumulated over 33 years with Farmers Insurance Group.

T.J. was gradually promoted through the various departments and eventually offered a training position in the Pleasanton Regional Office in the Bay Area. She went from country girl to a city environment almost overnight. Eventually making new friends, she was introduced her current husband, Lance Baijounas. It was a blind date ... and they have been together ever since. Lance works for Airgas driving hazardous, medical and bar gases throughout Northern Nevada. His sense of humor always keeps T.J. happy.

They have a lovely daughter, Alisha Baijounas, who is a make-up artist in California. Her work has been published in magazines, film and more recently, an exhibit in New York City.

T.J. and her husband moved to Nevada 10 years ago and built their home in Dayton. They are motorcycle enthusiasts, enjoy target shooting, fishing and entertaining. T.J. loves gardening and vintage shopping.

Recently, T.J. opened her own office, a longtime dream. While she has fun working, she is also very passionate about educating and properly covering her clients. She is a life insurance specialist in a full service agency. It is a great feeling for her to know that she has asked the hard questions, and protected families.

T.J. originally joined PSN for the purpose of networking but has developed some awesome friendships and been helped along by some really brilliant women. T.J. says, "I am so proud of all our PSN sisters as we strive to make our mark in the world, and I feel so inspired."

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Office: 775-434-7123 – Mobile: 775-297-1140

PSN MEMBER NEWS

New Scentsy Fall/Winter Catalog is Here!

Enjoy all of your favorite scents along with some new ones for the upcoming holiday season!

In celebrating the new catalog, a portion of the profits will benefit Catmandu cat rescue in Carson City.

Everyone who orders during the month of September will be entered into a raffle for wonderful Scentsy gifts!

Call for a catalog or log on to
www.moniamarcinko.scentsy.us/home
Monica Marcinko - 775-283-8908

Wellness Your "Weigh" at Paradise Salon Spa

We want to help you get ready for the upcoming Holiday Season. If you would like to lose weight and look great in that holiday dress, call Monica today!

All **PSN members** will receive a complementary initial evaluation, with no obligation, which includes your body fat % and what your #'s mean for your health, plus a plan to help you reach your goals.

Monica Marcinko is a Certified Wellness Coach
with over 15 years in the weight loss industry.
775-283-8908

PSN MEMBER NEWS



HALLOWEEN FUNDRAISER
FOR CENTER FOR HOPE AND HEALING

Sunday, October 19, 2014

3:30 PM to 7:30 PM (PDT)

C.V.I.C Hall

1602 Esmeralda Ave

Minden, NV 89423

A fundraiser for Women Inspiring Service and Education (W.I.S.E.) will benefit the Center For Hope and Healing on October 19th at the CVIC Hall in Minden.

If any PSN member businesses would like to display and sell their products or services, we would be thrilled to have you.

The event will take place from 4-8pm, with trick or treating at each vendor, a spook house, music, and a skit on stage, many raffle prizes, etc.

We currently are looking for sponsors for our the October 19th event benefiting both W.I.S.E. and The Douglas Center for Hope and Healing, an organization that helps children, teens, and families cope with the loss of a loved one.

Your sponsorship will help us provide W.I.S.E. and The Douglas Center for Hope and Healing with a larger donation to benefit their organizations. This is a great opportunity for your business to show support for these wonderful non-profit organizations.

For sponsorship information, please contact Jennifer at 775-790-3827 or Alycia at 775-291-4062.

If you are interested in being a vendor or for more information about this event, please contact:

Joan M Adam

Community Service Representative

Home Instead Senior Care

Personal Care Services, LLC

444 W. Washington St.

Carson City, NV 89703

Main line:775-283-0333

Fax:775-283-0124

Direct: 775-301-4997

Cell:775-901-2546

Joan@homeinsteadcarson.com

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A Special Thank You for Hosting Our Monthly Meetings:



PSN MEMBER NEWS

Think you can't buy a house?

You might be surprised!

You're invited to attend our

You Can! Homebuyers Workshop

September 16th, 6pm to 7:30pm
Courtyard Marriott, Carson City

FREE OF CHARGE

Seating is limited...

RSVP's are greatly appreciated, send your reply to
wgolden@gnms.com or call 775.886.1948

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If you would like to include an article or announcement in the PSN Newsletter, please submit your entries to Newsletter Editor Rita Shurtliff at newsletterpsn@gmail.com by the 20th of the month.

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Ignite Your Spark!

Let's finish out 2014 strong
and get ready for 2015!

Get clear on your vision and set
your sights on completing your
objectives!

September 20, 2014 – 10am-4 pm

Bosma Center - 401 Ryland, Reno

\$97 Tuition

*Mention that you saw it here
and bring a guest!*

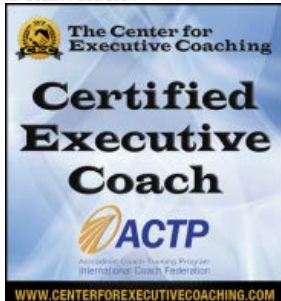
Light Lunch included

Register here:

<http://www.donnahyatt.com/join.html>

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First Annual Vesta-Ful Event

September 14th – 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**ALL PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT
RAINSHADOW COMMUNITY
CHARTER SCHOOL**

This is a party you don't want to miss! Enjoy music, crafters, antiques, food, collectibles and much more!

Vendors are needed for this event as we are working to have 101 vendors. If you are anyone you know is interested in having a vendor booth, booth fees are very reasonable.

For additional event information and booth fees, please contact **Rose Ann** at (775) 322-2944 or **Nancy** at (775) 762-1827 or drop by the **Pepper Tree Gifts store** on Vesta in Reno.

Coffee Club

September 9, 2014

1179 Fairview Drive, Suite 100, Carson City

Meeting with locals that want to talk about financial independence, how to get there and what's on your mind?

Janice McCauley, Financial Advisor

Edward Jones

Phone: 775-841-6010

Mobile: 775-684-9889

"Making sense of Investing"

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