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P r e s i d e n t ' s C o l u m n

I am pleased to announce that Paula Todd, CBA, Haldex Brake Products has accepted the position of Corresponding Secretary/Publicity Chair for the remainder of the current board term. This position has been vacant since the installation of our current board so her acceptance of the position is very much appreciated. Welcome Paula!

I can hardly believe its June already. Credit Congress is right around the corner; several of our chapter members will be attending. My hope is next years Congress will see a better economy and an increase in attendance.

The board is in the beginning stages of preparing for our annual auction. The auction will be September 9th at Western Extralite. This is our Chapter's major fundraiser of the year. If you've never attended, please consider doing so - it is an entertaining and fun evening. If you cannot attend, you can still help support this fundraiser by procuring an item donation from your company or with a personal donation. You can contact anyone on the board and we'll be glad to pick up any donations received. With everyone's help we can make this another successful auction.

Our June meeting was presented by Chet Mayekawa, Region Sales Manager, Heritage Foods, on "Secrets Revealed: Taking Your Presentation Skills to the Next Level". This was a very interesting topic that I'm sure will benefit all of us.

I hope everyone is having a great start to the summer and staying dry. Please forward any ideas and/or concerns to myself or any one on the board.

*Shawn Ismert, CBA
Chapter President
CFDD: "Where Endless Opportunities Await"*

NEW PROGRAM COMMITTEE

The board members have been in discussion regarding a reduction of the Board of Directors – combining the positions of Vice President-Membership and Vice President-Programs. To accomplish this, some of the responsibilities would be delegated to a committee. One of the areas we feel would be best suited for a committee would be programs. If we can successfully recruit a program committee and Chair, the Board will pursue the necessary Bylaw changes and reorganization of the Board.

NACM-CFDD is about providing educational opportunities for our members. This task has been the sole responsibility of the 2nd VP Program Chair and this board position has remained vacant for the last year. This is so vital to the success of our organization that it would be best served by more than one member to review and determine the type of programs we will have throughout the year and pursue speakers.

Since this is a key driver of our organization, the input of more members can better target the needs of our members by gaining more outside input and resources. The committee would be able to communicate ideas, suggestions, and possible speakers by phone or email. One person from the board would be appointed as the committee chair and provide programming details to the Vice President and the Board.

If you would be interested in being apart of the program committee you can contact me (913-664-7629, eric.lerdahl@spx.com) or Shawn Ismert (816-779-6104, shawn.ismert@siouxchief.com).

Your involvement in this chapter determines the success and long term commitment to the membership. Please consider supporting this vital area of your CFDD Chapter.

*Eric Lerdahl
1st VP Membership*

SAVE THE DATE

13TH ANNUAL CFDD AUCTION

Wednesday, September 9th, 2009

Admission is Free

Auction: 6:15 pm

Dinner 5:30 pm

Boxed dinner available for \$10.00

Western Extralite
1470 Liberty
Kansas City, MO 64102



PROGRAMS

JULY Federal Reserve- Economic Outlook

AUGUST How to Improve Your Collection Effectiveness

SEPTEMBER Auction

Program Committee

CERTIFICATION EXAM DATES

November 9, 2009 with paperwork due by September 21, 2009

March 8, 2010 with paperwork due by January 11, 2009



*Jill Tamborini, CBA
Education Chair*

2009 CFDD KANSAS CITY AWARDS WINNERS

At our April meeting we announced the winners of our chapter awards. Each year members of the chapter are invited to nominate a member who they feel is deserving of recognition as **Credit Professional of the Year** and **Distinguished New Member**.

Congratulations to **Richard Reed** who was chosen as this year's Credit Professional of the Year and **Jacki Turntine** who received the Distinguished New Member of the Year award.

Eric Lerdahl received the Presidential Citation from Shawn Ismert, CBA, Chapter President.



Pictured: Eric Lerdahl, Jacki Turntine and Richard Reed

MEMBERSHIP

Our current membership is now at 48 members. Sandie Runyon will assume Nancy Watson-Pistole, CCE-CICP membership with Cargill Animal Nutrition and Nancy has become a new/old member joining under Seafax, Inc. Keep the members coming, the bigger the better.

Eric Lerdahl
1st Vice President Membership Chair

ENJOY THE CITY

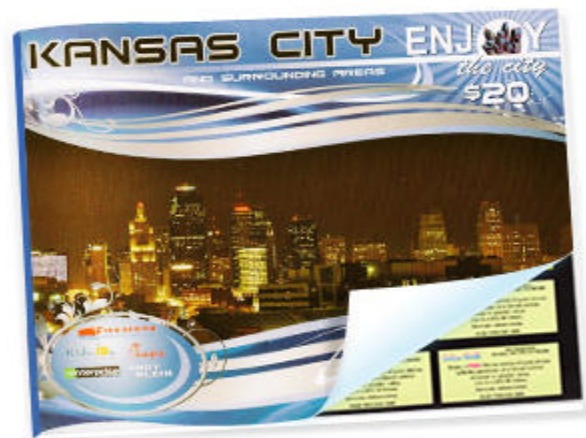
Our summer/fall fundraiser this year will be the Enjoy the City coupon books. In years past we made enough profit to cover one CFDD scholarship with the Entertainment Books.

The books will be distributed at the August meeting and we will continue to sell through the end of December. Please contact me to arrange to pick up some books.

Some of the coupons include Baskin Robbins, Blimpie, McAlister's, Mr. Goodcents, River Oaks Golf and Dick's Sporting Goods.

The books will sell for \$20.00 each and CFDD will receive an \$8.00 profit for each book sold to help sponsor a scholarship. Please start asking friends, family and co-workers if they will again help support CFDD.

Jacki Turntine
Treasurer



NACM-CFDD
TREASURER'S REPORT

For the month of May, 2009

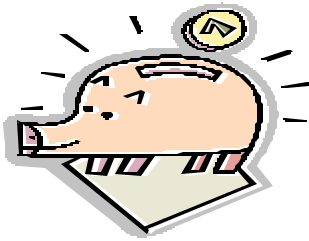
INVESTMENT ACCOUNT

Prior Month End Balance	\$4,053.50
Deposits	\$ 255.18
Service Charge	\$ (.00)
Disbursements	\$ (.00)
Current Month End Balance	\$4,308.68

CHECKING ACCOUNT

Prior Month End Balance	\$2,402.05
Deposits	\$.00
Disbursements	(\$1,213.30)
Current Month End Balance	\$1,188.75

Jacki Turntine
Treasurer



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

June
Shawn Ismert 8th
Larry Glenn 29th

July
Mark Perkins 8th

If we missed YOU, please contact Eric Lerdahl and let him know when your special day is for future recognition.



MEETING MINUTES

CFDD Meeting held May 13, 2009 at CARQUEST Auto Parts:

Shawn Ismert, CBA, Sioux Chief Mfg Co Inc, Chapter President called the meeting to order.

Introductions of all guests were made:

Kathy Summers – Shelter
Alan Reeves – Shelter
Rick Wrisinger – Bushnell Outdoor Products
Diane Redford – Huhtamaki
Justus Bwesa – Huhtamaki
Lori Savner – Huhtamaki
Rebecca Goodpasture – Deloitte & Touches LLP – Speaker

Introductions of all members in attendance were made.

Donation drawing was held. Gift was donated by Nadine Whitehead, CCE, CARQUEST Auto Parts and won by Diane Redford, Huhtamaki.

Business Meeting:

1st V.P. Membership Chair: Eric Lerdahl, SPX Cooling Technologies stated our membership is now at 48 members.

2nd V.P. Program Chair: Eric Lerdahl SPX Cooling Technologies reported the June 10th program will be on “Credit Applications” or “Toastmasters”.

Treasurer: Jacki Turntine, Sioux Chief Mfg. stated the Chapter audit will be completed this month and reported on at the June meeting. The audit committee agreed to stay after this meeting to conduct the audit.

Asst Treasurer/Attendance Chair: Nadine Whitehead, CCE, CARQUEST Auto Parts stated the June meeting location will be announced once the program is confirmed.

Corresponding Secretary: Jill Tamborini, CBA, Fujifilm Sericol USA Inc stated the next deadline for the newsletter is June 15, 2009.

Education Chair: Jill Tamborini, CBA, Fujifilm Sericol USA announced test dates will be in the upcoming newsletter. Jill reminded everyone of Credit Congress, June 15th – 17th in Orlando FL. Jill also announced the CFDD National Conference, Oct 8th – 10th in Denver CO.

Introductions were made of the Credit Professional of the Year and the Presidential Citation Award recipients. Richard Reed was awarded his plaque for Credit Professional of the

“The achievements of an organization are the results of the combined effort of each individual.”

Vince Lombardi



This years National Conference will be held in Denver, Colorado at the Doubletree Hotel. Save the date for October 8-10, 2009. [Contact us](#) for more information.

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year and Eric Lerdahl was awarded his plaque for the Presidential Citation award. Congratulations Richard and Eric.

Old Business:

Nothing to report.

New Business:

The Donation Drawing sign up sheet was passed around to all who attended. All the months were filled but 1. Thank you to all who signed up.

Program: Eric Lerdahl, SPX Cooling Technologies introduced Rebecca Goodpasture, Debitte & Touche LLP. Rebecca presented a great program on “Internal Controls Over Accounts Receivable & Credit Management”. Many great discussions took place throughout the program.

Afterwards Eric presented Rebecca Goodpasture with a certificate and gift.

Jacki Turntine, Sioux Chief Mfg moved the meeting be adjourned, Nadine Whitehead, CCE, CARQUEST Auto Parts seconded.

Respectfully submitted:

Cindy Wheeler
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ABOUT CFDD

Our Mission: The mission of the National Association of Credit Management's Credit and Financial Development Division shall be to promote active interest in the credit and financial profession, to develop and market educational programs that are vital to the development of the effective professional, and to be a viable force within the NACM network.

Our Vision: To dynamically impact the National Association of Credit Management's global vision by being the leader in educational programming and direction, thereby setting industry standards for professional excellence.