

Letter from President



EWI really is made up of professional women, and it is a pleasure to serve and participate in this great organization. I am so impressed by Sandra Austin, Cherry Buckner, and the EWISP and ASIST committee members. We were all blessed with the very worthwhile fruits of their labor, and it was a real joy to meet and hear from our 2010 scholarship winners at the July meeting. We, the scholarship winners, and their parents were

treated to a wonderful dinner at the Hilton penthouse. Angela Rao, our first place EWISP scholarship recipient this year, was also selected as a Corporate EWISP finalist; and therefore will receive an additional \$2,000 in scholarship funding. Kudos to these impressive students; and our gratitude to those dedicated EWI leaders for their service. Job well done!

It was a real pleasure to welcome and have Mina Lester installed as representative for new member firm, Ridgeland Tourism Commission, and Arlette Williams as second representative for MS State Personnel Board. We are fortunate to have replacement representatives, Sherry Bullock, Eubank and Betts, and Kim Sandidge, Barlow Eddy Jenkins, also installed. I am confident that these ladies will be a most welcomed and beneficial addition to our organization.

Our annual Golf Classic serves as our primary fundraiser for the year; and is essential for funding our scholarship programs, philanthropic endeavors and the general operations of our Chapter, made possible only by support from you and your firms. It is obvious that Rhonda DuBois and the Ways and Means committee are excited and enthusiastic for this year's event, scheduled September 9. We receive compliments on how the EWI Annual Golf Classic is so well run and a lot of fun; and this year promises to be no exception. I believe EWI ladies can make this one of our best ever events. Please plan to be there to participate and assist in making this a phenomenal success.

It is time to register for LCAM, September 23rd – 25th in Kansas City, Missouri. Don't delay, get your registration in and advise Vice President Tara Raynes of your plans to attend. The Corporate website has helpful tools that will assist you with presentation for obtaining approval from your firm so that you may participate in the very beneficial experience of LCAM.

2009-2010 Officers & Directors

President

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Publications Director

Cynthia Bailey, Enterprise Holdings, Inc

July '10 Board Meeting Highlights

EWI of Jackson held the July Board of Directors meeting at 11:30 a.m., Tuesday, July 13, 2010 at member firm Trustmark. President Rogers thanked Rhonda DuBois, representative for AT&T MS for providing lunch.

The minutes from the June Board meeting were approved.

Treasurer's Report:

General	Account	\$23,691.74
Investment	Account	<u>\$42,584.49</u>
	Sub-Total	\$66,276.23
B/C/D/P		<u>\$ 9,975.75</u>
	Total	\$76,251.98

Membership Director, Penny Danford, provided her report of 48 firms, 52 representatives, 11 sustaining members and 6 life members.

Philanthropy Director, Sandy Powlett, informed us that her committee will meet on July 14th and will provide an update on the Reading Rally.

Ways and Means Director, Rhonda DuBois, informed us that door prize proceeds from the July meeting were reported as \$122.00.

The next meeting will be a business meeting and will be August 12th at the Old Capitol Inn.

Next Board meeting is Tuesday, August 17th, at 11:30 a.m. at Old Capitol Inn hosted by AT&T.

Meeting adjourned.

2010 EWISP Winner

Angela Rao, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Deepak Rao, (pictured below) is a student at Clinton High School. She is very active in school and community activities. An honors student, she is a member of the Student Council, National Honor Society, varsity swim team and was elected a class officer. First alternate in Clinton's Junior Miss Pageant, she is active in the Girl Scouts, a volunteer at the Blair E. Batson Children's Hospital, Clinton Animal Rescue League, Community Stewpot and other worthwhile organizations. She is a swim instructor and lifeguard at the Baptist Healthplex. Angela is an accomplished pianist and plans to further her knowledge of science as she works toward her goal of becoming an Endocrinologist.



SIDE BAR

Please bring your items for the goody bags to the August membership meeting on August 12, 2010. Barlow Eddy Jenkins has offered the bags to be used. Thanks so much for your support!

Rhonda DuBois, AT&T Mississippi Ways & Means Director

LCAM Delegate Posting

In accordance with Chapter Bylaws, Article VII, Section 1.B., delegates to the Annual Meeting are elected by their respective chapter. Proposed delegates must be posted to the membership and meet the recommended qualifications.

The Nominating Committee has reviewed the list of representatives planning to attend the Annual Meeting and will present the following recommendations at the August Business Meeting.

Delegates: President Carolyn Rogers
Vice President Tara Raynes

Alternate: Advisor Janice Knight

Submitted by 2010 Nominating Committee:
Sandra Austin
Cherry Buckner
Penny Danford
Dianne Lockett
Gloria Deister, Chair

August Business Meeting



August Meeting will be held at Old Capitol Inn, August 12, 2010. Dinner Fees - \$30

5:30 pm – Networking
6:00 pm – Meeting

Regrets only

Please contact Deanna Mickle by noon Monday, August 9, 2010 at 601-352-8377 or Deanna@bejarch.com

Birthday Wishes

August Birthdays...

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8/13	Ronnie Smith	Regions Bank
8/15	Andy Nesenson	Ruth's Chris Steakhouse
8/18	Richard Hickson	Trustmark Corp.
8/25	Joyce Thompson	Sustaining
8/28	Sandra Austin	Mississippi Children's Home Services

Notice of Annual Chapter Business Meeting

To: Chapter Representatives

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to *Standard Chapter Bylaws* of Executive Women International that the August annual business meeting of the Chapter will be held at 6:00 pm on August 12, 2010, at Old Capitol Inn, Jackson, MS.

The representatives will:

- Receive annual reports of Officers and Directors and committee chairs
- Elect member representatives to serve on nominating committee
- Budget Committee motion
- Elect delegates and alternate for LCAM
- Elect Sylvia C. Napper Leadership Development Committee Members
- Bylaws amendments to be voted on at LCAM
- 2010 Reading Rally
- Take action on any other matters that may properly come before the annual business meeting.



Chapter Secretary



Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins, P.A. - In 1958, Charles C. Barlow and H.C. Plunkett founded their innovative architectural and engineering firm upon a single primary principle: The design of the built environment must enrich human experience. Personal involvement by principals of the firm in design and construction observation has been a policy throughout the firm's history. In the decades since, Barlow & Plunkett, Ltd. has turned that principle into a commitment, compiling a record of pioneering achievements within our profession in Mississippi.

In the early 1990's, the firm leadership was transitioned to Chuck Barlow, Scott Eddy, and David Jenkins, and in 1997, the firm name was changed to Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins, P.A.

Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins, P.A. is home-based in Jackson, Mississippi, near the downtown commercial district. Their clients represent a broad range of interests, from federal, state and local governments and public agencies to schools, universities, investors, developers and private businesses. Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins is especially proud that a high proportion of our clients have chosen to develop a continuing relationship with Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins, P.A., retaining their services for a succession of projects.

Barlow Eddy Jenkins, PA Second Rep Kim Sandidge



Kim has worked for Barlow • Eddy • Jenkins, P.A. since February 2009. As Marketing Coordinator, her responsibilities include collecting job leads for potential projects and collaborating with the Chief Executive Officer to develop a marketing plan and related materials for proposal and interview presentation. She coordinates and hosts client appreciation events, specifically the annual Summer Celebration picnic. Kim also assists with accounts payable processing, including, but not limited to, coding, invoice entry, check processing, and mailing of all accounts payable checks.

She is an active member of the Rankin County Chamber of Commerce, where she serves on the membership committee and participates in the new member mentoring program. She has a daughter, Emerson, who is five years old. She is an active member of First United Methodist Church of Clinton, MS, where she is on the board of Children's Ministry and teaches children's church to 3, 4 and 5 year olds.

Prayer Request

- Louise Anderson's grandmother, stroke recovery.
- Cynthia Bailey's cousin, Errol Page, recovering from injuries sustained in a head on collision
- Janice Knight's granddaughter, Marley Kate, breathing treatments until January
- Rhonda Dubois' mother, Betty Cockroft, recovery from back surgery, doing well
- Wanda Park's husband, Bob, chemo therapy treatments
- Teresa Davidson's six month old granddaughter, failure to grow, consulting specialists.
- Cherry Buckner's mother-in-law, burn treatments
- April McClung's mother, health complications due to diabetes
- Sylvia Nappers daughter, Pam Gunter, kidney removal
- Sandra Spangler's parents
- Rhonda Dubois' former neighbor, Jenny Mills, ovarian cancer diagnosis
- Cade Ainsworth, local student, recently diagnosed with prostate cancer
- Dr. Muse of Hinds Community College
Billy Duckworth's Father, heart-attack



Door Prizes for August

- ServiceMaster OneCall
- Southern Farm Bureau Casualty Insurance
- St. Dominic Health Services
- TempStaff, Inc.
- Todd & Associates

Theme: "Hot Days of Summer"

DATES TO NOTE

August 12, 2010

Chapter Business Meeting
Old Capitol Inn

August 17, 2010

Chapter Board Meeting
Old Capitol Inn
11:30 a.m.

August 26, 2010

Publication Submission
Deadline



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Jackson

Member Firm

Alliance Business Services
A T & T Mississippi
Atmos Energy Corporation
BankFirst Financial Services
BankPlus
Barlow Eddy Jenkins, PA
Belhaven University
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Broderick Advertising, Inc.
Business Communications, Inc.
Colonial Country Club
Drs. Tramel, Riley and Brown
Dunamis Technologies, LLC.
Entergy Mississippi
Enterprise Leasing Company South Central, LLC.
Equity Solutions
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Jackson Preparatory School Foundation, Inc.
L-3 Vertex Aerospace
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Mississippi Children's Home Services
Mississippi Department of Employment Security
Mississippi State Personnel Board
Morningside Partnership
Old Capitol Inn
Regions
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Ruth's Chris Steakhouse
ServiceMaster OneCall
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Southern Farm Bureau Casualty Insurance Co.
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EWI[®] Mission and Vision

Mission

Executive Women International[®] is an organization which brings together key Individuals from diverse businesses for the purpose of:

- Promoting member firms
- Enhancing personal and professional development, and
- Encouraging community involvement

Vision

To be the Leading Connection for Business Professionals

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