

# The Messenger



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## President's Message

DAIP is in the full swing of things. Long Range Planning has had its first two meetings and are working on updating the By-laws and Procedure Manual. In February we collected items for the troops and mailed them overseas. In March DAIP volunteered at the Dash Down Greenville 200 and made Easter Baskets for Captain Hopes Kids.

DAIP is working on getting together an anonymous survey for our members to take. It will help us improve on serving our members and community. Please keep your eye out for it.

Our current Recording secretary Stephenie Mouzone has taken a job offer in another state. The move will be a positive one for her as she will be closer to her family. I want to wish Stephenie well in her adventure and she will be greatly missed. Alice Macik has stepped in and offered to fill in as Recording Secretary, Thank you Alice.

Remember to "Like" the Dallas Association of Insurance Professionals on Facebook to receive all the updated information for upcoming events, meetings, community service projects and to see pictures of our journey throughout the year. .

Thank you  
Shanna Sutton  
President 2010-2011

# BON APPETIT

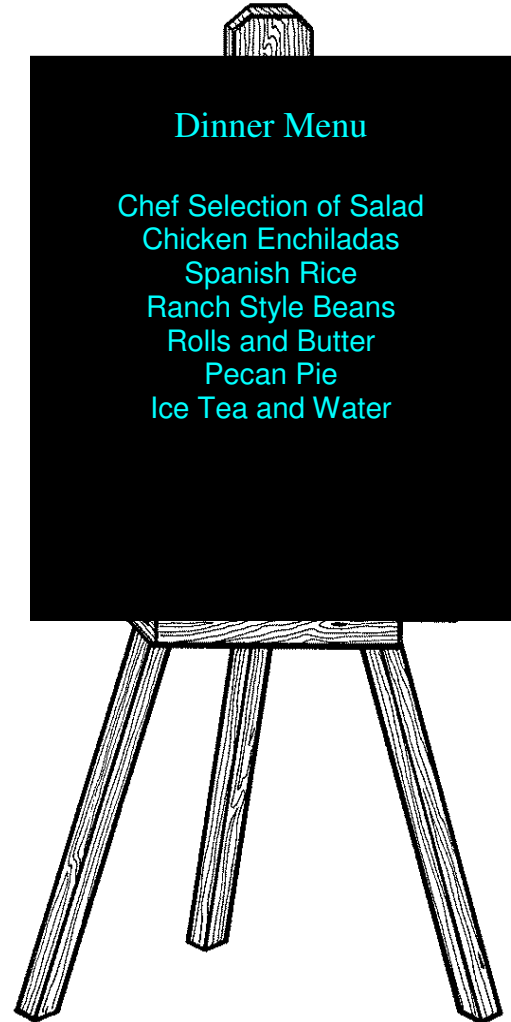
The November Dinner Meeting will be held on Thursday,  
April 14, 2011, 6:00 P.M.  
AT

Double Tree Hotel  
4099 Valley View Lane  
Dallas, TX 75244

Please come and Join Us! The cost for dinner is \$22.00  
There is a bar located in the hotel lobby and members  
can purchase additional beverages at their own cost.

\*\*Vegetarian Plates can also be provided if requested.  
Please include in your reply\*\*

Please RSVP by 12:00 P.M.  
April 12, 2011 to:  
[communications@daiptx.com](mailto:communications@daiptx.com)



## Dinner Menu

Chef Selection of Salad  
Chicken Enchiladas  
Spanish Rice  
Ranch Style Beans  
Rolls and Butter  
Pecan Pie  
Ice Tea and Water

**Alex Fox, Vice President, Goss Re is scheduled to speak at our 4/14/11 dinner meeting. Alex will speak for approximately 20 minutes. He will provide an overview of reinsurance and its applications and will give an update of the current reinsurance market place.**



**Attn DAIP members and guests:**

# **Educational Speaker**

## **April 14, 2011**

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**I hope that you will be able to attend this program.**

**Attention first time attendees:** DAIP meets for dinner meetings the second Thursday of each month at the Doubletree Hotel at 6:00 pm. The Doubletree Hotel is located at 4099 Valley View Lane, Dallas, TX 75244. The cost of dinner for *first time attendees only* is \$12.00.

If plan to attend dinner, please RSVP to [communications@daiptx.com](mailto:communications@daiptx.com). A reservation made is a reservation paid.

If you are unable to attend dinner and do not cancel by Monday, 4/11/11, 12 pm CST, you will be invoiced for your dinner cost. Cancellations should be sent to [communications@daiptx.com](mailto:communications@daiptx.com).

**Kristina Dixon, DAIP Vice President**

DAIP is associated with the Federation of Insurance Women of Texas and is the largest local chapter of that group. DAIP's mission is to provide education to enhance the professionalism of its members and the industry and to participate in the civic betterment of the community.

**Community Service project for May.....Ronald McDonald House 5/29/11 Sunday  
for Lunch**

**Address: 4707 Bengal Street  
Dallas, Texas 75235**

**Just an early reminder that we are looking for cooks and cleaners to serve lunch at  
Ronald McDonald House on May 29<sup>th</sup> at Lunch time. Please help those in need of a  
good warm meal while staying with their very sick children. We've had such fun in  
the past and can do it again. Please call me if you have any ideas on what to serve or  
to volunteer. I promise a good time and a real warm and fuzzy feeling for helping  
out in such a loving way.**

**More to come as we get closer!!!!!!**

**The Ronald McDonald house exists to serve and sustain families when serious illness  
or when injury strikes the most cherished part of their lives, their children.**

**Thanks,  
Donna**

**1-800-275-3193 Ext 681  
[Dhauser@combinedgroup.com](mailto:Dhauser@combinedgroup.com)**



# APRIL Birthdays

Glenda Williams	April 21
Lance Goff	April 13
Donna Hauser	April 2



# Do you know who's who at DAIP.....

## 2010-2011 Positions and Committees Contact

### Officer Position

President  
President Elect  
Vice President  
Corresponding Secretary / Communications  
Recording Secretary  
Treasurer  
Director  
Director  
Director  
Director & Immediate Past President  
Parliamentarian

### Person

Shanna Sutton  
Tabitha Richardson  
Kristina Dixon  
Crystal Santana  
Alice Macik  
Bobbie Hayes  
Mary Donlon  
Jan Savage  
Linda Leos  
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Linda Anderson  
Denise Chavez  
Linda Leos & Joyce  
Keith  
Tabitha Richardson  
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Ways & Means - Monthly  
Ways & Means - Special  
Ways & Means - Pecans  
Convention Liaison  
Holiday Party  
Programs

### Membership Renewals & New Memberships are underway!!

#### Annual Dues:

**\$80.00 (Employed Members)**

**\$65.00 (Retired Members)**

RETURN TO: DALLAS ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS  
C/O MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON  
P.O. BOX 742044  
DALLAS, TX 75374

A membership form for both DAIP and FIWT are included with this newsletter, for your convenience.



**Reminder!**