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From the Desk of the 2008 St. Charles WCR President

Well Connected Resources

Greetings to all our valued members of the award winning St. Charles County WCR Chapter. That's right, you are an important link in our success in achieving the Gold Chapter Excellence Award for our local chapter. I thank you for the commitment and support you have provided in 2007 and in 2008 and encourage all of you to continue to stay involved in your chapter. An organization is only as good as it's members and you all are the best.

Our chapter is looking for members that want to share their time and talent in serving as leaders for 2009. Our incoming president-elect, Pat Stapf, will be a strong and dynamic leader and is looking for members to step up and help her keep WCR the premier organization for our industry. The election will be held on Sept. 11th at or joint meeting with SCCAR. Please submit your interest to Phyllis Christian, our Nominations Chair if you would like to be considered for the annual election. A brief description of the offices is available on our web-site.

Our meeting in September promises to be an exceptional event. We are honored to present nationally recognized speaker Walter Sandford. His credentials are impressive and this is a fantastic seminar that will inspire, motivate and down right force you to be all that you can be..... We are expecting 200 plus to attend this major event. Get your reservations in early to assure you a front row seat to this seminar..... The cost is only \$17.00 and includes a fabulous lunch. Plan to spend your morning at this lunch and learn and you will be back to work by 1pm, energized and ready to knock em dead.

We have attached a flyer to this newsletter with all the details, so make your reservations now and bring a friend . Need \$1000.00 visa card for Christmas shopping?? It's easy to qualify, and only costs \$10.00. That's right for one \$10.00 ticket you will enter a drawing for \$1000.00. The great thing about this raffle is you have pretty good odds of winning. We are only selling 600 tickets, so your chance of cashing in is very possible..... But you can't win if you don't buy a ticket so get your \$10.00 to any of our Ways and Means team, Pat Stapf, Charlie Holloway, Bonnie Schumacher, Leah Petras, Debby Heidbreder, Jamie Leggett, Cindy Williams, Jamie Pandolfo, Bob Rutledge, Shelly Clark..... or contact me @jb5sons@yahoo.com. See you at the top!! Judy



Judy Bateman

Schedule Of Events

September 11- ELECTIONS and WALTER SANDFORD SEMINAR

October 9-Networking

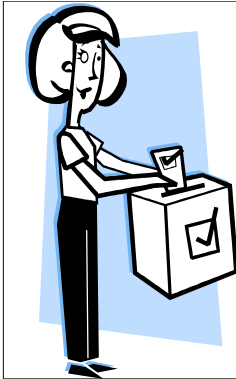
November 13- "Tool Time"

December 11-Xmas Celebration!



We extend our deepest sympathy to Cindy Williams on the death of her mother . Cindy's mom fought a hard battle with cancer and Cindy was with her each step of the way. A loving tribute to a wonderful daughter and a great mom. Our thoughts are with Cindy and her family.

2009 ELECTION TIME!



LET YOUR VOICE BE HEARD

Put your leadership talent to good use and serve as a WCR officer– call or email Phyllis Christian if you would like to be included on the ballot!

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**A note from Past President
Phyllis Christian**



Hats off to St. Charles WCR for the support and work done for Our State Chapter in Springfield . June was a fun meeting in Springfield , and being Co-Chair of State Ways and Means this year has been a challenge since we didn't have a lot of time or money to put on an event. Carole Harris from K.C., the chair, came up with the idea of a Poker Run, And with the help of the St. Charles Chapter providing cards, arm bands, and runner, it was a successful event. The grand prize was a flat screen T.V, and I understand one of our own. Mr. Ken Olive, was the winner. Each chapter was asked to bring a basket for the silent auction, and our President, Ms. Judy, did a wonderful job with a 4th of July Basket that brought State \$145.00. I would take a 45% return on my investment any day! Our chapter when called upon SHINES....Thanks to all for making St. Charles Stand out again.

Phyllis

A recipe from Debby Heidbreder

So Easy BBQ-Glazed Chicken

- 1/2 cup Zesty Italian Dressing
- 4 small boneless skinless chicken breast halves (1 lb.)
- 1/4 cup Barbecue Sauce
- 2 Tbsp. orange marmalade

PREHEAT grill to medium heat. Pour 1/4 cup of the dressing over chicken in shallow dish or resealable plastic bag. Refrigerate 10 min. or up to 24 hours to marinate

MIX remaining 1/4 cup dressing, the barbecue sauce and marmalade; set aside.

PLACE chicken on grill; cover. Grill 12 to 15 min. or until cooked through (165°F), turning occasionally and brushing with sauce mixture during last few minutes of cooking. Let stand, covered with foil, for a few minutes before serving.

Survival of the Fittest

Judy Bateman, President of Women's Council and Keith McCulloh, President of the St. County Association of REALTORS® are sending you a special invitation to attend the co-sponsored General Membership Meeting on September 11 at the Columns Banquet Center. Doors open at 9 and lunch follows the seminar. The seminar, "Survival of the Fittest", will be presented by **national speaker** Walter Sanford. **Walter Sanford** was one of the top real estate agents in North America for nearly thirty years. Now he is one of the most requested speakers, trainers and coaches. He has authored twelve systems and books on checklists, productive lead generation, affiliate lead generation and numerous other ideas. Women's Council and SCCAR believe this seminar will benefit you by providing ideas to build your business and increase your profitability.

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