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## Chapter Events

### Executive Board Meeting:

**7 June 2007**

**Sparkman Center, Bldg 5300,  
room 5140, Time: 11:00 am**

### General Luncheon Meeting:

**When: 14 June 2007,**

**Where: Trinity Personal Growth  
Center,  
Airport Road**

**Program: Installation of  
2007/2008 Officers**

**WE ARE A  
FIVE STAR CHAPTER**



## A Message from the Chapter President

It's hard to believe that it is time again to elect new 2007-2008 ASMC Officers.

In accordance with the ASMC Constitution and By-Laws, each May a proposed slate of officers is presented to the General Membership for a vote. This slate of officers is recommended by the Nominating Committee to the Board of Directors (BOD) and approved prior to presentation. This year's Nominating Committee recommendation to the BOD was based on the criteria that nominees should be current members that exhibit leadership and organizational skills necessary to perform the duties of their position. Additional factors contributing to the recommendation were previous service in positions of appropriate leadership and activity within the chapter such as committee membership or committee chair, and regular participation in organizational activities. This experience and understanding of how Redstone/Huntsville Chapter operates was considered critical. The nomination period for 2007-2008 ASMC Officers was widely advertised and all nominations received were appreciated.

I am proud to announce that the following individuals were nominated by the BOD and approved by the Chapter members at our May picnic.

President - Bob Nichols  
1st VP - Becky Lake  
2nd VP - Lisa White  
3rd VP - Cody Swinford  
Corresponding Secretary - Kim Jean  
Recording Secretary - Lisa Lowry  
Treasurer - John Ogles  
Assistant Treasurer - Susan Zimmerly

I'm sure these folks will continue the great tradition of the Redstone/Huntsville Chapter.

Please don't forget the Continuing Education Program. We have been advised by National that ASMC members may apply and be provided financial assistance for up to four years and the Chapter can submit as many CE applications as required. For further information please contact Debbie O'Neal at 876-2671.



# For the Record.....

## Chapter Executive Board Meeting – 1 March 2007

The monthly ASMC Board of Directors meeting was held in building 5302, room 2139 on 1 Mar 07. The meeting was called to order at 1100 by President Bill Matthews. Minutes from February 2007 board meeting were approved.

Old Business: None.

The following committee reports were given:

Awards – Debbie O’Neal – Winner of the trip to Kansas City for the National PDI was drawn at our February monthly luncheon and she declined. New winner, Bill Richardson, was drawn at the Mar board meeting. Debbie will contact him to see if he chooses to go.

Training – Debbie O’Neal for Cody Swinford – Remind everyone to register for the mini-PDI scheduled for 11 and 12 Apr 07. Contacted First Commercial Bank and there will not be a problem with using our own credit card machine.

Community Projects – Debbie O’Neal for Lisa Hughey – Caring House Bowling will be 10 Mar 12-3 at the Pin Palace. ASMC donated 53 journals to Hospice for the Lee High School bus accident victims.

2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President – Becky Lake – No input.

Constitution & Bylaws – Michelle Cobb for Jackie Shaw – Revalidation package for ASMC to operate on Redstone Arsenal has been validated for the next 2 years.

Programs – Judy Smith for Jan Smith – will not have a speaker for the Mar luncheon, will have a fashion show. The April luncheon will be the mini-PDI.

Scholarship – Judy Smith – Received 6 member dependent applications.

CDFM – Larry Bowlin – On 26 Mar will have CDFM testing. 3 sessions will be offered. To date, have 6 who are interested. Working on brown bag training sessions. Would like to recognize those who have earned their CDFM at the Mar luncheon. It was decided to have table reserved for those who have achieved their CDFM.

Chapter Fair – Vickie Compton – Theme for the Chapter Fair will be An Old Fashion Country Fair. The games will be provided. We are allowed to have our \$500 drawing and have tickets available now for purchase. Will be selling at the luncheons and the picnic in May.

Chapter Competition – Lisa Lowry for Kim Jean – .Will be contacting those committee chairs who have not received input from.

Ways & Means – Lisa Lowry – No input.

Assistant Treasurer – John Ogle. There was not a problem moving the accounts from Amsouth Bank to First Commercial Bank. Motion was approved to leave the CDs at Amsouth until they mature to avoid losing any money. Our new year will begin on 1 Jul 07 and go thru 30 Jun 08.

Membership – Alex Hice – Still waiting on quarterly member list from National.

Attendance – Jessica Dunaway – Have 106 reservations for Mar.

Corporate Membership – Don Clingerman – No input.

1<sup>st</sup> Vice President – Bob Nichols – thanked everyone who attended the Feb BOD meeting.

President – Bill Matthews – the Nominating Committee is accepting nominations for the new 2007-2008 Executive Board members. If you wish to make a nomination please send to Christina Ridgeway. Each nomination will be given equal consideration. A slate of officers will be developed by the nominating committee and presented to the board at the May board meeting and once approved, slate will be presented at the May general meeting (picnic) for election.

Meeting adjourned 1200.

Lisa E. Lowry, Recording Secretary

# For the Record.....

## Chapter Executive Board Meeting – 4 April 2007

The monthly ASMC Board of Directors meeting was held in building 5301, room 1148 on 4 Apr 07. The meeting was called to order at 1100 by President Bill Matthews. There were not enough executive board members in attendance, therefore Minutes from March 2007 board meeting were not approved and no business could be voted on.

Old Business: None.

The following committee reports were given:

CDFM – Larry Bowlin – CDFM is going really strong. Five employees have recently passed the CDFM exams.

Constitution & Bylaws – Jackie Shaw – Awaiting signed copy of our re-validation package authorizing our ASMC chapter to operate on Redstone Arsenal for 2 years.

Attendance – Jessica Dunaway – No input.

Training – Cody Swinford – Have 140 registered for Mini-PDI scheduled for 11 & 12 Apr. Have credit card machine.

Membership – Alex Hice – Received updated roster from National, currently have 475 members. Will send out reminders to those members whose membership is due for renewal.

Chapter Fair – Vickie Compton – Our booth at the Chapter Fair will be the Milk Can game. Plan to sell raffle tickets at the Mini-PDI.

Ways & Means – Lisa Lowry – No input.

Corporate Membership – Don Clingerman – No input.

Community Projects – Lisa Hughey – Submitted 694 member volunteer hours for the National report (had total of 750 hrs including non-members). Panopoly is scheduled for 27-29 Apr 07. MS Walk is 14 Apr 07. Will collect items for soldiers at Mini-PDI. Whistle Stop Festival will be 4-5 May 07.

Facilities – Michelle Cobb – No input.

Chapter Competition – Debbie O'Neal for Kim Jean – .Notebook will be ready to mail by Friday, 6 Apr 07. Cutoff for input was 31 Mar 07. Cannot include the Mini-PDI because it comes after the deadline and based on the criteria, the Mini-PDI cannot be included because it is not a "financial management" topic. Based on our chapter competition input, we should have enough points to maintain our "5-Star" status without the Mini-PDI being counted.

Special Events – Debbie O'Neal for Lisa White – Picnic will be 10 May 07 at NASA picnic area. Cost is \$3.00 for members and \$5.00 for non-members.

Awards – Debbie O'Neal – Tina Bragg has won an award to be presented at the National PDI. We have submitted our package for the Neil Ginetti award. Request has been sent to Committee Chairs for the names of their committee members. Debbie needs nominations for the ASMC Member of the Year as well as the Presidents Member of the Year. Bill Richardson was the winner of the trip to the National PDI in Kansas and he accepted.

Scholarship – Judy Smith – All the scholarship winners were students and will be recognized at the June luncheon.

Audit – Virginia Moore – No input.

Treasurer – Susan Zimmerly – Have opened a checking account with First Commercial Bank. Account with Amsouth remains open. Will present more info at later board meeting concerning the CDs that we have at Amsouth and whether or not it would be cost effective to move to First Commercial Bank. Will contact Global Pay concerning charges for the credit card machine from several years ago.

President – Bill Matthews – Expecting guidance on travel restrictions similar to what came out last year which could limit travel to the National PDI. Added after meeting adjourned: The Nominating Committee is accepting nominations for the new 2007-2008 Executive Board members. If you wish to make a nomination please send to Christina Ridgeway. Each nomination will be given equal consideration. A slate of officers will be developed by the nominating committee and presented to the board at the May board meeting and once approved, slate will be presented at the May general meeting (picnic) for election.

Meeting adjourned 1200.

Lisa E. Lowry, Recording Secretary

# Chapter News.....

## Chapter Awards

The Redstone/Huntsville chapter has once again been recognized as a **Five Star Chapter**. While all award results have not been finalized, the chapter was also recognized for its outstanding **Community Service**. Check [asmconline.org](http://asmconline.org) for more awards.

If you have a significant life event (such as an illness, death, tragedy) that you want shared with the ASMC family, please contact your POC. An e-mail will be sent to chapter members.

## Congratulations!

The following people were lucky winners at the picnic:

Amanda Cole  
 Myra Cox  
 Jessica Dunaway  
 Kelly Glosson  
 Sandra Griss  
 Velma Howze  
 Murline Jones  
 Matt Ludwig  
 Tony McAdory  
 Dianne Morris  
 Janice Neely  
 Ron Ostrander  
 Brenda Willis

## MEMBERSHIP

If you would like to join ASMC, or know someone who would like to join, please contact Alex Hice at 876-2061.

Visit Our  
 Chapter Website at

<http://www.geocities.com/hsvasmc/>

## Grocery Coupons

Theresa McBride is collecting grocery coupons for soldiers and their families assigned to overseas locations. The coupons are limited to grocery items (not restaurants) and can be expired by a few weeks. Send your coupons to:

**Theresa McBride**  
**AMSRD-AMR-AS, Bldg 5400**  
**AMRDEC, ASTD**

These coupons help families that serve their country in OCONUS assignments make ends meet. If you have questions, you can reach Theresa at 842-9272.

# Useful Information.....

## 2006-2007 ASMC Officers and Committee Chairs

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