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NOKOMIS NEWS

Quarter 4, 2010



Member Expo

November's meeting was a huge success with our Nokomis member expo. Members share their businesses and opportunities providing time to ask questions and make those important networking connections. Below is our group of powerful women who made the expo happen.

Stephanie Hauman, CPA
Stephanie Hauman for Wolverine Bank
Lisa VanDerhoof for Quixtar
Dawn Orbeck for SendOut Cards
Jo Currier for Ways to Wellness
Sue Adams for PrePaid Legal
Bev Garchow for Midland Resort
Vicki Krawczak for Boresha Bskinny Coffee and Teas
Darlene Anderson & Lori for RelyLocal
Karla Oldenburg for Yeo and Yeo
Erin Strayer for Lia Sophia
Jennifer Parks for Red Cross
Kim Walden for Farm Bureau
Lorie Lillie for Jewel Kade

Upcoming Meetings

- January 12th
Financial Planning for Women, presented by
Luke Russell & Business Meeting,
6:00pm at Midland Resort Room 156
- February 2nd
Nokomis Board Meeting,
6:00pm Grace A. Dow Library
- February 9th
Effective Leadership, presented by Drew
Collins & Business Meeting
6:00pm at Midland Resort
- February 16th
Watch for Potential Party Gras Meeting
- February 23rd
Watch for Potential Party Gras Wrap Up
- March 2nd
Nokomis Board Meeting,
6:00pm Grace A. Dow Library
- March 9th
Chapter Anniversary and Awards

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President: Kim Walden
Vice President: Erin Strayer
Secretary: Jennifer Parks
Treasurer: Stephanie Hauman

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Jennifer Parks

Jennifer Parks was born in Midland and grew up in Iowa. After graduating High School, Jennifer returned to Michigan and attended Delta College for two years, and then transferred to Saginaw Valley State University where she holds a bachelor's degree in Elementary Education.

Jennifer is the Development Director for the American Red Cross Midland/Gladwin and Saginaw County Chapter's. She is responsible for fundraising, community relations, donor relations, special events and marketing. She has been with the American Red Cross Midland/Gladwin Chapter since August 2008. Prior to her work at the American Red Cross Jennifer taught preschool in Midland.

In addition to being the Jennifer the ABWA Secretary, Jennifer is on the Kid's Day at the Mall Committee and the Leadership Midland Steering Committee. In her spare time, Jennifer enjoys reading, cooking and spending time with friends and family.

Stephanie Hauman

Stephanie Hauman was born in Detroit, but her family moved to Midland when she was about 2 years old. She lived in Midland until she married her husband, Mark, in June of 2007 and they bought a home in Freeland. They currently have no children, but have a dog and a cat.

Stephanie attended Saginaw Valley State University where she obtained her Bachelor's of Professional Accountancy degree. While attending college, she worked part time at Wolverine Bank starting out as a customer service representative, moving on to accounting clerk, and ending as a commercial credit analyst. After graduation, Stephanie began working for a regional public accounting firm where she gained the experience necessary to receive her Certified Public Accountant license. In 2008, Stephanie opened her own tax and accounting practice in Freeland. At the same time, she was offered a position at Wolverine Bank as a part-time commercial loan officer with flexible hours to fit in with her growing business.

Stephanie serves as Treasurer for the National Association of Career Women, as well as for the American Business Women's Association. She serves on the finance committee for Women in Leadership, and is on the Board of Directors of the Freeland Area Chamber of Commerce.

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Party Gras!
Erin and Nancy are this years co-chairs for our annual Fundraiser. We need everyone's help to raise funds for local college scholarships. Contact Erin or Nancy to help.

Tickets are now on sale. Direct all potential guests to our website to register.
www.abwa-midland-mi.org



2nd Annual **Party Gras**

ABWA Nokomis Charter Chapter, Midland MI

Friday, February 25th, 2011 at 6pm
Great Hall, Valley Plaza Resort
(Bay City Road, Midland)

Purchase Tickets *Lady's Night Out*

\$40 in Advance At
www.abwa-midland-mi.org/partygras
\$50 Tickets at the door

Includes:

Strolling Dinner
Mini Spa Services
DJ Music
Vendor Shopping
Cocktail & Cash Bar
Dancing & Zumba Instruction