



Our Vision

Through our influence as successful business professionals, women will effect positive change in the profession and in the broader community.

December 2009

2009 STATE CHAPTER OFFICERS:

Each officer is entitled to one vote

GOVERNOR:	Bonita Hurt
PRESIDENT:	Nieva P. Schapker
PRESIDENT ELECT:	Johnnie Alex
SECRETARY:	Pamela Martin
TREASURER:	Emma Dinkins

STANDING COMMITTEE CHAIRS:

Each chairperson entitled to one vote.

PROGRAM/EDUCATION:	Nila Sink
FINANCE & BUDGET:	Emma Dinkins
MEMBER OF THE YEAR:	Connie Coleman
BY LAWS/STANDING RULES:	Margaret Crosby & Robbie Williams
NATIONAL FOCUS:	Donita Wolf
STRATEGIC PLANNING:	Teresa Mumford
NOMINATING:	Bonita Hurt (Chair) Margaret Crosby Kathy Johnson Donna Roman Pam Proctor (Alternate) Jan Brinkman (Alternate)

Date to REMEMBER for 2010

1/25/2010 Winter Conference, Downtown Marriot, Indianapolis, IN

2010 State Officers

Governor	Nieva P. Schapker
President	Johnnie Alex
President-Elect	Pamela Martin
Secretary	Emma Dinkins
Treasurer	Lisa Nichols

Did YOU Know...

British-based clothing company, Matalan, was commissioned by onepoll.com to do the math & found that women ages 16-60 spend 287 days picking out their clothes. The survey showed that the average woman devotes 16 minutes per weekday morning choosing an outfit, 14 minutes on a weekend clothing selection, 53 minutes to vacation pack. This all adds up to 156.8 hours annually, nearly a year over an average woman's lifetime!

Closet Time

Hours Per Year Women Spend Choosing Clothes

- 64: Weekday Mornings
- 24: Weekend Mornings
- 34: Weekday Evenings
- 17: Weekend Evenings
- 6: Gym activities
- 3.5: Dinner Parties
- 1.7: Vacation Packing
- 6.6: On Vacation



Fall National Meeting, San Diego, CA



Nieva P. Schapker (2009 IN State President), **Deborah Tatum Gilmore** (2009 National President-Elect)

Nancy Farkas (2009 Region II Regional Vice-President)
Nieva P. Schapker (2009 IN State President)
Anita Louthan (2009 Evansville Chapter President-Elect)
Marilyn Parrish (2009 Indianapolis Chapter President)



Judy Knox (OH), **Donita Wolf** (IN), **Young Kim** (OH)



Shelley Morgan (WI), **Bonita Hurt** (2009 IN State Governor)

REMINDER TO ALL CHAPTERS TO CONTINUE WORKING ON CHAPTER EXCELLENCE AWARD!!

Just a few days before Christmas...I know all of you are busy with preparations for the big day. Before we all get together with family and friends, I want to wish all of you a Blessed and Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! It's been a privilege to serve as your 2009 Indiana State Chapter President and I want to THANK all of you for your support throughout the years. I have made many friends throughout the state and I have enjoyed meeting you through my travels. THANK YOU for your Hoosier hospitality! Our trip to the National Conference in San Diego was wonderful. Technology, networking sites and short sales were everywhere....The message was clear....We need to get on board and to learn and understand their impact on our business. And, we need to do it NOW! I hope all of you are working on completing your Chapter Excellence Award due 2/1/2010 because I know that all six of our local chapters are capable of receiving the distinction of the award. Please do not forget the Winter Conference scheduled for 1/25/2010 at the Downtown Indianapolis Marriott for our next meeting. I'll see you there. Till then...*Nieva*



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MERRY CHRISTMAS FROM THE LOCAL CHAPTERS



Fort Wayne Chapter
Deanna Faust, Treas; Bev Goff, Sec; Mary Lou Thomas, Membership; Debbie Kosiak, Pres Elect; Debbie Oldakowski, Pres; Bonita Hurt, Governor



South Bend Chapter
Sandy Cather, Betty Frame; Denise Graves, new President; Donna Roman



Indianapolis Chapter
Emma Dinkins, Robbie Williams, Molly Hahn and Kaye Hirt



South Bend Chapter
Mary Cashman, Kathy Large, Beth Greene



Indianapolis Chapter
Tina Exline, Rebecca Theis, Bobbie Naugle, Janet Jernigan, Priscilla Russell, and Margaret Crosby



Evansville Chapter 2010 Officers:
President Anita Louthan, Vice-President of Membership Debbie Craft, Secretary Marilyn Gregory, and Treasurer Jeff Bosse II



North Central Chapter
Lisa Nichols, incoming VP of Membership; Sharon DeMont; Tina Fitch, President; Kim Milliser, Treas; Chris McIntire, President-Elect; Gina Howell, Secretary; and Jamie Aker, VP of Membership and incoming President-Elect.



North Central Chapter
Member of the Year, Judy Goebel, with Sharon DeMont, Chairman of the Member of the Year Committee

Evansville Chapter 2009 Treasurer Jeff Bosse II, 2009 IN State President Nieva P. Schapker, 2009 President Roy Cheaney, 2009 President-Elect Anita Louthan, 2009 Vice-President of Membership Debbie Craft

Evansville Chapter Christmas Luncheon

