

A MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



As my last article in the Connect as President of EWI of Wichita, I've noted what EWI means to me!

E – executive, extraordinary, excellence, entertaining, energetic, exhilarating, expertise, eager, education, efficient, electrifying, exemplary.

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Thank you for your friendship and support this past year.

I – independent, intelligent, interesting, ideas, imagine, ignite, important, impress, intuitive, integrity.

This road I took last September has been an exciting trip. Executives Night was a fun evening and turned out better than I expected. Sharon Bennett, EWI Corporate President was a delight to have as our guest that evening.

This is a wonderful organization with great networking abilities. Take advantage of the networking within this organization. It is one of the great features it provides.

There were a number of highlights during my term. Just to name a few: the Reading Rally at Colvin Elementary School last October with mentors being a few members from the Wichita State University basketball team and cheerleading team. The two scholarships that were awarded: EWISP scholarship to Shelbie Hutchins from Oxford High School and ASIST scholarship to Hope Scheuerman. In the August 10, 2011 Corporate Connect it was announced that Hope will receive one of the Corporate ASIST scholarships of \$2,000. How exciting to have a recipient within our Chapter.

Thank you again for giving me the privilege to serve as your President in 2010-2011 and allowing me to grow professionally and personally.

Candace

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REPRESENTATIVE RUNDOWN

I would like you to meet Julie Roberts



Julie Roberts, representative for CNH America, LLC (Case New Holland). Julie and her firm joined September of 2010.

Julie was born in Wichita; she married TJ, who was in the military. They lived in Michigan, Arkansas, Ohio, California, Tennessee, then back to Kansas.

Her favorite childhood memory is of her Grandmother cutting flowers for her from her English garden. She also loved vacationing at their cabin on Grand Lake.

Evening is her favorite time of day.

Julie loves family time with grandchildren and getting together with friends. She loves sewing, painting and Reading. On her nightstand is a book by the artist Debra Morgan.

Favorite color - red, restaurant - Red Lobster, TV show - The closer & NCIS. When it came to favorite movie, she said it was a tough question because she had several, Momma Mia and Out of Africa (an oldie).



Julie & Grandchildren; Jessika (15), Jordyn (13), Makenna (7), Taylor (3), Takota (8 mos), & Issac (4 mos).



**Top—Son Travis
L-R Daughter Heather, Husband - TJ**

**Julie's first job was Assistant to the Area Manager for the American Tobacco Company
Julie loves her first name, but would change her middle name to Diane.**

Julie's cat's name Mr. Darcy, however she is a dog lover, but couldn't find a picture of them.



REPRESENTATIVE RUNDOWN

Jessica Emrick - an old friend with a new firm



Jessica Irene Emrick, represents a new firm, Marriott Hotel. In June of this year we welcomed her back along with the Marriott.

Jessica was the representative for Crestview Country Club in 2003-2005; she was the Ways & Means Chair before she left the club and the chapter.

Jessica was born and raised in Wichita, Kansas (St. Francis Hospital). She left to go to college in Asheville, North Carolina.

Family trip to Niagara Falls, NY, in May and Canada 2011.

Pictured are Ashley Emrick (17), senior at circle High School. Jessica, and in stroller Nicholas Davies. Not in the picture, Elizabeth Danielle Emrick (20), at Kansas State University.

Jessica is looking forward to Elizabeth's graduation from college. Also not pictured, Jessie Davies, the love of Jessica's life.



Jessica loves her name. She was named after her dad, and the Irene comes from her mom.

Favorite color, purple, restaurant, Bonefish Grill, show: The Good Wife, movies: Ever After, & A Cinderella Story with Drew Barrymore, and favorite flower: lilac.

Her first job was at Baskin Robbins. She has a healthy wrist from scooping ice cream.

On her nightstand: "O" - Oprah's magazine. Hobbies: Gardening, traveling, and cooking.

Family pet, cat named Romeo.



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UPCOMING EVENTS

September 14 - Chapter Meeting
(Date change from Sept 21 due to LCAM)

Installation of New Officers and review of the proposed ByLaw Amendments to be considered during the business meeting at LCAM.

****Please see attached proposed ByLaw Amendments****

Leadership Conference & Annual Meeting (LCAM) is coming soon, Sept 22-24, 2011 at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

To date, the following representatives have registered to attend:

Candace Parry, Helen Nicoli, Theresa Hogan, Jan Baggett, Carolyn Sayre, Dawn Truman, Sharon Phillips, and Connie Velghe.

It's not too late to register!!

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SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

- Ann Brady 9/5
- De Nelson 9/16
- Carolyn Sayre 9/22
- Risa Carter 9/26

Dates to Note

Wine & Dine or Lunch Bunch
To be announced -

October Chapter Meeting

October 19
Hyatt Regency
400 W. Waterman Street
Committee Break Outs

November Chapter Meeting

November 16
Wichita Marriott
9100 E. Corporate Hill Drive
Program to be announced

DINNER WITH SHARON BENNETT - CAFÉ BEL AMI



EXECUTIVES NIGHT - WICHITA COUNTRY CLUB



**Sincere thanks to
Kansas Heart Hospital &
Candace Parry—Wichita
Chapter President.**

EXECUTIVES NIGHT - WICHITA COUNTRY CLUB (Cont.)



The Wichita Chapter would like to pay tribute to Dorothy "Naomi" Carpenter.

Naomi represented W.S.U. through the years of Emory Lindquist, Clark Ahlberg, and one year with Warren B. Armstrong.

Naomi was very proud of her association with EWI, and went to many of the Annual Meetings.

Naomi passed away July 14, 2011. We truly appreciate her contribution to this organization.