

Ohio Chapter, Association for Accounting Administration May 9, 2003 Meeting

The May 2003 meeting of the Ohio Chapter, Association for Accounting Administration was held at the offices of Battelle and Battelle, LLP, in Dayton, Ohio on May 9, 2003.

The following members were in attendance:

Tammy Boring	Snyder & Company	Lancaster, OH
Patty Czechowski	Packer, Thomas, & Company	Youngstown, OH
Jim Fahey	Brott, Mardis & Co., CPAs	Akron, OH
Paul Fellinger	Shriver & Co.	Cincinnati, OH
Candi Haas	Payne, Hammersmith, Nickles & Co.	Norwalk, OH
John Jackson	Battelle & Battelle, LLP	Dayton, OH
Jen McCormick	Battelle & Battelle, LLP	Dayton, OH
Patti Miller	Harr & Scherer, CPAs, Inc.	Circleville, OH
Bev Rench	Thorn, Lewis & Duncan	Dayton, OH
Kim Tanner	Whitcomb & Hess, Inc.	Ashland, OH
Barb Walker	Barnes, Dennig & Co., Ltd.	Cincinnati, OH

Presentation

This meeting's presentation was on "Bad Apples" and was a hands-on workshop to teach us how to deal with bad attitudes in the workplace. It was presented by Beth Flynn, Extension Associate, Leadership Education with the OSU Extension Leadership Center.

Business Meeting

Minutes of the previous meeting were approved, as was the Treasurer's report.

Cash in bank at February 21, 2003 was \$2,754.67. Income for the past three months was \$153.83 and expenses for the same period were \$220.80. Cash in bank at May 9, 2003 was \$2,687.70.

Old Business

Fred will be the next President of the National AAA Board, and the group acknowledged that this is an honor for our chapter and an accomplishment for Fred.

New Business

Jim went through the attendance list to check if anyone knew anything about those on the list who do not attend meetings on a regular basis. Various members agreed to call different ones on the list to see if we can improve the attendance at meetings.

Tammy will send the membership list from National to Barb, so it can be checked against our current attendance list.

The slate of officers for next year was presented, as follows:

For President -	Jim Fahey
For Vice President -	David Hill
For Secretary -	Barb Walker
For Treasurer -	Tammy Boring
For Program Chair -	Kim Tanner

This slate was accepted as presented.

The program for our July meeting in Lancaster will be presented by Carol Roche and will be on the topic of Emotional Intelligence of Managers. The meeting will be held on July 18 in Lancaster. The Lancaster Festival will be going on that weekend in Lancaster. For more information on the Lancaster Festival, go to the website www.lanfest.org.

Jim mentioned that the Brain Exchange is not getting much use, and he proposed to set up a new program, which would be through e-mails, called News Groups. He will be setting up one for Firm Administrators and one for Network Administrators. These will be discussion groups which hopefully will get more use by the members. Jim will send the addresses for these groups to everyone.

The business meeting was adjourned.

Next Meeting

The next meeting will be held on Friday, July 18, 2003 in Lancaster.