

August 4, 2011 Meeting Recap

We began the meeting with introduction of **members present:**

Debra Chandler, Chandler and Associates-financial services and insurance for individuals/small businesses

David Hoffman – attorney specializing in Wills, Trusts and Estates

Roxanne Jenkins – Advanced Mobi Marketing

Suzie Loungeway – In Home Consultant with Calico Corners

Natalie and Curt McArtors – Long and Foster realtors

Rick Steeby – Home & Property Resolutions (home improvement projects)

Becky Taylor – Titleworks, Inc. (residential real estate settlements)

Michael C. Whitticar – NOVA IP law (intellectual property attorney)

Guests present are as follows:

Sean Blaine - Fox Landscaping

Kris White – Coach White’s Driving School

Jeff Knight – TrueShred

Pandora Wenner – Alliance Bank

John D’Orazio – Moore Cadillac

Lake Lester – Court Clothing

Members exchanged thank you’s for business exchanged since the last meeting.

A sign up sheet was passed around the table for Haymarket Day. If you didn’t get to sign up, please let Becky Taylor know what time you are able to “man” (or “woman”) our table at Haymarket Day. Please be sure to bring your business cards and any flyers/brochures you may have for your business so that they can be displayed.

There was another change in the date of the CASA event and the group decided not to participate as a sponsor of that event but instead to make a \$250 donation to CASA.

We discussed having a group blog. There appeared to be enough interest in keeping it current. Becky Taylor will discuss with Shelley to see how this can be tied to the group website.

Debra Chandler of Chandler and Associates announced that she has taken a Board position on the National Network to End Domestic Violence at the Gaylord in February 2012. They will need language interpreters as well as general volunteers. Also if you know of a college student who may be interested in an internship for a non-profit group, please let Debra know.

As we had no member presentation scheduled, one of our guests, John D'Orazio, was prepared and willing to share his experience and knowledge of the trade in process for vehicles. He also has more information to share about the buying process. For more information about "Car Buying 101", please contact John at JohnDorazio@MooreCadillac.com

Debra Chandler, Investment Advisor Representative, provided us all with "Finally a Debt Deal Gets Done...Here are the particulars of the Budget Control Act of 2011". Thank you Debra!

The presenter at our next meeting on Thursday, August 18 will be Roxanne Jenkins of Advanced Mobi Marketing. Hope to see everyone there at 8:00 am.