



APPLEWOOD

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NEWSLETTER

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Board meetings are the first Thursday of each month. All board meetings are open to ABA members.

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Thanks to New and Renewing Members

Thanks to all our new and renewing members! Because of your continuing support, the ABA just keeps on growing, which means more networking opportunities for you! For detailed information on each member, please visit the website at www.applewoodbusiness.com.

New Members

Sean Plumb - US Bank, 10395 W Colfax Ave, Lakewood, CO 80215, 303-237-7757, F: 303-237-4276, sean.plumb@usbank.com, usbank.com

Renewed Members

Dominique Clavel - Old Chicago Restaurant

Bob Conner - Schulhoff Tree & Lawn Care

Scott Feavel - Ecographics Printing Inc.

Kyle Kastberg - First Bank of Wheat Ridge

Lisa Kish-Pittman - Abrakadoodle

Russ Kyncl - Strategic Exit, LLC

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Member's Name Change

Dr. Erin Foley Kruse, D.C. **CHANGE NAME TO**
Dr. Erin Foley, D.C. - Mountain Lifestyles Chiropractic & Acupuncture Center, P.C.

5-Minute Spotlight Speaker

Dana Naas at Golden Printing & Promotional Products is very unique in that we are a family-owned and operated business, having been founded in 1959 by B.M. Naas of Wheat Ridge. The operation of the company was taken over by George and Dana Naas in 1968. What truly sets us apart is that we take personal pride in making sure that each job is done correctly for each of our clients. George personally oversees all print production; Dana is in charge of the advertising specialty part of the business. Over the years we have established a reputation for our expertise and for our reliability.

Our slogan is: If you can think of it, we can print it--or print ON it! We produce any type of paper printing--from carbonless forms to full color brochures. If you are participating in a trade show, need client or employee appreciation gifts, or if you are thinking toward year-end (calendars, holiday cards/gifts, etc.), let Dana help you think of some innovative ideas--in any price range.

MISSION STATEMENT

The ABA 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 of protection, identity and growth of Applewood businesses and the community.

The Prospect Foundation is asking ABA members for donations of items to be sold at a silent auction at the annual **Pumpkin Fest, to be held on Saturday, October 2nd, from 10:00am-2:00pm at FAIRMOUNT PARK, 5222 Quaker Street, Golden. Between McIntyre and Easley Road SOUTH of 54th Avenue.**

The annual Pumpkin Fest is a **free family event** featuring a pancake breakfast, free pumpkins, live music, games, artisan booths, hay rides and lots of fun! All proceeds from this fundraiser will go to benefit the Prospect Foundation, which is an organization working in support of The Prospect Parks and Recreation District. The Foundation's mission is "to protect, manage, and expand parkland and promote opportunities for citizens to pursue sports, historic, cultural, and leisure time activities" within the District. If you can donate any item to be sold, please contact Van Wedgwood at 303-456-2130 or vcwedgwood@earthlink.net.

FREE Pumpkins
FREE Pancakes
FREE Air Castle
FREE Live Music
FREE Hay Rides



Renewable Energy: Going Green in Jefferson County

Thursday, Sept 16th, 11:30 -1:00 p.m.

Wheat Ridge Rec Center, 4005 Kipling St., Wheat Ridge, 80033

Cost: \$15

Presented by the Jefferson County Workforce Center

Information: 303-271-4745

Applewood Business Association **Leads Group**

What: Business-to-Business, Industry-Specific Leads Group

When: 1st and 3rd Tuesday of Each Month, 7:30 - 8:30 a.m.

Location: 4251 Kipling St, 2nd Floor Conference Room

Annual Cost: ABA Members: \$50; Non-ABA Members: \$150

Speaker

Herb Rubenstein is the president of the Sustainable Business Group and the founder and executive director of THE LEEEGH, a non-profit, which stands for leadership in education, energy, environment, governance and health. He is the lead author of the Financial Times business book, *Breakthrough, Inc.: High Growth Strategies for Entrepreneurial Organizations*, and *Leadership Development for Educators*, and the author of the American Bar Association's *Leadership for Lawyers*. He has served as an adjunct professor of entrepreneurship at Colorado State University, teaches strategic management at the University of Colorado's Global Energy Management Program, has taught strategic planning in the MBA program at George Washington University, and is teaching courses on leadership this semester at both UNC and the University of Colorado at Denver. Herb's law degree is from Georgetown University.

His expertise is business and strategic planning for businesses and large nonprofits focusing on every major aspect of the company and its operations, metrics, and its ability to absorb and manage change.

ABA GENERAL

MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

To make meeting reservations--call 303-233-4764 or pay online at www.applewoodbusiness.com/meetingsignup at least 48 hours in advance.

BREAKFAST 7:15 AM, THURSDAY, September 9th

Location: **Denver Marriott West**, 1717 Denver Marriott West Blvd.

Cost: \$18.00

Speaker: Herb Rubenstein, Sustainable Business Group

About The Program: Unique Strategies For Business Growth

5-Minute Spotlight & Door Prize: Dana Naas, Golden Printing & Promotional Products

LUNCH 11:15 AM, THURSDAY, October 14th

Location: **Denver Marriott West**, 1717 Denver Marriott West Blvd.

Cost: \$20.00

Speaker: Greg Moss, Channel 9 News

About the Program: TBA

5-Minute Spotlights & Door Prizes: Lori Bush-Engel,

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You can sign up for Applewood Business Association meetings, get the latest membership directory information and other important information on the ABA Web site? Go to www.applewoodbusiness.com

If you sign up to be the 5-minute spotlight speaker for an upcoming meeting, ABA will feature your business in the Newsletter for FREE.

A sign up sheet will be available at the monthly meeting;

OR for more info or to sign up, email Lillian.Phillips@greatwesternbank.com.

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working together to improve the quality of life in our community.*

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