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Vision

AGA is the premier association for advancing government accountability.

Mission

AGA fosters learning, certification, leadership and collaboration for professionals and stakeholders committed to advancing government accountability.

Core Values

Service, Accountability, Integrity, Leadership



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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



We are off to a good start for the Central Arkansas Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) and this chapter year is already half over!

Chapter members have participated in several community service events for the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance, the Susan Komen Race for the Cure, donating wreaths to be placed on gravesites at Arlington National Cemetery and providing gifts for foster children for Christmas. Several chapter members attended the national AGA Professional Development Training in Orlando in July where the Chapter received the Platinum Award for Chapter Recognition. The National

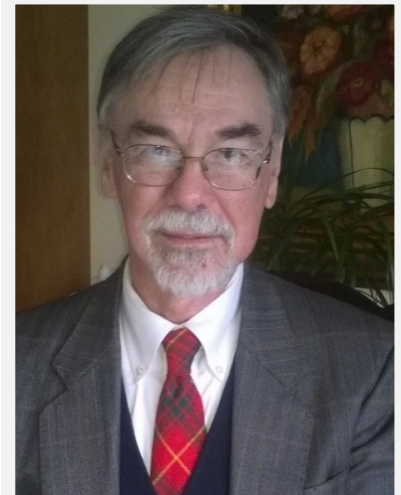
AGA President, Bill Miller was well received in Little Rock for our 2014 Fall Seminar. He always has an interesting presentation. Our chapter has prepared its third Citizen Centric Report, and our monthly meetings continue to offer free one-hour continuing education in topics relevant to governmental accounting.

Our chapter's role is to ensure that we create opportunities for professional development and growth, to provide service to our community and to advance accountability in governmental operations. We also provide networking opportunities for our membership to exchange knowledge and experiences.

Please use our website to

keep abreast of our activities.

If you have any questions or comments, or wish to become more involved in AGA, please send me an email at William.Cottrell@dhs.Arkansas.gov.



Will Cottrell, Chapter President 2014-2015

AGA Welcomes New CEO, Ann M. Ebberts

AGA is excited to welcome Ann M. Ebberts, MS, PMP, as Chief Executive Officer.

We look forward to her leadership and guidance into the future!



Taken from the Topics Newsletter, Oct. 6, 2014.

See Bio on page 4.

PARKING



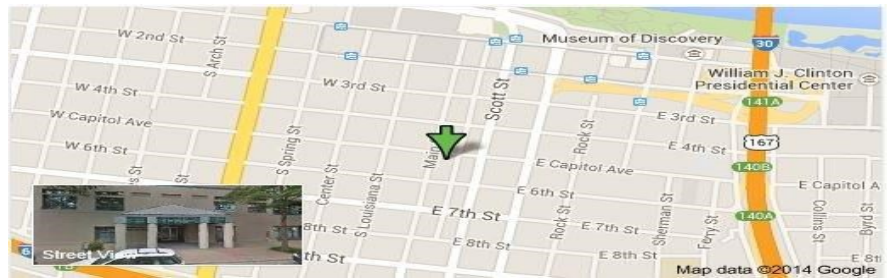
Public parking deck available at 6th and Scott or on Main St.

Being educational in nature, each meeting provides attending members with an hour of continuing professional educational credit (CPE).



Monthly Meetings

Noon meetings are held eight times a year on the third Monday of the month and this year the location is on the third floor in the River Room of the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission Suite 350 at the Main Street Mall! Slick's Restaurant is located on the first floor for anyone to pick up food before the meeting. Main Street Mall is located at 101 E. Capitol in downtown Little Rock. Parking is available on either the street or at 6th and Scott parking deck.



Remaining Monday Meetings



We are collecting can goods each meeting to help in our community service efforts!

January 20, 2015—a Tuesday due to holiday	Gloria Johnson, EEOC
February 17, 2015—a Tuesday due to holiday	Tyler Cain, DWS - Finance
March 16, 2015	Phil Harris, Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Program
April 20, 2015	Arkansas Diamond Plan—Compensation, Investment & Contributions
May 18, 2015	Pamela Vance, Unemployment Insurance

Guest Speakers



The guest speaker for the November 17, 2014, meeting was Benjamin R Rugg, CPA, providing an interesting insight to Internal Controls. Ben received his BA and MA in Accounting from Hendrix College in 2005 and 2006, respectively. He has worked in public accounting in Little Rock, Arkansas since 2006 where he began his ca-

reer with Hudson, Cisne & Co., LLP. In 2013, Ben joined Knapp, Craig & Rugg, P.A. as a partner. During his career, Ben has served in audit and tax roles for several large and small clients encompassing the for-profit, cooperative and not-for-profit industries. He is a member in good standing of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, the Arkansas Society of Certified Public Accountants and the National Society of Accountants for Cooperatives.



Guest speaker, Ben Rugg with Chapter President Will Cottrell

**The Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy has recognized the Association as a CPE Provider exempt from registration with the Board. Our meetings and seminars qualify as CPE for CGFM's and Arkansas CPA's and do not require advance approval by the Board.*

Upcoming Events

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES DRIVE, JANUARY—MARCH 2015



RENEW Your AGA Membership

JANUARY MEMBERSHIP DRIVE, JANUARY 20, 2015

BRING a Guest to the Monthly Meeting; Pizza Lunch will be provided at this meeting, and gifts for members who bring a guest.

NOMINATIONS ARE OPEN THROUGH JANUARY FOR 2015-16 CHAPTER OFFICERS

If you wish to serve, or nominate someone to serve in one of the Executive Board positions, please submit your nomination to the Chair of the Nominating Committee, Chandria Willis (Chandria.Willis@dfa.arkansas.gov), not later than February 1, 2015.

SPRING SEMINAR, MAY 15, 2015

GROW YOUR KNOWLEDGE. SET THE DATE ON YOUR CALENDAR AND COME TO THE AGA SPRING SEMINAR



ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET on or around JUNE 16, 2015

A fun evening for all AGA members. Make plans to attend!



Ann M. Ebberts

AGA Chief Executive Officer

Ann has more than 30 years of management consulting experience with the federal government in the areas of financial management, financial process improvement, program evaluation, shared services, and in providing project management and advisory support services for the implementation of accounting, acquisition, travel and grant management systems (ERP).

She has spent the last 26 years of her career at Booz Allen Hamilton, recently retiring after serving as a Vice President in the Financial Services group. She began her career providing financial support to many large Navy shipbuilding and communications engineering programs. Since 1995, she has focused her attention on the civilian agencies, developing new clients, building high performing teams, and developing and executing strategic plans for providing management and technical support services to organizations including the USAID, EPA, GSA, U.S. Departments of Agriculture, Commerce, Justice, Labor, State and VA, and most recently to World Bank, International Monetary Fund, InterAmerican Development Bank and Fannie Mae. Internal to Booz Allen, she also provided leadership to the Financial Analyst functional community of practice, identifying competencies and applicable certifications required and supported monthly topical learning sessions as well as serving in several other governance roles.

Ann has a B.S. degree in Marketing Management from Virginia Tech, an M.S. Degree in Systems Management from the University of Denver, and is a certified Project Management Professional. She has been a member of AGA for more than 15 years and served as Booz Allen's representative to the Corporate Partner Advisory Group (CPAG).

She lives in Alexandria with her husband Alan and together they have four grown children.

(Taken from AGA Website www.agacgfm.org)

From the National President—William D. Miller, CGFM, CIA



My visits to the Albuquerque, Omaha Metro, Central Ohio, Central Arkansas and Greater Columbus chapters in October were rewarding and inspiring. I presented CPE training at all of these chapter visits, as well. I was impressed with the chapters' leadership and the enthusiasm of the executive committees and members. The chapters have strong leadership and dedicated executive committee members. The quality of the training events was top-notch.

The Omaha Metro Chapter is struggling with membership issues, but the leadership is strong and opportunities are being explored to work with other associations in joint-meetings.

The Central Arkansas Chapter is a remarkable chapter. They have brought younger members into their executive committee and their commitment to building the chapter is on the right track.

The Albuquerque Chapter has an energetic executive committee and membership is steady. The seminar was well attended and the audience was very attentive.

The Central Ohio Chapter has very seasoned veterans who are great mentors to new members and executive committee members. Their seminar was broad-based and covered many topics. The leadership is steady and energetic.

The Greater Columbus Chapter held a seminar and had a good presentation by the invited speakers. The chapter is steady and executive committee members are mixed well with veterans and new leaders.

I concluded that these chapters are in good hands and are a great representation of AGA.

And, guess what AGA members! We now have a new kid on the block. CEO, Ann Ebberts, and I traveled to Mexico City and installed a new chapter. Thanks to AGA Past National President Bobby Derrick, CGFM, for working with the Mexico City prospects and doing the ground work. The members come from the U.S. Department of the State. Currently, there are 29 members with 43 potential additions. They were enthusiastic and excited about being a part of a professional association. Their main program -push initially is the CGFM program. There is a lot of interest in the CGFM credential. We welcome this new chapter and look forward to their continued growth.

Finally, what I saw and experienced with these visits is solid networking and a strong belief in the value AGA brings to them.

(Taken from the AGA Topics Newsletter, Nov. 3-4)

CGFM News



CGFM Candidates:

The Central Arkansas AGA Chapter is pleased to announce a new CGFM scholarship opportunity for this program year (July 2014 – June 2015).

We are offering **TWO \$200** scholarships to go towards covering the cost of examination fees and preparation materials.

Go to the Central Arkansas AGA Chapter website www.centralaraga.org to find the scholarship details as well as a fillable PDF application.

Qualifications include the following:

- Active Central AR AGA member in good standing

- Must be employed as a governmental accountant

- Must pass all three parts of the exam prior to application submission

- The third and final exam must be passed within this fiscal year

- The exam and application test fees must be incurred and paid by the applicant

After passing the third and final portion of the exam this program year, return the completed application via email or to the address provided.

The deadline for application submission is May 31, 2015; however scholarships will be awarded to first two completed applications received.

Feel free to contact me at the information below with any questions. Good luck!

Jami Fisher, CGFM

(501) 682-7833

(501) 682-7840 Fax

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING

Meeting Date: December 2, 2014
 Meeting Time: 11:30 a.m.
 Meeting Location: Franke's Cafeteria, Regions Bank Building

Members Present: Will Cottrell Chandria Willis
 DeeVee Pearson Linda Bouillon Joshua Walker
 Angela Thomas Jami Fisher Brenda Jackson
 Elouise Evans Richard Drilling Shirley Jackson
 Terri Baca Lateisha Moore Steven Petersen

The meeting was called to order by Will Cottrell at 11:57 a.m., immediately following lunch.

Old Business

DeeVee Pearson moved to approve the October 7, 2014, meeting minutes and interim business motion and votes made using e-mail on the Scholarship Procedures November 17, 2014. Chandria Willis seconded and the motion carried.

Steven Petersen informed the Board that the budget revenue was increased by a \$500 Sponsorship: from \$2,250 to \$2,750, and this is reflected in the November 2014 financial reports. Richard Drilling moved to approve the October and November 2014 financial reports. Brenda Jackson seconded and the motion carried.

The Audit is now expected to be completed by December 25, 2014. Steven Petersen will check on it at the end of the week (December 5, 2014). The tax return is not due until February so the audit is not needed until then.

Committee Reports

Chapter Recognition

Chandria Willis informed the Board that the Chapter is just under meeting the silver requirement and should reach platinum by the end of the quarter:

CHAPTER LEADERSHIP	1,150
EDUCATION	2,100
CERTIFICATION	950
COMMUNICATIONS	2,748
MEMBERSHIP	2,075
ACCOUNTABILITY	1,400
COMMUNITY SERVICE	900
AWARDS	1,000
TOTAL	12,323

Minimum points needed to reach Platinum are 19,501 so the goal is to exceed 7,178 more points by the end of May.

Education Chair

Joshua Walker informed the Board that all the CPE Certificates have been sent out. The Spring Seminar is scheduled for May 15, 2015.

He also stated that he and Will Cottrell are compiling binders of all attendance each year to put in Dale Edge's (Investigator for the Arkansas State Board Accountancy) office for his reference in documentation of CPE hours/attendance.

Membership & Early Career

Angela Thomas informed the Board that she is preparing a draft for a motion of a suggestion to have a pizza party for a membership drive. She is trying to determine if lunch or dinner would be better and is thinking about sending a survey or e-mail to find out what would be best. She asked the Board to start thinking of ideas and e-mail those to her.

She also asked for the New Member section to be updated on the web-site and to add an Anniversary section.

The scholarship information went out on November 18, 2014, requesting responses to be post-marked on or by December 15, 2014. Only one response has been received to date so Will Cottrell will send a reminder out on Friday, December 5, 2014.

Programs

The April 20, 2015, meeting speaker, Cheryl Daughenbaugh, has informed Lateisha Moore that she will be unable to do so. There is a legal issue with ING on speaking at government functions versus government association functions that she had recently been made aware of. Lateisha Moore will locate another speaker for that date.

Meetings & Awards

Terri Baca informed the Board that the \$850.00 deposit for the December 8, 2014, Holiday Dinner was paid. Twenty-four reservations have been received and the minimum requirement is 30. Friday, December 5, 2014 is the deadline. A reminder was sent out on Monday, December 1, 2014. Will Cottrell will send out another notice to the Membership on Thursday, December 4, 2014, with a reminder to bring canned goods for more chances to win a door prize.

Accountability

No update.

CGFM

Jami Fisher informed the Board that she has not received any applications for either of the two CGFM scholarships yet. It was discussed that the availability of these two scholarships should be mentioned in the monthly Membership and semi-annual Seminar meetings. Linda Bouillon did include the information in the FY 2015 First Quarter Newsletter and will do so again for the Second Quarter one.

Community Service

Brenda Jackson informed the Board that the Chapter made a donation to the Wreath Across America organization and has picked up two 4-year old children, a boy and a girl, from the Foster Care Angel Tree to purchase presents for them to be able to have a Christmas. Shopping for these will be on December 8, 2014.

She reminded the board the VITA will be starting up in late January for any volunteers. She and Elouise Evans are open to any idea and would like to do joint activities with the Membership. Contact either her (Brenda.jackson@dhs.arkansas.gov 501-682-6250) or Elouise Evans (Elouise.evans@dhs.arkansas.gov 501-683-1560).

Newsletter

Linda Bouillon informed the Board that the First QTR 2015 Issue was completed in October and that she is looking for snapshots of activities this quarter to begin the next Issue. DeeVee Pearson said she had one with her and Tyler Cain presenting Governor Beebe with the 2014 Financial Manager of the Year Award on December 1, 2014, which she will e-mail.

Website

Sandy Becker informed the Board that he had no update as he is still trying to get the web-site password.

Historian

Richard Drilling informed the Board that he will be taking his camera to the Holiday Dinner.

Nominations

Chandria Willis informed the Board that the following will be on the Nominating Committee including herself: DeeVee Pearson, Shannon Todd, Steven Petersen, and Cyndi West. There are two more at-large slots to fill.

New Business

As Regional Vice-President, Brenda Jackson informed the Board that she will be sending a survey for interest by Chapter Leaders to attend a Sectional Leadership Meeting. This will include the Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, and Oklahoma City Chapters besides our Central Arkansas one. She wants more AGA visibility. National will pay for two people per chapter to travel to such a Regional meeting. She also mentioned that the next Regional Vice-President may need to be out of our Central Arkansas Chapter.

Next Meetings

The Holiday Dinner is at the Little Rock Club on Monday, December 15, 2014.

The next Membership meeting is Tuesday, January 20, 2014.

The next Executive Committee meeting will be Tuesday, February 3, 2014.

Brenda Jackson made the motion to adjourn the meeting and Richard Drilling seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 12:33 p.m.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Association of Government Accountants Central Arkansas Chapter FY 2015 Statement of Activities December 31, 2014

Revenue	Unrestricted
Education Seminars	3,297
Donations	2
Banquets	475
Chapter Sponsorships	2,750
Dues	520
AGA National	241
Interest Income	7
Miscellaneous Income	3
Total Revenues	7,295
Expenses	
Program Expenses	
Fall Seminar	789
Spring Seminar	-
Audioconference Expenses	-
PDC Expense	36
Holiday Party	2,203
Awards Banquet	-
Awards	-
Speaker Expense	-
Scholarships/Memorials	-
Community Service	795
Promotional Supplies	-
Recruitment	-
Website	188
Total Program Expenses	4,011
Management and Administrative Expenses	
Professional Fees	-
Post Office Box Rent	92
Executive Committee meeting expense	396
Banking Fees	-
Miscellaneous	-
Total Management and Administrative Expenses	488
Total Expenses	4,499
Change in Net Assets	2,796
Net Assets - Beginning of the Year	27,577
Net Assets - End of Year	30,373

QUARTER ACTIVITIES– FALL SEMINAR

THE CENTRAL ARKANSAS CHAPTER OF THE ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTANTS



PRESENTS...

FALL SEMINAR 2014



Event Location: U of A Cooperative Extension Building
2301 South University Avenue
Little Rock, Arkansas 72204

Event Date: October 17th, 2014

Event Start Time: 8:30 AM

Event End Time: 4:30 PM

**LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED
EARN CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT (CPE)**

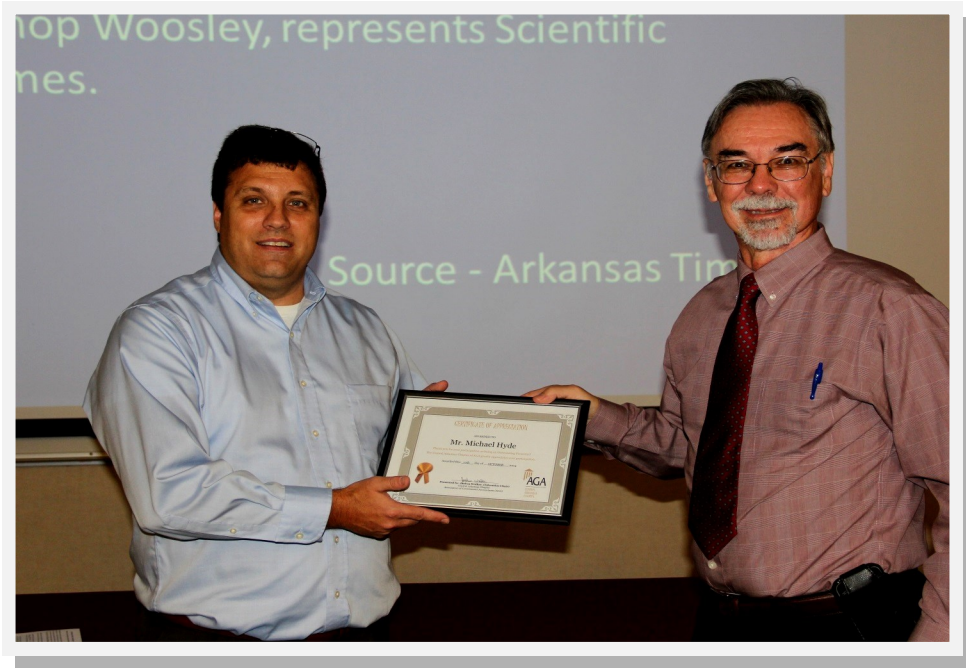
SPEAKER GUESTS INCLUDE:

Mr. William "Bill" Miller	Current AGA National President	AGA News
Andy Richards	Baird, Kurtz and Dobson (BKD)	GASB Update
Angela R. Morelock	Baird, Kurtz and Dobson (BKD)	Fraud & Embezzlement
Michael Hyde	Former Auditor Ark Lottery	Fraud

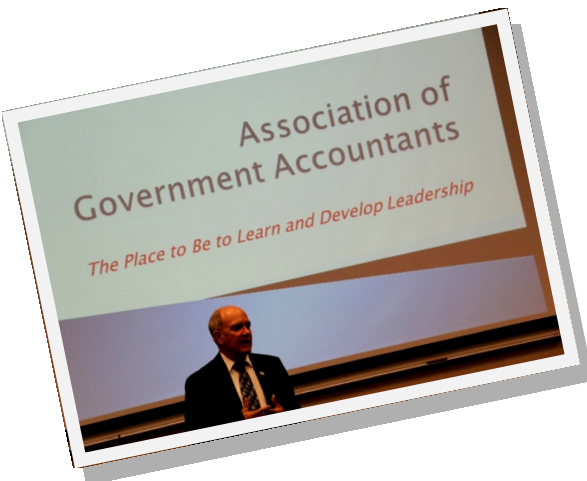
Contact Joshua Walker for Fall Seminar registration forms:

Phone: 501-371-4550 or Email: jwalker@littlerock.org

QUARTER ACTIVITIES– FALL SEMINAR



Mike Hyde receiving a certificate of appreciation for his presentation at the 2014 Fall Seminar from Chapter President Will Cottrell



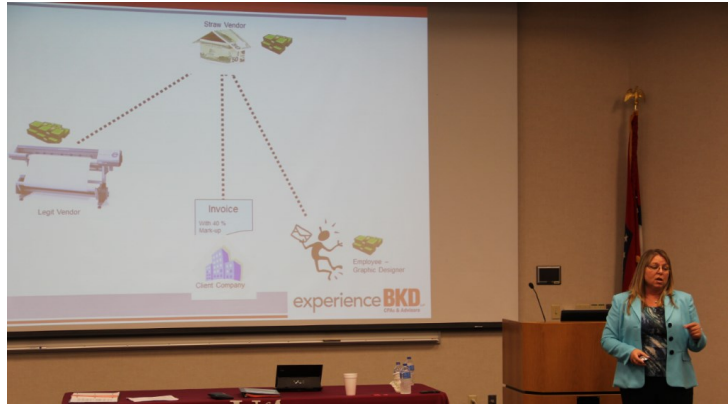
QUARTER ACTIVITIES— FALL SEMINAR



AGA National President Bill Miller accepting a Central Arkansas Chapter AGA T-shirt from Chapter President Will Cottrell



QUARTER ACTIVITIES– FALL SEMINAR



QUARTER ACTIVITIES– Community Service



17 AGA chapters participated in the national ‘Wreaths Across America’ effort on December 13. The collective effort coordinated wreath laying ceremonies on a specified Saturday in December at Arlington, as well as veterans’ cemeteries and other location in all 50 states, ceremonies at sea and 24 national cemeteries on foreign soil. Together, AGA chapters sponsor more than 470 wreaths for this effort.

“2014 Wreaths Across America.”



QUARTER ACTIVITIES-Community Service

Our Central Chapter is involving more of its members in community service with new volunteer red T-Shirts. Many were given away for joining the Central Arkansas AGA Team for the Susan B. Komen Race for the Cure. These shirts will be worn at future volunteer events.-



FEED THE HUNGRY

We are collecting can goods each meeting to help in our community service efforts!



QUARTER ACTIVITIES– Holiday Party

AGA CENTRAL ARKANSAS CHAPTER



AN INVITATION

AGA Holiday Party

AGA Holiday Party

Date: December 15, 2014
 Time: 5:30 to 9:00 PM
 Location: Little Rock Club
 Address: 30th floor Regions Bank
 \$15 for Members
 \$20 for Guests
 A \$45 Value!

Menu:

☆ Duo of Tenderloin and Breast of Chicken
 ☆ Baby Red Potatoes
 ☆ Green Beans Wrapped in Bacon
 ☆ Hot Rolls and Butter
 ☆ Coffee/Tea
 ☆ Crème Brulee
 ☆ House Salad

Door Prizes

Cash Bar

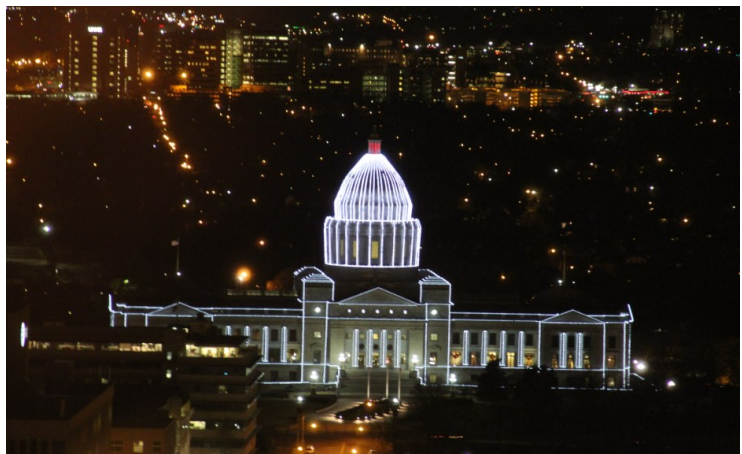
Bring canned goods for an extra chance to win a door prize.
Free parking in the deck off 4th

Send reservation to Alma Valley at Alma.Valley@asb.k12.ar.us no later than December 5th.

Make checks payable to:

AGA Central Arkansas Chapter

Mail to: AGA Central Arkansas Chapter P O Box 27, Little Rock, AR 72203-0027 or pay at the door.



QUARTER ACTIVITIES– Holiday Party



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NEXT QUARTER ACTIVITIES

Membership Drive in January!!

FREE PIZZA!



At the upcoming January 20, 2015 meeting we are having a Pizza Party to sponsor our membership drive:

Each member who brings a guest will receive an AGA bag containing a stylus/ink pen.

Each guest will be provided with the “What Is My Membership Worth” flyer, along with a copy of our latest Journal, AGA application, CGFM pamphlet, and other AGA documentation .

The membership drive will continue until March 31, 2015. If you sponsor a new member between now and the end of March 2015, please let Angela Thomas know and email the new member’s name and AGA number to her.

You will receive an AGA notebook with pen (pictured below).



SUPER RECRUITERS CLUB

When you recruit 10 members, you become part of the Super Recruiters Club! Super Recruiter status affords many exclusive rewards, including recognition at a private reception at the annual PDT. Other rewards include: a lapel pin, certificate, VIP status at all national events and logo wear apparel.



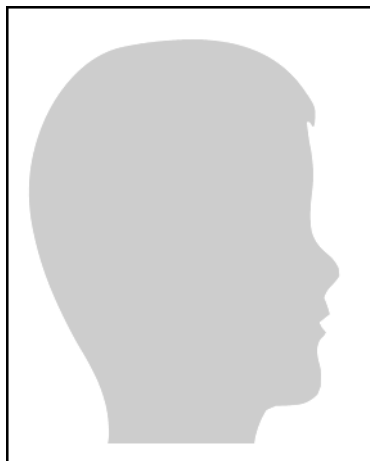
NEXT QUARTER ACTIVITIES

STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS TO BE ANNOUNCED IN JANUARY!



Who will be the lucky recipients?

Check out the next chapter Newsletter to find out!!



Scholarship Committee Members:

Angela Thomas, Committee Chair

Melanie Hazeslip

Stacey Hogue

Kaki Roberts

Chandria Willis

NEXT QUARTER COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES:



Volunteer Income Tax Assistance

The Dorcas House provides Outreach to women and children. It provides emergency services, food, shelter, clothing and crisis intervention to more than 400 women and children annually.

During the month of February, members are asked to collect and donate items that are needed at the Dorcas House for the many women and children that need help to change their lives.

Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) volunteers provide FREE Income Tax Preparation Assistance to low-income, elderly, disabled and limited English speaking people.

Volunteers are trained and certified by the IRS. Go to www.vita-volunteers.org for information about training and assignment sites.

Dorcas House Drive



TOP 10 MOST WANTED

1. Scrub pads for dishes/cleaning
2. Clorox Wipes
3. Kleenex
4. Bathroom Cleaner
5. Underwear - men & women
6. African American Hair Products
7. AA batteries
8. Razors/shaving cream
9. 55 gallon trash bags
10. Laundry Detergent - regular/HE

Items can be brought to the monthly Chapter meeting on February 17th or you can contact Brenda Jackson at brenda.jackson@dhs.arkansas.gov or Elouise Evans at elouise.evans@dhs.arkansas.gov to make other arrangements to drop off items.

The drive will end on February 27, 2015.

Any person that is interested in volunteering to assist in this community service project, please contact Brenda Jackson or Elouise Evans.



DHS RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE

from 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. Thursday, February 19, 2015

700 West Main, Conference Rooms A & B, Little Rock, AR

ABOUT 5 MILLION PATIENTS RECEIVE BLOOD EACH YEAR IN THE U.S.—AND THAT BLOOD CAN ONLY COME FROM DONORS LIKE YOU! IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN BEING A DONOR AT THE DHS RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE, CONTACT BRENDA JACKSON AT 682-6250 OR ELOUISE EVANS AT 683-1560 TO COORDINATE SCHEDULING.

NEW MEMBERS 2014-2015!



Ms. Janice M. Butler-McGowan

Mr. James T. Christopher

Mr. Stanley Delaughter

Mr. Leanthony D. Edwards

Mr. Jerry D. Ellis, Jr.

Mr. Nicklaus P. Freyaldenhoven

Ms. Shaunda D. Galbert

Ms. Angela M. Horton

Mr. Hervey F. Houser

Mr. Robert Jones, Jr.

Ms. Marjorie E. Leong, CGFM

Mr. Jerry L. Milroy

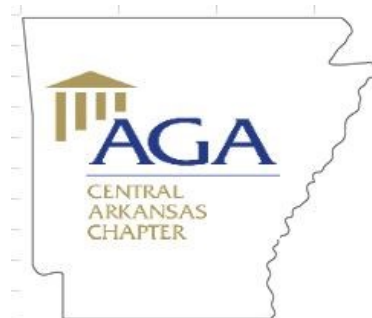
Mrs. Robin Morrissey

Ms. Cynthia L. Taylor

Ms. Angela Y. Thomas

Ms. Tracie Thomas



Ms. Dawanna Walls



If you have any questions or comments, or wish to become more involved in AGA, please send an email to our Chapter President at

William.Cottrell@dhs.Arkansas.gov

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“QUOTABLE QUOTES”

Actual tech support call

Tech support: It has to open. Okay, you're on the first page, right?

Customer: Yes.

Tech support: So, you have the little cursor over that icon, right?

Customer: No, I have the mouse on the screen over the icon. You said put the MOUSE over the icon!

Items on actual resumes

Hobbies:

- Sitting on the levee at night watching alligators
- Sleeping, etc. etc.
- Painting my toenails in varying colors

Items on actual resumes

Explanations:

- The gap in my employment is due to my getting over the death of my cat for three months
- Left last four jobs only because the managers were completely unreasonable
- Arrested but minor: We stole a pig, but it was a really small pig

From a personal injury deposition

Attorney: Why were you in Dallas that day?

Plaintiff: To see *Catherine the Great*.

Attorney: Is she a friend of yours?

Plaintiff: She's the Russian. It was the show.