

Catawba Valley Chapter

August 2021

Message from the President

Hello Members!

We are happy to say that we have a full Board for our Chapter. We have some steady players and a few new faces! Please check out the list of Board members in this Newsletter. We are always accepting members to new roles, if you think you have a few things to offer, please reach out to any Board member. It could be as easy as reading Scholarship applications, or just to offer your place of employment for a tour.

Our Fall Accounting Conference is in full organization mode. Mark your calendars for December 9th, a Thursday. We are working on the all day event with speakers and programs that are top notch. We are able to hold this both in person and as a Webinar again this year, it will be nice to see you again! There will be more information in the coming Newsletters. Let your employer know – this is a great way for accounting/finance teams to pick up some CPE and network with other area groups.

The Chapter is planning to offer the Joseph F. Ryan Student Scholarship again this year. If you have a college student who is pursuing the accounting or finance paths, keep your eyes open for information about this opportunity. We enjoy helping students along the way to a promising career.

I am looking forward to see what this year holds for our Chapter. I hope to make connections with many of you in some way. Do you have an encouraging story that you could share? Drop me a line, we can add it to the Newsletter – it could start something fun. Several of you are aware that I did not get a degree in accounting or finance – my degree is a Paralegal. However, the job market at the time was difficult, and I took a job with a manufacturing company working in customer service/accounting. That was over 35 years ago – I am still working in an accounting position – at a different manufacturing plant. I have learned many things from those I worked with, and can say that it has been fun.

Keep yourself and others safe, and let's get our Chapter rolling!

Ellen



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in Business

What's Happening?

Fall Conference

Dec. 9th, 2021

Both in person and
Webinar

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Mission Statement

To provide personal and professional development opportunities in management accounting, financial management and information management through education and association with business professionals and certification in management accounting and financial management to members in the Catawba Valley area.

***RSVP to Kim Gales at kimgales1@gmail.com
by NOON on Tuesday before each meeting.***

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- ❖ Travel
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Job Openings

If your company is looking to fill a position and you would like to advertise it in the IMA newsletter, please forward the ad to Shanon Stanbury at shanon@stanleeenterprises.com by the last day of the month preceding the month in which you want the ad to be printed.

2020 – 2021 Catawba Valley IMA Officers

President:	Ellen Knauf
Treasurer:	Tim Reynolds
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Administration:	Charlie Nartker
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www.imanet.org

<https://Linkup.imanet.org/carolinasregionalcouncil/home>

<http://catawbavalley.imanet.org>

Look/Go here:

*Employment opportunities

* RSVP for the monthly meetings

* Give us feedback

http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Catawba-Valley-IMA-Chapter-4576209/about?trk=anet_ug_grppro

<http://www.facebook.com/pages/Catawba-Valley-IMA-Chapter/133913923378743>

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IMA has updated their website.

Please make sure your information for your profile is correct. To access you data go to www.imanet.org. Under the **IMA Membership** section click on **“LOG IN”**. Your log in is your IMA membership number and your password is your last name, then click on **“GO”**.

In the upper right hand corner of the screen you should see “Welcome, (your name) | “My Profile” | “Logout”, click on **“My Profile”**.

Now you can view and edit your information.

Job Openings

Duane Dudkiewicz

1 positions available, based in Morganton, NC.

Controller

Please send resumes to duane@stoneandleigh.com

Or reach out via phone
(336) 988-1141

Dale Cline CPA

Staff Position

1. Bookkeeper/Accountant/Payroll Processing Position available in public accounting firm. Must be proficient in QuickBooks, Payroll Reporting, and willing to work and grow with our team.

Full time and or part time possibilities for the right person. (4 day work week except during tax season)

Please send resumes to peggy@daleclinecpa.com



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Welcome to the accounting department, where everybody counts!



What do you call a trial balance that does not balance?

A Late Night



What does an accountant say when getting on the train?

Mind the GAAP



What do you call an accountant without a spreadsheet?

Lost

Submit answers on
<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/HRBL6WY>

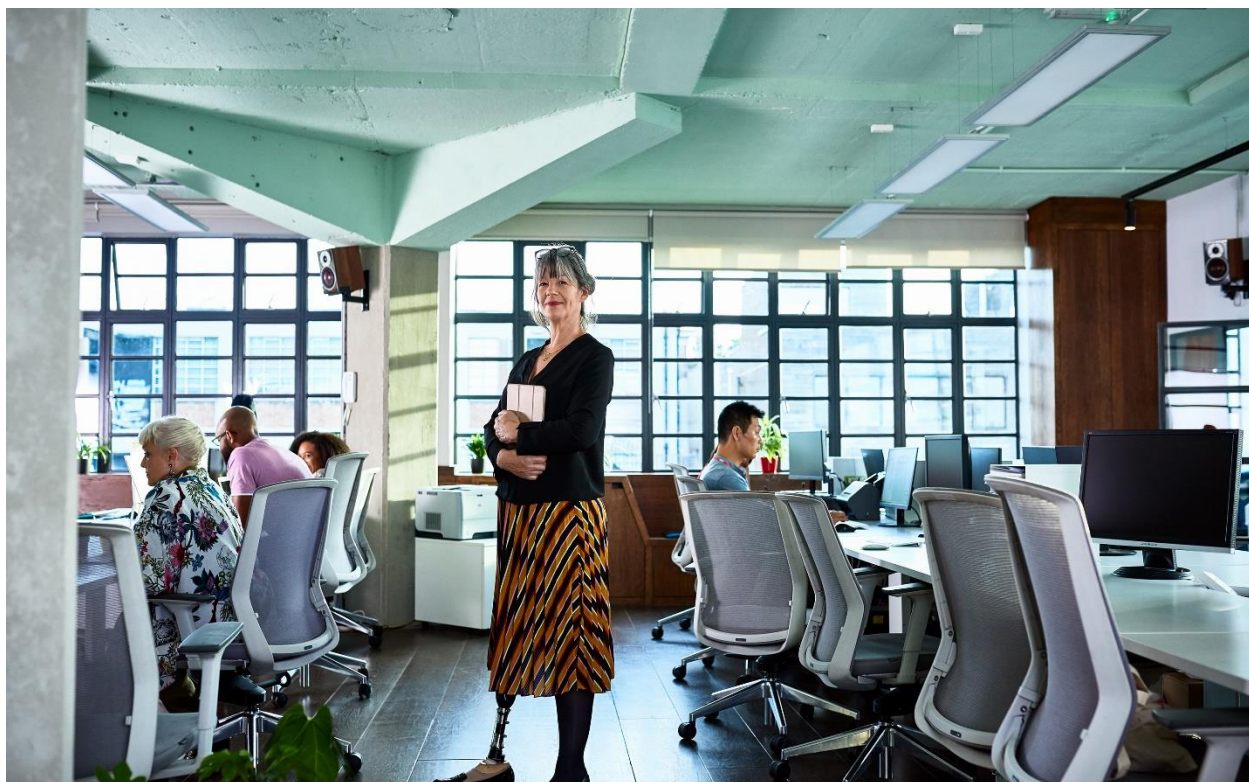


Be the first to get the answer right and get a \$5 Starbucks giftcard!!!!!!

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What is it called when your expenses are greater than your revenues on an income statement?





Local Business Tour

We are looking for Companies to allow us to tour and talk about cost and accounting with a group.

Management staff, please let us know if your place of employment would be willing to work with us!