

APPLEWOOD LEAFLET



December 2002

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JINGLE BELLS & HAPPY HOLIDAYS

The ABA Holiday party will be held at

Rolling Hills Country Club on

Wednesday, December 11, 11:30 a.m

5-minute Speaker: Jay Reed, Wild Bird Center
(with a bag of giveaways)

Door Prizes donated by Cricket; Edna Miklos, The Hair Place; Jayne Reiter, Small Business Development Center; Brian DeLaet, Educyber, Inc.

Cost: \$18

Reservations: 303-233-4764

Deadline: 48 hours before the meeting.

**Please Note: Change of Location
for General Meetings for 2003**

BREAKFAST MEETINGS

Holiday Inn, Denver West

7:30 a.m. Cost: \$12

Second Thursday of the Month

January 9, March 13, May 8, July 10, Sept. 11, Nov. 13

LUNCHEON MEETINGS

Rolling Hills Country Club

11:30 a.m. Cost: \$18

Second Wednesday of the Month

February 12, April 9, June 11, August 13,
October 8, December 10

■ The popular ABA prepaid discount lunch/dinner tickets will again be available for next year. Because of the increase in both the lunch and breakfast prices, the prepaid ticket will cost \$180. Send a check to ABA, P.O. Box 5177, Wheat Ridge, CO 80034 or contact Janet Osborne, 303-278-7175

Remember, the tickets ARE transferable and can be used for several people at one meeting. If you want to send staff members or clients to an ABA general meeting, just send the ticket and you don't have to be bothered with paying at the door. Please note: reservations are still necessary for all meetings. The tickets expire December 31, 2003.

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Please note: change of telephone number — Brian DeLaet Educyber, Inc. 720-275-4646

Congrats

Inc. magazine has released its annual 500 list of fastest-growing small companies. In the top entrepreneurial growth leaders, Noodles & Co. was listed as No. 105. The "Inc. 500" list recognizes companies with significant revenue growth over the past five years. Rankings are based on the percentage of growth increase from 1997 to 2001. Boulder-based Noodles & Co., with a local location in Applewood, saw an increase of 1,707 percent. In all, 14 Colorado companies made the Inc. list. The highest-ranked Colorado firm is Orange Glo International of Greenwood Village, at No. 10. Orange Glo reported 6,714 percent growth.

Thank You

Holidays decorations have again been placed along Youngfield by Prospect Recreation & Park District. Garland and wreaths from past decorations have been added to the flags. The decorations will remain along Youngfield until after the New Year. If you would like to sponsor a flagpole decoration, contact Van Wedgwood at 303-456-2130.

Cheap! Cheap! Cheap!

For only \$25 a quarter, you can have a rotating ad for your business on the ABA web site. Add a \$30 design fee if EduCyber designs the graphic. (If members want to design their own graphic, it should be in either jpeg or gif format and be 120 pixels wide x 134 pixels tall.)

The purchase of an ad includes a link to the advertiser's web site.

This is an introductory offer for ABA members only and is good through this year. Contact Brian DeLaet at EduCyber: 720-275-4646 or admin@educyber.com for more information. (Make your check payable, however, to the Applewood Business Association.)



Target your mailing. For only \$25 a month your business can add an insert to the monthly Applewood Leaflet newsletter. The newsletter is mailed to 225 businesses monthly. Inserts must be printed and ready to mail and the \$25 paid in advance to the ABA.

2002 - 2003 Officers & Directors

Beginning in January 2003, board meeting will switch to the 1st Thursday of the month at 7:30 a.m. The meetings will be held at the Red Rocks Small Business Development Center, 1667 Cole, Building #19, Suite 400.

The January meeting is scheduled for Thursday, January 2. All board meetings are open to ABA members.

Edna Miklos, President

The Hair Place, 303-233-4764

Bob Short, Vice President

Dru Short State Farm Insurance,
303-233-2626

Janet Osborne, Treasurer

Shaklee/Air Source, 303-278-7175

Helen Masterson, Secretary

Masterson & Friends Communications
303-467-9680

DIRECTORS

Bob Conner

Schulhoff Tree & Lawn Care, Inc.
303-279-1910

Brian DeLaet

Educyber, Inc. 720-275-4646

Kent Ingram

Colorado Business Bank,
303-312-0622

Jessica Noonan, Past President

Golden Mortgage Capital, LLC
303-205-7925

Jay Reed

Wild Bird Center, 303-231-9252

Jayne Reiter

Small Business Development Center
303-277-1840

Linda Schafer

GL Specialties 303-456-9035

Van Wedgwood

ReMax Alliance, 303-420-5352

ABA Committees

Government & Community Relations, Linda Schafer and Edna Miklos

Membership, Bob Short and Van Wedgwood

Advertising/Publicity/Inserts/Door Prizes/Speakers, Jessica Noonan and Helen Masterson

Program Speakers, Jessica Noonan

Golf Tournament, Edna Miklos

Web Site, Brian DeLaet

Community Support, Jay Reed

Applewood Shopping Center Update

The Wheat Ridge Planning Committee and City Council turned down the request for a large sign for Old Chicago. The Economic Development department will be contacting the owners to encourage a better job of signage for the entire shopping center.

Welcome New Members

Thank you for investing in the Applewood Business Association

Mary Sanders, United Personnel Denver West, 14142 Denver West Pkwy #101, Golden, 80401 303-278-0391. msanders@upstaff.com

Liz Kelly, Always in Stitches, Custom Embroidery, 162 Pike St., Golden. 80401. 303-215-1812, ais-emb@yahoo.com.

Renewing Members

Thank you for reinvesting in the ABA

Ashley Lindberg, Mesa Veterinary

Megan Forsmark, Wind & Wave Aromatherapy Products & Services

James Molnar, Molnar's Investigations

Christie Parish, Benders Nulook Cleaners

Winter Pet Tips

If your pet is outdoors for a while, DO provide some type of shelter and a source of water that is UNFROZEN. (Heated units are readily available for this.)

DO NOT allow snow and salt or other snow removal products to collect on your pet's paws. Remove it immediately. Snow removal products should always be stored out of reach as some are quite toxic.

BEWARE of toxic holiday / winter products. Here is a very general guide:

Remember, THE EARLIER YOU SEEK TREATMENT, THE BETTER FOR YOUR PET!!

LOW TOXICITY

Poinsettia leaves & stems
Angel hair (spun glass)
Christmas tree preservatives
Snow sprays / snow flock
Super glue
Styrofoam
Icicles (tinsel)
Crayons, paints

MODERATE TOXICITY

Plastic model cement
Holly berries and leaves
Bubbling lights (methylene chloride)
Aftershaves / perfumes
Alcoholic beverages
Chocolate

HIGHLY TOXIC

Mistletoe (especially berries)
Epoxy adhesives
Tylenol & Ibuprophen
ANTIFREEZE

- Brought to you by your friends at Mesa Veterinary Hospital

ABA Mission Statement

The Applewood Business Association is dedicated to the promotion, expansion and development of its members by providing services that directly aid, support and promote their business and by expressing and supporting common goals for the protection, identity and growth of Applewood businesses and the community.

The ABA is a partnership of community-minded business persons working together to improve the quality of life in our community.

Support local ABA businesses and let them know you belong to the ABA!

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