

## **July e-Blast – Leap into a Remarkable Year with the Wisconsin Division!!**

### ***Around the Division...***

*FEC.* **SAVE THE DATE!** The annual Fall Education Conference (FEC) will be held **October 28-29 in Madison** at the Holiday Inn, American Center. The weekend will include great speakers, recertification points, networking opportunities, some award presentations, and a lot of fun! Your Division Board is working on the details, but we guarantee it will be an experience to remember, so please plan to join us!

*e-Blasts and Newsletters.* Each month during the 2011-2012, you will receive either an e-blast (like this one) or notification that the division newsletter has been posted in the Wisconsin Division eGroup in the Web Community. These communications will be on an alternating schedule (e-blast in July, newsletter in August, e-blast in September, newsletter in October, etc.). These are YOUR publications, so even though the division officers, committee chairs, and newsletter editors are putting the pieces together, everyone is welcome to contribute! Contact information for the division board is already posted on our website ([www.iaap-wisconsin.org](http://www.iaap-wisconsin.org)) and will be soon for our newsletter co-editors, Pattie Noble and Ann Panas.

*Say Hello to Your Division Leadership!* Elections were held at the May Annual Meeting in Brookfield and here are the results:

President – Nancy Arnold, CPS/CAP  
President-Elect – Kathi Princeton, CAP  
Vice President – Lynne Woida, CPS/CAP  
Secretary – Nancy McCulley, CPS  
Treasurer – Irene Scallon, CPS

*The following individuals round out the division leadership team:*

Newsletter - Pattie Noble, CPS and Ann Panas, CPS  
Website – Carol Rehak  
Bylaws & Standing Rules – Merry Bachim  
Financial Review (Audit) – Eileen Rauman  
Division Project (Ways & Means) – Sally Keena and Cynthia Welch, CPS/CAP  
Certification – Diane Johnson-Hung, CPS  
Nominations – Julie Thomas, CPS/CAP  
Retirement Trust Foundation – Donna Beck

*Note that the positions of Membership Chair and Parliamentary Advisor are currently vacant. If you or someone you know might be interested, please contact Nancy Arnold at [AlohaNRA@aol.com](mailto:AlohaNRA@aol.com).*

### ***On the International Level...***

*EFAM.* Eighteen Wisconsin Division members will be headed to Montreal, Canada in a couple weeks to attend the International Education Forum and Annual Meeting (EFAM). People say once you've experienced the event, you are hooked! I have to agree – I have attended nine of the last ten! It will be an exciting event for Wisconsin members; Mary Ramsay-Drow, CPS/CAP will preside over the business meeting and we have two members running for international office – Wendy Melby, CPS/CAP and Pat Falkenhagen, CPS. For those of you who have never attended an EFAM, next year the event will take us to Grapevine, TX and in 2013 we will meet in Anaheim, CA. If the distance is an issue – then we'll see you in 2014 when the event is held in Milwaukee!

*Pathways to Excellence (P2E) Results Are In!* Congratulations to all of the Divisions, Chapters, and Members for achieving their respective "Excellence" awards. Seven Wisconsin chapters submitted a Chapter of Excellence (CoE) application and 62 members submitted a Member of Excellence (MoE) application. The Division also submitted a Division of Excellence (DoE) application. To see the entire list

of divisions, chapters, and members, go to the IAAP website ([www.iaap-hq.org](http://www.iaap-hq.org)), log on to the IAAP Web Community, and check the "Pathways to Excellence" eGroup. The list was posted recently by HQ staffer Amy House.

### ***News in the Profession...***

Did you know that there are websites devoted to you and the administrative profession? Many of them have a regular e-newsletter offering articles, tips, and resources that you can use every day. One ([www.AllThingsAdmin.com](http://www.AllThingsAdmin.com)) even comes from a fellow IAAP member! Check out Julie Perrine's website and if you like what you see, sign up for her e-newsletter.

### ***Just for Fun...***

Ignoring spaces, capitalization, and punctuation (I know that's hard for us!), find a girl's name in each of the sentences below:

1. "In summary, we've had a very profitable year," Larry said.
2. "To tell, ends a friendship; to not tell would be a terrible mistake," she said.
3. "A man dared to question you? What is the world coming to these days?" she asked, astonished.
4. "He's a man that thinks before he speaks," she said.

*Making the Leap to Remarkable!*

Nancy Arnold, CPS/CAP  
President, Wisconsin Division