



Your weekly Emerald Coast Chapter News & Updates

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Our monthly newsletter is posted to our website:

<http://www.abwa-ecc.org/newsletter/newsletter.html>

The newsletter committee will be asking a trivia question during the March meeting...

The answer is in the newsletter. Winner gets a free ad.

Please see attachments:

- Chapter Officer & Committee Guide Bylaws
- March CSW Calendar
- Women's History Expo Fliers

Tune in! Cox Cablethon Auction to benefit Covenant Hospice

Join us on Channel 6 in Fort Walton Beach; Channel 2 in Pensacola and on the internet at

www.covenanthospice.org Saturday - February 27, 2010 4:00 p.m. - Midnight

The live broadcast will feature many great auction items: jewelry, vacation getaways, golf packages, spa days & lots more! You can preview auction items at

www.covenanthospice.org (Special Events, Cablethon, Auction) For additional

information, contact Shelley Canales (850)598-5003 or Lill Jennings (850) 598-4815.

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Message from President, Tammy McDaniel:

Election Committee will be voted on at March's meeting. Please read below on key points from the 2009-10 Chapter Officer and Committee Guide.

3 members will be elected to serve on the nominating committee at March's meeting. The nominations for the committee are made from the floor. No member of the Chapter has the right to nominate more than one person for the committee until every other member has the opportunity to nominate a candidate.

If there are more than 3 nominees, the majority vote is necessary to elect a nominee for the committee. Members are voted on in order that they are nominated. The first nominee elected serves as chair.

At the Chapter meeting in which the nominating committee is elected, the presiding officer:

Calls for the majority vote of the chapter membership to decide which method of election process is preferred:

(Ballot method 1 or Ballot method 2)

Ballot method one: Balloting for each office immediately follows nominations from the floor for that office. The ballots are counted for the office and the result is announced before the next office to be voted on is opened for nominations from the floor. The members are then able to take into account the results of the offices previously voted on before deciding upon both nominations and votes for later offices.

Ballot method two: Nominations for all offices can be completed before any balloting takes place and voting for all offices is commonly done by a single ballot. It may be a preferred method in any large meeting to save time. In either method, if any office remains unfilled after the first ballot (no candidate received majority), as may occur when there are more than two nominees, the balloting should be repeated for that office as many times as needed to obtain a majority vote for a single candidate.

Calls for the majority vote of the Chapter membership to decide whether the slate of officer candidates will be published prior to election meeting.

Ask the membership to suggest prospective nominees for the upcoming Executive Board election.

Provide the nominating chair with the current roster from ABWA National (which can be accessed through WIN) and any standing rules pertaining to nominations and duties of officers.

I have asked Sherry Kennedy to post the national guidelines for the nomination committee from the 2001-10 Chapter Officer and Committee Guide, Chapter By Laws, Rules, Policies and Procedures on the web-site for your review. (pages 22-26) You can also read them by accessing WIN.

Tammy McDaniel
2009-10 Chapter President

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Sherry Kennedy is hosting a Tastefully Simple party on February 26th at 6:00 p.m. These are great products that make cooking easy and delicious! Email Sherry if you would like to attend at sherryk@vtdinc.com or call 314-0269.

The website for the party is www.tastefullysimple.com/web/jpooley (Jan Pooley is the consultant) and Sherry will be under her hostesses. Join us for some fun and easy cooking!

Good resources – for your web-site Favorites, shared by Tammy McDaniel:

Coupon Cabin:

<http://www.couponcabin.com/>

Coupons.com:

<http://print.coupons.com/couponweb/offers.aspx?pid=13306&zid=ig37&nid=10&bid=alk0222080207277237c4c4711>

Retail Me Not:

<http://www.retailmenot.com/>

Smartsources.com:

<http://coupons2.smartsources.com/smartsources/index.jsp?Link=5S2ZUA6PWPEPO>

Couponmom.com:

<http://www.couponmom.com/>

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\$26.25

STOCK UP SALE

February 26- March 13

Huge Clearance sale

Up to 70% off

Plus 10% off regular price items

When you purchase 3 or more

Clearance items!

New items arriving daily, including:

Magnabilities

a familiar name to many of our regular customers. They have quickly become one of our most popular items. We have a new stock of pendants and hundreds of magnetic inserts.

Maggiez

New twist on the famous flip flops and dress sandals.

This year's new addition is the flatflip flop (Shopperz) in pewter, as shown here.

The styling of this shoe let's you have many interchangeable straps and buttons for several pair of shoes.

Instantly, you can have a pair of shoes to go with every outfit for just the cost of a pair of straps - \$8.00 - \$10.00.

Dress up your shoes with interchangeable buttons, just \$8.00pair.

Reverse-A-Purse

New covers have arrived! They coordinate with the Maggiez shoes AND the Magnabilities Pendants!

A must see. New wrap design in all styles.
Bargain prices on classic designs

New from Poo Pourri: Loo Pourri-a softer scent for the ladies.

New purse atomizer available also.
Blossom Crown
Just add flowers to the crown and they are
Beautifully arranged!
You may purchase with or without the vase.
Nice selection of beaded accents.
New larger size crowns now in stock!

Annabelle Noel Designs

These unique cards hold a beautiful pair of fine silver earrings that resemble the flower on the card.
The earrings are made by the Karen Hill Tribe in Thailand.
Each artisan family creates their own unique design and makes them in their home.
Whether you hand deliver or mail, this is sure to please.

OLD GUYSRULE!

For the great Old Guys in yourlife....
Several designs to choose from.

Other Items of Interest:

Ashton Nicole Jewelry, Prissy Plates & Frames (new items),
Isabella Umbrella & Tote-can be monogrammed

EASTER

Bunnies, Napkins, Dishtowels, Cards & More!

Thank You

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Each purchase you make and each friend you send our way helps a local business survive.
We are striving to keep unique gifts at reasonable prices and top notch customer service.
Please let us know how we can help.

Do you need shirts for a special event or cause? Our popular rhinestone embellished shirts can be ordered with any design, in groups of 24 or more. Ask about fundraising opportunities for your school or group.

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