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Our website is updated monthly and provides information about upcoming programs. For updates to the website or to submit information about your upcoming events please submit all your information to networkexecutivewomen@gmail.com by the 15th of the month.

Speaker: Robert P. Miles

Warren Buffett: Feminist Capitalist

How Women Have Influenced, Guided, and Made Him a Better Investor, Manager, Communicator, Philanthropist, and Person

Tuesday, October 8th, 11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Centre Club 123 Westshore Blvd.

Members \$20 - Guests \$30

Menu: Penne Pasta with Chicken

(Veggie plate available; please request when reserving)

RSVP by noon Friday, October 4th through NEW website

Warren Buffett readily admits that Berkshire Hathaway (now America's fourth largest company) would not have existed without the influence and guidance of his late first wife, Susan. She helped shape his charitable and political beliefs, and steered him away from his childhood's and his father's deeply held governmental philosophies. His long-time editor (who also is his bridge partner) and his closest advisors are female. Several women entrepreneurs and professional managers have sold their businesses to him. His conglomerate has three women directors, and the board of his family foundation has a female majority. And his largest public investments of \$11 billion has

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President's Message

It's easy to say our network is made up of relationships between the members. It's simple, almost cliché in fact. In my first month as president, I've been challenged to adapt to the outside pressures affecting individual members, which require them to re-order their priorities. I support those decisions wholeheartedly.

Yet, it reminds me that we are all individuals. We all have

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Learn how you can become a member by visiting our website and downloading a membership application.

Join us on:



www.networkexecwomen.com

P.O. Box 270595, Tampa, FL 33688

Events This Month

After Hours Event

Please check our website:
www.networkexecwomen.com

Join us for our monthly social. If you have never been this is a fantastic venue and a great opportunity to network with exciting, educated executives. Hope to see you there. Bring a friend!

Monthly Board Meeting

Wednesday, October 17th, noon–1 p.m.
SB Recommend, 606 South Boulevard, Tampa, FL 33606

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different reasons for coming to NEW that first time. We all have different reasons for choosing to apply for membership, for participating in our own way, and for remaining members for years and years. I am humbled just thinking about the many, many relationships that have begun as part of this network.

It's a process that we go through, from being acquaintances, to clients and customers, to trusted friends. Our perceptions of each other are uniquely our own and evolve with time. One member may remind you of a far-away friend. Another may remind you of a sister, or in some cases, a favorite aunt. That is not to say that all members are going to connect with all other members. We have a tremendous wealth of experiences among and between our members. We are all different and that, in and of itself, is part of developing relationships. After all, as Shirley MacLaine said, "The most profound relationship we'll ever have is with ourselves."

It's these relationships that enrich our experiences in being members of something larger than ourselves. The power of working together, of sharing our strengths, and of supporting common goals is fulfilling and motivating at once. It drives us to keep doing, even when our plates seem impossibly full. It drives us to know that we are not alone in our struggles of work and home. With each small success, there is motivation to remain focused and

engaged. Have you felt the energy we create as a group?

Sometimes the intangibles of our group energy make it very difficult when I'm trying to explain to a potential new member why she should take the time to come to a meeting. It is probably funny to watch me, using partial sentences and dramatic arm gestures, trying to get my point across. We'll see if my guest-count improves—I've been working on my delivery of the personal invite. How well are you doing, bringing guests and new members into the NEW fold?

I'm pretty sure it's six years since I joined NEW, and it is part of this month's observations because I feel a little bit closer to members who have trusted me with a glimpse into their lives, just because we know each other a bit more. Perhaps retreat has me thinking that way as well.

Membership is still about relationships, after all.

–Samantha Bond, President

Member News

Welcome NEW Member!

Dr. Linda McClintock, president and medical director of Age-Less Medicine, focuses on quality-of-life health treatment for men and women, is an active member of the American Academy of Anti-Aging Medicine and the Hillsborough County Medical Society. She also founded and co-chairs the not-for-profit Friends of Tampa Police Department, which has raised over a half-million dollars for training and safety of officers.

Laura Rehbein of Rehbein & Associates, A financial advisor practice of Ameriprise Financial - Has recently purchased an office building to relocate and expand her business. (Yea!) It is located right on Dale Mabry, in Carrollwood, next to the Newsome Eye building. If you happened to be driving on Dale Mabry between Fletcher and Bearss, look for their "Future Home of" sign. The building renovations

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a woman as president and CEO. Warren is optimistic about the future of the USA economy, primarily because of the impact women will make as their full potential is unleashed.

Robert Miles is an internationally known keynote presenter, author, and authority on both Warren Buffett and Berkshire Hathaway. Author of three top-selling books about the "Oracle of Omaha," Miles is regularly tapped by the media to comment on nearly every move Buffett makes. He has appeared on numerous radio and television broadcasts on five continents, including NPR, CNN, CNN International, CNBC, and FOX Business.

Miles founded and hosts the "Value Investor Conference" held each stockholders' meeting. In 2011, the University of Nebraska invited Miles to create and teach a graduate executive MBA course titled "The Genius of Warren Buffett: The Science of Investing and the Art of Managing," based on his worldwide lectures. For the final exam, students in this unique annual course present Buffett with recommendations of businesses they think would best fit into the Berkshire family of businesses.

This is a rare opportunity for NEW members, visitors, and guests to glean insights from an engaging speaker, as Miles usually commands substantial fees for access to his informative presentations and corny wit. Mark your calendars and spread the word now to RSVP for the October 8 luncheon.

Upcoming Events!

NOVEMBER

November 12 Luncheon: Susan S. Freeman, Effective Leadership

DECEMBER

December 10 Luncheon: 2013 Holiday Outreach Program

Business Highlight



Kristi Campbell
Home Instead Senior Care

Home Instead Senior Care offers services that help senior citizens with live assisted independence. One of those services focuses on Alzheimer's or Dementia care. By staying current with modern day techniques, our caregivers are trained to handle some of the most difficult cases. This training allows us to offer the family caregiver a break/respite so they can regenerate their physical and mental wellbeing. Family Caregiver Alzheimer's trainings will be conducted throughout October. Please feel free to contact Kristi for more information.

www.homeinstead.com/482certified

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 813-930-9366

Scholarship Funds

50/50 Fundraiser

This luncheon fundraiser helps raise money we award annually to financially and academically deserving women in the Tampa Bay area. Fifty percent of money raised each month goes to scholarship and 50% goes to the winning ticket holder.

In September, the 50/50 Fundraiser raised \$27.50!

Tax deductible contributions can be made on our website.

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2013 Holiday Outreach Program

We took nominations from the board and members for charities they would like to support through our 2013 Outreach Program. We determined six organizations that are most fitting for our intended purpose (women, families and education). Now through the end of October, we need help from our membership to determine which two charities are most deserving of our support. Please vote on one of the charities or submit a write-in candidate. Please email Ginny Daniel (virginia.daniel@morganstanley.com) with your vote. We will have ballots available at the October luncheon. Organizations will be recognized at the December luncheon and we will have opportunities for you to support the two worthy causes throughout the holiday season.

Alpha House of Tampa

Alpha House of Tampa offers homeless pregnant women and mothers with young children safe housing and the tools they need to become self-sufficient and effective responsible parents.

Website: www.alphahouseoftampa.org

Buddy Baseball

Buddy Baseball is a non-competitive recreational league for boys and girls with special needs in Tampa, FL. Each player is paired with a "Buddy" to assist the player as needed. The league fosters friendships and breaks down barriers. Buddy Baseball is an opportunity like no other for children with special needs. Not only do the players experience the thrill of participating, they also get to experience team play and camaraderie. This program is supported by the Temple Terrace Leisure Services Department. PLAY BALL!

Website: www.buddybaseball.org

CASA – St. Petersburg

CASA Community Action Stops Abuse has been working in the Tampa Bay area since 1977 providing refuge, crisis intervention, advocacy, professional training and community outreach to break the silence that isolates victims of domestic violence and prevents them from a life of hope, independence and peace. CASA staff members understand the courage it takes to disclose abuse, and they work with the community to build a network of support for survivors

and their children.

Website: www.casa-stpete.org

Children's Cancer Center

Helping children and families cope. That is the mission of the Children's Cancer Center, a local non-profit organization dedicated to serving Tampa Bay families of children with cancer or chronic blood disorders such as Sickle Cell Anemia. With 25 programs and services currently helping over 850 families, support is offered to all members of the family and is available throughout every step of their difficult journey from diagnosis and treatment, to survivorship and sadly, too often, bereavement.

Website: www.childrenscancercenter.org

Kimberly Home

Kimberly Home is a nonprofit pregnancy resource center that offers assistance to women and families in unplanned or troubling pregnancies.

Website: www.kimberlyhome.org

Pace Center for Girls

PACE provides girls and young women an opportunity for a better future through education, counseling, training and advocacy.

Website: www.pacecenter.org

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have begun and they look forward to moving at the end of October. Laura will host a reception at 6 p.m. on Nov. 21 to open her new office at 4809 Ehrlich Rd., Suite 101, Tampa 33624.

Lisa Demmi of Cake Marketing Mechanics merged with two other businesses to form Lab3 Marketing and is now the Chief Communications Scientist of Lab3 Marketing .

Dues Are Due!

Don't forget to pay your membership invoice when you register for the October luncheon at the NEW website.