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UPTOWN NEWS BEAT

Letter from the President

Welcome Back Members! I am excited and looking forward to what this year has in store for BPW! Many thanks to our amazing members for their support in getting this year off to a great start! To kick off the new year, we held a Planning Brunch on July 28th. A special "thank you" goes out to Stacy Nelson for graciously hosting this meeting. We had a great turn out and were able to get to know each other better by sharing a few fun facts about ourselves. We discussed the many opportunities our organization has to grow and expand; hoping to reach the 60 and Sensational mark by mid- year!

We also nominated and voted for the 2018 Woman of Achievement in which Mrs. Cathy Eastham was chosen. Victoria Printz is the chair of NBWW this year. If you are interested in helping with this event please contact Victoria or myself. I have no doubt this year be as remarkable for BPW as last year!

The interest to continue holding our business meetings at a non-profit organization of Midland was very high and Lesley Donnell has agreed to continue this outreach. Last year I looked forward to those meetings and learned so much about the many non-profit agencies in our community. Thank you Lesley for your dedication in this mission. BPW has several opportunities coming up very soon regarding non-profit awareness in the community. As an organization I hope we can continue to make a presence.



Our first program meeting for the year is going be phenomenal! I hope you are able to attend this very informative meeting about the history, mission and purpose of BPW. Our very own Shirley Harris and Mona Bethany will be center stage for a little Q&A. Please make plans to attend, Tues, August 14th. You are guaranteed to be enriched with some facts about BPW you may not know. These two ladies have taken me under their wing to help me be the best President I can be and I am ever so grateful!

Hope to see you all at the meeting!

Shellie

UPCOMING EVENTS

Tuesday August 14

Phenomenally Woman Luncheon: A Discussion of BPW and its Origins.
Starring our very own Mona Bethany and Shirley Harris.
11:45am-1pm Petroleum Club-Midland. \$30/lunch

Tuesday August 28th

Business Meeting. Location TBD. 11:45a-1p.
All members invited.

August 6-17

Robert Half's 16th Annual Suit Drive

Supporting Dress for Success Permian Basin
& Midland Fair Havens!



All donations should be appropriate to wear to work, clean, stylish
and in good condition. Please provide all garments on hangers, as they
will be made available to job seekers immediately.

Drop donated items off at Robert Half offices, 300 N. Marienfeld, Suite 220, Midland
until August 17, or contact Lesley Donnell to arrange a pickup at 432-848-0055

August 29

State of the Non-Profits

Hosted by Midland Shared Spaces, Petroleum Club, 11:30am

September 13

Call to Action Meeting

Mayor Morales will discuss the future of Midland and how business,
government and non-profits can all make our community stronger.
Petroleum Club, 11am-1pm

What's Happening!

“One of my favorite joys every summer, including this July 2018, is attending the Tall City Blues Fest. Midland is so lucky to have such incredible entertainment brought to our fair city.”

-Donna Bruno



Pictured in photo left to right:
Steven Palma, Donna Bruno and Clayton Price Black

Raffle Drawing

Texas Christian Junior Bullriders Fundraiser.

First Prize: \$500 cash,

Second Prize: \$250 cash,

Third prize: \$150 cash

Contact Ingrid Burton:

ingrid.burton@laredopetro.com

before Oct 14

Ticket cost: \$10.00 each

BPW Members after a successful planning meeting at Stacy Nelson's house on Jul 25, 2018



Pictured in photo left to right:

Shirley, Lisa, Abby, Diane, Victoria, Donna, Jennifer, Alisa, Verlène, Tina, Shellie, Stacy, Emily

Welcome Newest Members

Saide Moya

A-1 Sign Engravers, Inc.
 (432) 682-4503 (work)
 Saide@a1graphicsolutions.com
 Birthday: Jul 17

Crystal Ramirez

Shinall Group Commercial Real Estate
 306 W Wall St, Ste 640, Midland, TX
 Birthday: Feb 2

Happy Birthday!!

8/8 Marquita Potter

8/25 Lisa Grissom

9/9 Donette Marble

9/25 Tracy Austin

9/26 Deanna Sandy

Member Highlight!



Lucy Sisniega

Lucy has volunteered at over 20 different community organizations since 2002. She was named Professional Super Mom in 2006 by TX Border Newspaper

Lucy Loves:

- Positive people
- New challenges
- Helping people, especially women to grow personally and professionally
- Her career
- Her family
- To workout or do any type of exercise

Lucy Believes:

- Everything that happens is for a reason
- In God.
- In encouraging other people to be the best that they can be,

All of this brings her a sense of joy and fulfillment

Get Involved

**Want to get to know your fellow BPW members better?
Join a Committee!**

- Programs
- Scholarship
- Membership
- Finance
- By-Laws
- Community Projects/Leadership
- Public Relations/Hospitality
- Woman of the Year
- NBWW
- Fundraising

Shellie will have a sign-up sheet at the next program meeting or you can
email her: shellie@a1graphicsolutions.com

Our Mission

To equip all women for success in the workplace
through education and information;
To recognize and honor the accomplishments
of working women

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