

April 2006 Dear ACT Members ~

Spring is here and I couldn't be more ready!

The 2006 Education Seminar & Trade Show has come and gone and what an amazing event it was! The speaker was awesome and we gave away some great door prizes, many of which were donated by our vendors. I want to thank everyone for your support and participation. ACT looks forward to hosting another successful trade show in March 2007!

Our April luncheon should be a good one! We have scheduled a speaker from the Red Cross to come and talk to us about emergency preparedness. This is a great topic for apartments to take into consideration, especially during severe weather season. I hope you plan on joining us! You can call your reservations in to Anne Beery at The Pines at 234-6060.

There are still several members that have unpaid invoices for various activities. It is extremely important that you get these taken care of! If you owe

money or think you might, please mail it to the PO Box or call Chelsea Denton at Mount Vernon at 234-2556.

I'll see you soon!

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April 13th Board Meeting

April 20th Luncheon

May 11th Board Meeting

May 18th Luncheon

June 15-17: NAA Education Conference and Exposition

June 22nd: NAA Updates

July 13th Board Meeting

July 20th Trolley Tour

August 10th Board Meeting

August 17th Luncheon

Sept 14 Board Meeting

Sept 21st Luncheon

Oct 12th Board Meeting

Oct 19th Luncheon

Nov. 9th Board Meeting

Nov. 16th Luncheon

Dec. 1st Holiday Party

Dec 14th Board Meeting

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ACT Speakers for 2006 - none scheduled at this time.

We are currently looking for ideas and topics.

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We are also in the process of planning a trolley tour, contact Heather Ossiander at Cedar Ridge if you would like to participate.

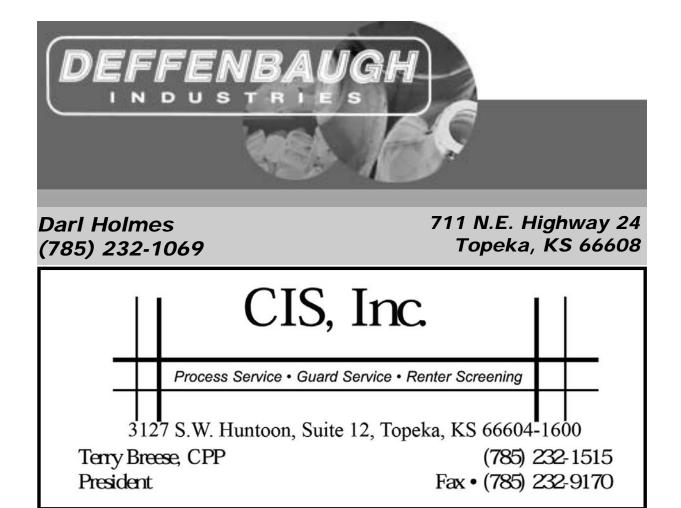


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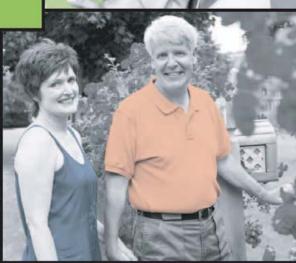
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April 20th Luncheon

Our April luncheon should be a good one! We have scheduled a speaker from the Red Cross to come and talk to use about emergency preparedness. This is a great topic for apartments to take into consideration, especially during severe weather season. I hope you plan on joining us!

Menu:

Tossed Salad w/ Dressing
Home Style Meat Loaf
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Looking Back.....

at the 2006 Educational Seminar & Trade Show!

At this year's event, we had many of our new members & vendors in attendance, as well as our veterans. We had the privilege of hearing from an amazing speaker, Jackie Ramstedt. And of course, great prizes & fun!

Jackie's topics, TEAM Maintenance and Making of a Championship Team, were well picked. She passed on a lot of useful information that will help us to become better managers and employees. Her presentation was causal and she kept our attention with her personal stories and great sense of humor. Everyone should have walked away with something!

As always, the talent and time donated by Shirley Kirby (Fox Ridge Town Homes) was amazing. Shirley was also presented with a special gift to thank her for all of the time she continues to spend on decorations for the Trade Show.

The Board of Directors also recognized three of our Board Members for their many (many, many) years of commitment to ACT. They were:

Lee Anne Skinner (Fox Ridge Town Homes)

Gary Osborn (Milestone Management)

Dave Hibbert (Whispering Pines)

Linda Sowards (Sowards Glass) was awarded the 2006 Gold Star Award. This award, decided by the Board of Directors, honors an outstanding member that goes above and beyond for ACT. Congratulations Linda!!

New Vendor, Moxie Media, walked away with the traveling trophy for Best Vendor Booth. Congratulations!

Thank you for participating in the 2006 Education Seminar & Trade Show! We look forward to seeing you next year!!

We again wanted to thank our sponsors for their continued support at the 2006 Educational Seminar & Trade Show:

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