

The Messenger



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President's Message

August will now be one of the most important months for the Dallas Association of Insurance Professionals. Due to the change in our fiscal calendar, August will now become the month we will hold our election of officers. I encourage all of you to please try to attend the August 12th Dinner Meeting for the election of officers.

Congratulations to Shanna Sutton, President-Elect for successfully holding a wonderful membership party. The "Carnival" Theme proved to be a lot of fun for all in attendance. We had lots of food and played some really cool games and gave away some really neat door prizes. Our Membership Drive is currently underway. Please remember to complete and return your membership forms to Shanna.

If you haven't signed up for the 15th Annual Bowling Tournament to be held on August 20th at 300 Lanes in Addison, please use the Registration form in the Newsletter to do so. If you do not have a team to bowl with, please contact Mary Donlon and she will hook you up! We look forward to seeing you there and thank you for your support.

Our Community Service for this month will be to "Support our Troops". Please look for the list of items in the newsletter from Crystal Santana, Community Service Chair. If you have someone or know someone who is serving overseas that needs our help, please let Crystal or me know.

I look forward to see you all soon and Remember, You Make the Difference!

Sincerely,
Linda Anderson, CISR
President 2009-2010

BON APPETIT

The August Dinner Meeting will be held on Thursday,
August 12, 2010, 6:00 P.M.
AT

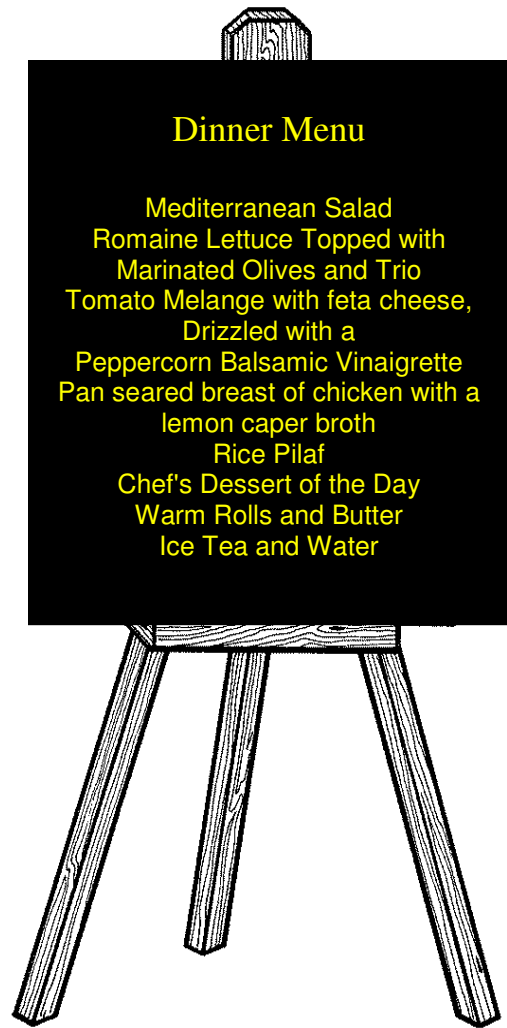
Double Tree Hotel
4099 Valley View Lane
Dallas, TX 75244

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.
August 10, 2010 to:

communications@daiptx.com



Special Thanks

Special thanks goes out to Linda Leos for taking pictures at our Membership Party and they will be posted on our Facebook page and available for view next week. Thank you Linda!

August Birthdays

Melanie Shannon 8/02

Tonia Anderson 8/05

Jan Hawkins 8/08

Christy Beach 8/11

Twila Keeling 8/19

Tabitha Richardson 8/25



September Birthdays

Simon Bancroft 9/3

Kendra Cagle 9/5

Linda Tate 9/6

Kim Angell 9/11

Kim Wright 9/15

Carol G. Kennedy 9/23

Stephenie Mouzone 9/29



MILITARY CARE PACKAGE DRIVE!

Help us support our troops by donating some of the suggested items listed below. We will be creating care packages and mailing them overseas to our military men and women. Most of these items can be purchased at Wal-Mart, Dollar General, 99Cent Store, etc. Please do not donate anything breakable or fragile. In addition to the items listed below, we are also looking for monetary donations to assist in the shipping costs such as boxes and postage.

Please bring your items to the August 12, 2010 Dinner Meeting.

For questions, please contact Crystal Santana at csantana@swinglecollins.com

ITEMS NEEDED:

Pens & Pencils	Notebooks/Journals	Dental Floss
Puzzle books & paperback books (No Hard-Cover Books)		Toothbrushes
Toothpaste (travel size)	Liquid Hand Sanitizer (travel size)	
Body Wash, Liquid Soap, Facial Cleanser (travel size)	Shampoo (travel size)	
Conditioner (travel size)	Tissues (individual packs; travel size only)	
Baby wipes (travel size)	Mouthwash (travel size)	



15th ANNUAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Sponsored by the

DALLAS ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS

(Tax ID # 75-1848249 - Local Association of the Texas Insurance Federation)

Fundraiser will benefit Educational Scholarship Fund
and Community Service projects throughout the year.

When: **Friday, August 20, 2010**

Registration/Lunch	12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Cost:	
Tournament	1:00 PM - 4:00 PM	Bowlers	\$75.00 (shoe rental incl.)
Awards	4:00 PM - 4:30 PM	Non-Bowlers	\$50.00
		Food & Beverages	provided for all participants.

Where: **300 DALLAS ►**
3805 Beltline Rd.
Addison, TX 75001
(972) 620-7700

Choose your five-person team, or we can place you on one.

- *Each team plays three games.*
- *Door Prizes presented throughout the tournament!*
- *Prizes awarded for 1st, 2nd, 3rd & Last Place teams!*

* **Directions to LOCATION:** West of Tollway, between Midway and Marsh. North side of Beltline

For more information, contact: Mary Donlon (214) 922-8804

Registration Form DEADLINE: Friday, August 13, 2010

I will have a five (5) person team: () Yes () No My check is attached for \$_____.

Bowler Name (1) _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Bowler Name (2) _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Bowler Name (3) _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Bowler Name (4) _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Bowler Name (5) _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

Non-Bowler Name _____ Company _____
Email _____ Phone _____

SPONSORS – WE NEED YOUR SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION!!

Bowling Lane Sponsors	\$ 100 each (_____)	Platinum Sponsor	\$ 500 each (_____)
Food/Beverage Sponsors	\$ 250 each (_____)	Cash Donation (specify amount)	\$ _____
Check attached in the amount of \$ _____	OR	Complimentary Door Prize (specify)	_____
Agency/Company Sponsor _____		Contact Name _____	
Address _____		Phone _____	

Please make checks payable to DAIP

Mail to: Mary Donlon 3716 Ridgeoak Farmers Branch, TX 75244

Nominations

Are due to Toni Campbell Nominating Chair

No later than

Monday, August 9, 2010

TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE DALLAS ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS

The election of officers will be held at the August 12, 2010 general meeting. The nominating committee is asking for your input for candidates for the 2010/2011 Officers and Directors. Please indicate below the person you wish to nominate. Nominations must be made no later than August 9, 2010.

The following members are eligible for the office of President-Elect:

In addition a nominee for President-Elect shall have served as an officer for one (1) year.

Linda Anderson	Ruth Goodenough	Catherine Butschek
Jenny Blackwood	Robin Greenlee	Carolyn Owen
Carol Barr	Tabitha Richardson	Jan Savage
Toni Campbell	Jan Hawkins	Shanna Sutton
Mary Donlon	Donna Hauser	Glenda Williams
	Linda Leos	

The following are members eligible for an office other than President-Elect:

Linda Anderson	Robin Greenlee	Roy Powell
Tonia Anderson	Debbie Hamilton	Tabitha Richardson
Marcie Burns	Donna Hauser	Donna Ruthenborg
Carol Barr	Jan Hawkins	Trish Acosta
Jenny Blackwood	Bobbie Hayes	Christy Salazar
Catherine Butschek	Debbie Hubbel	Crystal Santana
Kendra Cagle	Carol Kennedy	Melanie Shannon
Toni Campbell	Linda Leos	Shanna Sutton
Denise Chavez	Stephenie Mouzone	Carole Walker
Kristina Dixon	Carolyn Owen	Glenda Williams
Mary Donlon	Candee Perry-Fields	
Ruth Goodenough	Rick Pooler	

The following are members eligible for Director:

Linda Anderson	Ruth Goodenough	Jan Savage
Jenny Blackwood	Robin Greenlee	Glenda Williams
Toni Campbell	Linda Leos	
Mary Donlon	Alice Macik	

Please indicate your choice for each office:

President:		Shanna Sutton
President-Elect:		
Vice President:		
Treasurer:		
Corresponding Secretary:		
Recording Secretary:		
Director:		Linda Anderson
Director:		
Director:		
Director:		

The following are "Honorary" and not eligible:

Janey Maker	Jeanette Rowland
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Please return to: Toni Campbell email: tcampbell@smartchoiceagents.com cell: (972)523-0858

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

2009 – 2010 Board Members & Committee Chairs			
President	Linda Anderson, CISR	Education	Tabitha Richardson, ACSR, WCS
President Elect	Shanna Sutton, CISR	Long Range Planning	Alice Macik
Vice President	Tabitha Richardson, ACSR, WCS	Membership	Shanna Sutton, CISR
Treasurer	Carolyn Owen, ACSR	Newsletter	Denise Chavez
Corresponding Secretary	Stephanie Mouzone	Programs	Melanie Shannon
Recording Secretary	Kristina Dixon, CIC	Public Relations	Stephanie Mouzone
Director	Jenny Blackwood	Ways & Means-Special	Mary Donlon
Director	Mary Donlon	Ways & Means-Monthly	Crystal Santana
Director	Jan Savage, CIC, ACSR	Convention Liaison	Jan Savage
Director & Immediate Past President	Alice Macik	Holiday Party	Christy Salazar
Parliamentarian	Toni Campbell, ACSR	Installation	Alice Macik
Audit	Melanie Shannon, Dual ACSR	Officers Training	Jenny Blackwood, Mary Donlon, Jan Savage, CIC, ACSR, Alice Macik
Budget & Finance	Carolyn Owen, ACSR	Permanent Records	Kristina Dixon, CIC
Bylaws	Catherine Butschek, CIC	Sunshine	Kendra Cagle
Communication	Stephanie Mouzone	Community Service	Crystal Santana

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!

DALLAS ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE PROFESSIONALS

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

NEW MEMBER ACTIVE ASSOCIATE DAIP USE:
 RENEWAL RETIRED HONORARY DATE REC: _____ 1ST Visit: _____
CHECK#: _____ DATE APPR. _____

NAME: _____ EMPLOYER: _____

ADDRESS: _____ ADDRESS: _____

PHONE #: _____ BUSINESS#: _____ FAX#: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

PLEASE SPECIFY PREFERRED MAILING ADDRESS:

HOME BUSINESS

POSITION: _____

YEAR JOINED DAIP: _____ LICENSE(S): _____

YEARS IN INS.: _____ DESIGNATION(S): _____

D.O.B.: _____ YEAR(S) FIWT MEMBER: _____

NEW MEMBERS MUST BE ENDORSED BY TWO ACTIVE MEMBERS:

1) _____ 2) _____

THE FOLLOWING IS A LIST OF DAIP COMMITTEES. PLEASE INDICATE ANY COMMITTEE(S) YOU MIGHT BE INTERESTED IN:

- | | | |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> AUDIT | <input type="checkbox"/> LONG RANGE PLANNING | <input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC RELATIONS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MEMBERSHIP | <input type="checkbox"/> HOLIDAY PARTY | <input type="checkbox"/> SAFETY |
| <input type="checkbox"/> NEWSLETTER | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY SERVICE | <input type="checkbox"/> SUNSHINE |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EDUCATION | <input type="checkbox"/> OFFICER TRAINING | <input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNICATIONS |
| <input type="checkbox"/> EMPLOYMENT | <input type="checkbox"/> CONST. & BYLAWS | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> PROGRAM | <input type="checkbox"/> PARLIMENTARY PROCEDURE | |

ANNUAL DUES: DUE BY JULY 1 DELINQUENT AFTER SEPT 1
\$80.00 EMPLOYED MEMBERS \$65.00 RETIRED MEMBERS

NEW MEMBERS ONLY (OR ANY UPDATES TO PREVIOUS APPLICATIONS):

SPOUSE: _____ CHILDREN/AGES: _____

HOBBIES: _____

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

Don't forget to complete the FIWT Application

Please also complete the FIWT Membership Application and mail in with your DAIP application.

FEDERATION OF INSURANCE WOMEN OF TEXAS, INC.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Return To:
[] Local Membership Chairperson to be Forwarded to FIWT

Dues Fees:
[] Included in Local Dues

MEMBER INFORMATION

Name: _____ Designations: _____

Employer: _____

Preferred Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Work Phone: _____ Fax: _____ Home: _____

Email: _____ Website Address: _____

Joining As: [] Member-at-Large or [] Member of Local Assn _____
Name of Association

MEMBER PROFILE

1) Number of years employed in the insurance industry.
___ 0-5 ___ 6-10 ___ 11-15 ___ 16-20 ___ 21-25 ___ 26-30 ___ 30+ ___ 40+ ___ 50+

2) Job function (please check **ONE** which most closely applies):
___ CSR/Services ___ Producer ___ Agency Owner ___ Risk Management
___ Adjuster ___ Claims ___ Accounting ___ Marketing
___ Underwriting ___ Clerical ___ Premium Fin. ___ Other

3) Employer (please check **ONE** which most closely applies):
___ Insurance Agency ___ Adjusting Firm ___ Trade Association
___ Insurance Company ___ Managing GA ___ Retired
___ Premium Finance ___ Other _____

4) Type of Business (please check **ALL** that apply):
___ P/C ___ Life/Accident/Health ___ Finance ___ Other

5) Type of insurance license you currently hold (please check **ALL** that apply):
___ Local Recording Agent ___ Group I ___ Group II ___ Solicitor
___ Insurance Service Rep ___ Risk Manager ___ Adjuster (type) _____

6) Professional Designations (please check **ALL** that apply):
___ PIWT ___ ACSR ___ Dual ACSR ___ CISR ___ CIC
___ AAI ___ AU ___ Other _____

7) What year did you join FIWT? _____