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We don't have to be in the same room to be on the same page!!

Members in the News!

Rhode Island

Get well wishes go to Executive Director **Alice Stanelun** who has resumed the Battle. You go, girl!

Honolulu

Congratulations to **Sharlene 'Pebblz' Nakamoto**, Kincaid's Restaurant who has been named Mrs. Hawaii and will be travelling to Arizona to compete for the national title. Congratulations also to HEA members who raised funds to send Pebblz' family with her.

Congratulations also to HEA member **Kris Gourlay**, The KNG Group who have been listed in the PBN's Fastest 50.

HEA is also in the planning stages for an HEA Getaway in early November to Las Vegas, Nevada to watch the Thunderbirds Airshow at Nellis Air Force Base. (I guess they know the T-Birds commander is a member of LVEA?)

Tulsa

Peter Biadasz, member of TEA is pleased to announce the publication of his new

2006 IEA Conference Update:



A quick conference update

So far, 48 have registered for the conference. Many Executive Directors have not sent in their forms as yet, so hopefully with officers and guests, we'll take the count to over 100 in the next two weeks. Don't be left out!

It is important to contact the hotel directly by September 13th to get the great room rate. Also, it is important to let SEA know you are coming. Some have registered at the hotel and not registered for the conference, and vice versa.

FAQ: [Frequently Asked Questions](#) (*To answer the typical questions SEA is receiving*)

Yes, the Royal Argosy boat trip is included with the full registration. Guests must register separately for this activity unless they chose the full guest registration option. This event is on Friday (not Sat as in an early registration form).

book: "**Powerful People are Powerful Networkers**" **Your Daily Guide to Becoming a Powerful Teacher** by Peter Biadasz, Richard Possett and Mark I. Clemons.

This new book is the perfect book for you, or anyone you know, who desires to teach with long lasting power and effect. Perfect for your favorite teacher or the teacher of someone you care about.

It joins Peter's other titles "**More Leads**" and "**Powerful People are Powerful Networkers**".

Edmonton

EEA has had some great success this year with a number of charitable options which members organize and contribute to outside of the realm of EEA (which, of course, is 'non charitable') But that doesn't mean that EEA member are not involved in helping their local and world communities.

Partners in the Horn of Africa - Two members have been involved in supplying fresh water & schools to 5 communities in Ethiopia. Saveria provided funding & administration and EBA Engineering provide the technical know how and project managers as part of the 40th Anniversary celebration. On the local front, EBA member Terry Hillaby organizes the annual **Corporate Blood Challenge** - to encourage companies to get their employees to donate blood during the slow summer period when blood supplies tend to dry up. One of the initiatives is a Life Bus which will pick up employees and deliver them to the donation area and then take them back to work. The Life Bus also came to an EEA meeting a few weeks back.

EEA Members also walked rode and otherwise supported such charities as the Weekend to End Breast Cancer 40 Mile Walk (Al Mabee & Wendy Coburn); MS 100 Bike Ride (Bruce Otto, Stewart Inglis, Marcel Notschaele & Gay Andrews & Honorary member (70+ years old) Whitey Watts!; Cycling for Celiacs (Vancouver to Edmonton - 820 miles over the Rockies) Vic Mitchell; and many other great achievements & fund raisers. Congratulations to all!

Travelling?

Why not try an IEA member hotel....

San Francisco CA
Queen Anne Hotel

Attire: Business casual is appropriate for all the meetings. Many of our members wear suits or jacket, shirt and tie, but others attend our meetings in jackets and golf shirts or sweaters and slacks. Jeans are not appropriate nor are shorts. Ladies wear pant outfits, dresses and suits. The Friday night party will be more "dressy" (as in going out to a nice restaurant), or go crazy and dress formally. These days anything goes: so pack accordingly and wear what you enjoy wearing.

Weather: After the most beautiful summer weather ever (more days in the 90's than I've ever seen), the fall air is beginning to creep in. You will need a jacket when you are outside. Bring a warm sweater to go under it. If you are from the north, you might as well throw in that coat, as we can't predict what may be happening in October. If you are from the south, you'll be cold unless you bring warm clothing. Fleece is always a safe bet here, and as in all conferences, it is advisable to layer clothing as temps change in a room throughout a meeting. Seattle sells more sunglasses than anywhere else: yes, because it's a constant change between cloudy (and sometimes rainy) moments and bright sunshine in the fall.

Go to the website to register and to view program details:
<http://getwired.seattleexecs.org/>

P.S. Seattle is a hot destination these days, so this is going to be one of the most well attended conference in years. You don't want to miss it and we don't want to miss you.

2006 IEA Auction Item Request:

From Tiffany Mock-Goeman, Northern California Rep for IEA
Silent Auction Chair

One important part of the IEA Conference agenda is the Silent Auction that takes place during the main evening event. Last year, in Shreveport, LA, the conference successfully raised over \$6,000 for this year's IEA programs and we would like to do as well or better this year.

As the chair of the auction and your fellow association manager, I am asking each of you to make this request a priority with your Executive Association's board. The donation does not need to be large or extravagant- if each association board was to donate an item worth \$200, we would easily exceed our goal. The types of items that we are looking for are the following:

- Gift certificates from nation-wide businesses or online merchants,
- Electronic merchandise (cameras, cell phones, ipods, digital picture frames, GPS systems, Palm Pilots, etc),
- Travel packages from your hometown (hotel, car rental, special tickets, etc.),
- Art- photographs, limited prints, paintings, jewelry,

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- Collectibles-sports memorabilia, ornaments, etc,
- Specialty food items from your region, or
- Cash that we can combine with other items to make larger packages.

I realize that many of you and/or your board members do not regularly attend the conference, but please don't let that stop you from making a donation.

Even if you have not had a chance to attend, the conference & auction are cornerstones of the success of IEA and should be supported by all its members. We have tried to make the donation process as easy as possible this year- make the purchase online and send it directly to us.

Just send me an email or call me with the following information about your pledge: Association Name, Address, Phone number, Item & Estimated value (if known)

Please mail or ship the item **before September 20th** to: Executives Association of San Francisco 100 Bush Street, Suite 1500 San Francisco, CA 94104 Phone: 415-982-3932 Email: tiffany@freshalliance.com

If you have any questions, please feel free to call Tiffany at 415-982-9200 ext. 227.

On behalf of the International Executives Association's Board of Directors, thank you for your ongoing efforts in continuing to support the IEA and the power of Executives Associations.

Member to Member - Business to Business:

Ford Pedersen, Kona Execs requested computer training assistance for a client close to Edmonton, Alberta. EEA hooked his client up with a personal computer trainer.

Tracy Rohl, Edmonton execs member recently visited her mother in Orlando, Florida and did business with a member of EAGO.

Any one else doing business out there?

Question of the month:

From the Executive Director of the Edmonton Executives Association (I did tell you that I don't know everything, didn't I?)

New Ideas for Huddle Sessions - Last year I came back from Conference with a great idea for a Huddle: 'I Blew It, I Knew It & How I Lived Through It'

The members loved the round table session and now they expect another one that's just as exciting....any ideas?

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