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*The mission of ASWA is to enable women in all accounting and related fields to achieve their full personal, professional and economic potential and to contribute to the future development of their profession.*

## *President's Message*

*April's meeting was our Annual Student Night. Our chapter awarded four scholarships totaling \$4,500 to well-deserving college students majoring in Accounting. Thanks so much to Trina Smith, Scholarship Chairperson, and her committee for their hard work in reviewing all the applications submitted to determine who was eligible and selecting the recipients for our scholarships. We also congratulated three high school students for earning the three highest scores on our High School Accounting Test administered in March. For their accomplishment of proving their accounting knowledge during the test, we presented the three with a certificate and a monetary award. A big thanks to Leah DellaCalce, Student Activities Chairperson, and her committee for their hard work in helping make our meeting run smoothly.*

*We are starting to conclude this year's term and at the same time getting ready to start another. So I would like to thank those members again who have stepped up and agreed to serve as either a Chapter Officer or a member of the chapter's Board of Directors for next year.*

*In closing, I would like to say that my heart goes out to all the victims affected by the tornados on April 27th. We have some members who were personally affected. I am requesting that we keep them in our thoughts and prayers as they try to rebuild their homes and return their lives back to normalcy.*

*Nicole Keel*

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## MAY MEETING

Thursday, May 19, 2011

Huntsville Country Club  
2601 Oakwood Avenue

5:40 pm – Networking  
6:00 pm – Dinner  
6:30 pm – Program

### Speaker

Michelle Mason  
President/CEO

North Alabama Better Business Bureau

### Topic

“Fraud Prevention Awareness”

### Cost

\$20.00 – Members, spouses, and  
first-time visitors  
\$25.00 – Non-members (after first visit)  
\$10.00 – Full-time undergraduate students

*Learning objective – To learn the latest information to prevent your business from becoming a victim of fraud by employees and vendors. This program will be a group live seminar qualifying for 1 hour Auditing CPE, Basic level. No prerequisites.*

**Reservations for dinner must be made no later than Noon on Tuesday, May 17.** Reply “yes” to your Evite invitation or contact Florence Royer at 256-830-0377 or [royerfe@juno.com](mailto:royerfe@juno.com). The treasurer will bill for reservations made, but not honored. **All cancellations must be made no later than Noon on Tuesday, May 17 by calling Florence Royer at 256-830-0377.**

**CPE Credits:** In accordance with the standards of the National Registry of CPE Sponsors, CPE credits have been based on a 50-minute hour. ASWA is registered with the National Association of State Boards of Accountancy (NASBA) as a sponsor of continuing professional education of the National Registry of CPE Sponsors. ASWA's National Registry Sponsor Number is 105423. State boards of accountancy have final authority on the acceptance of individual courses for CPE credit. Complaints regarding registered sponsors may be addressed to the National Registry of CPE Sponsors, 150 Fourth Avenue North, Suite 700, Nashville, TN, 37219-2417 or [www.nasba.org](http://www.nasba.org) Telephone: (615) 880-4200.

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## JUNE INFORMAL LUNCHEON

Thursday, June 2, 2011

Blue Plate Cafe  
3210 Governors Drive SW  
(at 8th Street NW)

Come and go any time between 11:30 am and 1:00 pm to suit your schedule.

Please reply “Yes” to your Evite invitation or contact Rozella Coggin at [cogginr@uah.edu](mailto:cogginr@uah.edu) if you are planning to come so she can arrange to have adequate seating.

## HUNTSVILLE CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIPS

The following students were awarded scholarships at the April meeting:

Brooke Johnson

Athens State University

Expected Graduation Date: August 2012  
\$2000

Emily Bellknap

University of Alabama in Huntsville

Expected Graduation Date: December 2011  
\$1000

Yejide Odegbami

Alabama A&M University

Expected Graduation Date: December 2011  
\$1000

Nikole Hatton

Athens State University

Expected Graduation Date: December 2011  
\$500

**Don't forget to save your pennies and bring them to any chapter meeting for our Scholarship Fund.**

# 2011 ASWA Southeast Regional Conference

June 2, 2011 6 p.m. to  
June 4, 2011 1:30 p.m.

**Grand Hyatt – Atlanta Buckhead**  
**3300 Peachtree Road NE**  
**Atlanta, GA 30305**

## Registration Fee (through May 13)

**\$225 Full Registration**

**\$175 One-Day**

## Registration Fee (after May 13)

**\$275 Full Registration**

**\$225 One-Day**

**12 CPE possible**

For information and registration, go to  
[www.aswaatlanta.org/Conferenceregistration.html](http://www.aswaatlanta.org/Conferenceregistration.html)

## 2011 – 2012 CHAPTER OFFICERS

The following slate of chapter officers were elected at the April meeting. They will be installed at the June meeting.

President	Carrie Tremko
President-Elect	Jenni Feld
Secretary	Rozella Coggin
Treasurer	Terry Frazier
2-year Director	Leah DellaCalce
2-year Director	Toni Freeman
1-year Director	Jackie Cole
1-year Director	Lisa Salvador
Past President	Nicole Keel



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# JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Several job opportunities are listed at <http://www.aswa136.org/Jobs.html>.

If you wish to receive an email with new listings every other week, or wish to post a new listing, please contact Amanda White at [awhite@quadruscop.com](mailto:awhite@quadruscop.com).

## May Birthdays

4	Jenni Feld
8	Lisa Salvador
17	Rozella Coggin
27	Joyce Rinaldi



## June Birthdays

3	Victoria Jurenko
5	Jacque Bernard
13	Shawan Harden
15	Brenda Morrison

### **DON'T FORGET OUR ONGOING PROJECT: TREATS FOR TROOPS**

**THE LIST OF NEEDED ITEMS CAN BE FOUND AT [www.aswa136.org/TreatsforTroops.pdf](http://www.aswa136.org/TreatsforTroops.pdf)**

You can purchase one or two items each time you shop. Bring your donations to any chapter meeting and place in the basket at the registration table.

Or donate money to help with shipping costs. Checks should be made payable to Mary Conway and marked "Treats for Troops"

## About Us...

ASWA was organized in 1938 to increase the opportunities for women in all fields of accounting and finance. The first chapter was chartered in Indianapolis, Indiana. Members include partners in national, regional and local CPA firms, financial officers, controllers, academicians, financial analysts and data processing consultants, college students and recent graduates, and women returning to the work force. Many of our members have attained professional certifications such as CPA, CMA, CIA, and CFP.

The Huntsville chapter was chartered on December 4, 1982. We hold monthly meetings with programs of technical and educational value in a wide range of topics of interest to professional women.

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