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www.networkexecwomen.com
Our website is updated monthly and has information about upcoming programs, board of directors, a membership application and member business announcements. To request information on an event, business announcement or for updates to the website, email **Laura Rehbein** at laura7613@hotmail.com by the 15th of any month



Changing of the Guard Members-Only Meeting



Tues., September 14 11:45 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Centre Club – 123 Westshore Blvd.

On the Menu: Caesar Salad
(Veggie plate available - please request when reserving.)

RSVP by noon Friday, Sept. 10 through NEW website, via phone (813/251-9172) or ewhubbard@aol.com.

Please reserve **even if you've been on the permanent list;** we need to compile a new one.

Program: Installation Board of Directors for 2010-11

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We'll also reveal NEW's 2010 Member of the Year.
Please join us to show support for our current leaders and those for the year ahead.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

See Karen Gangel's Message beginning on Page 2.

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President's Message

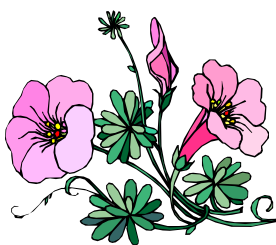
Time sure flies when you're having fun! It was just a short two years ago and twenty-four "President's Messages" ago when I took over the reins of our group. What? A second term? Unheard of! OK, I'll do it.

And here we are ready to install a new Board of Directors. What a group it is! They are filled with enthusiasm and new ideas. Sonia and company will be great!

I must say thanks to the Boards of the last two years. What a super group of "doers"! If you haven't taken the opportunity to become involved in a leadership position or serve on a committee, I suggest you make that leap. I've said it before and I'll say it again: The only way to get something really worthwhile out of an organization is to make an investment of your time and talents.

Please come to the Installation. There will be the announcement of Member of the Year and it's a great time for catching up with each other.

Karen

**Membership Means Networking**

Membership recruitment for any community group is an ongoing project. For it to be truly successful, it can't be the responsibility of the membership chair alone.....the entire membership needs to participate.

And how do you do that? By introducing NEW to your business colleagues, friends, family, etc. - whoever meets the criteria for membership.

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And when is the next opportunity? September 30, 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. - an informal gathering at the home of Barbara Heineken, 3705 W. Horatio, in South Tampa. We'll enjoy wine and appetizers in a relaxed setting with time to visit with members and prospects. This has been a highly successful format in the past.

As a member your "entrance fee" will be either a plate of your favorite appetizer or a bottle of wine. You're encouraged to bring a guest but you'll be welcome, of course, even if you don't. We'll call for reservations later in the month.

