

Wichita EWI Connect



2023-2024 President

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IMA Financial Group**

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Happy April EWI!

We have officially transitioned from our current website to the StarChapter website and administrative system!! I have scheduled a Teams meeting May 2nd to provide you with information on the platform and give you time to ask questions. This session will be recorded for anyone who is unable to attend. The Board and I are very excited about this transition and feel it will streamline the Board's tasks as well as provide you all with a seamless experience.

Thank you to Allison Walden with Downing & Lahey Mortuaries, Jessica Buettgenbach with Visit Wichita, and Jessica Emrick with Wichita Marriot for hosting firesides throughout the month of April! This year, you had the choice to attend all three sessions as it worked with your schedule! Please remember that firesides are a fundraising meeting, so the meeting fee applies regardless of how many or how little sessions you attend to support our initiatives! (Only one meeting fee will be applied). In May, we will be holding our Women's Leadership Panel at IMA with executives from IMA Financial Group, Visit Wichita, and Stoutheart Financial Group! This will be held on May 8th rather than the 22nd. We will also be pushing information out for our Fundraising meeting in June very soon! I am so excited about our upcoming events and hope to see you all there!

Some other exciting news, LCAM early bird registration is now open! By registering early, you can save \$100 on your LCAM registration. Early bird pricing is only available until June 30th! To register and access all the necessary information, visit www.ewiconnect.com and click on the "LCAM 2024" tab located on the homepage. LCAM is a great place to network personally, professionally, and on make connections for you firm! If you have any question on what LCAM is and what you can get out of it, please let me know!

I wanted to remind you all, if you ever need anything please reach out to the Board. We care about your experience with EWI as well as your wellbeing and we are here for you! *"Anything is possible when you have the right people there to support you"* – Misty Copeland. Thank you for all you do and all your continued support.

Thank you!

Ashley

Director Messages

Treasurer's Report
Emma Hahn, Treasurer
Stoutheart Financial Group

Commerce Operating Account:

03/01/24 Opening Balance: \$15,609.19
03/31/24 Reconciled Balance: \$15,109.04

Deposits:

1. Regular Meeting Dues: \$360.00
2. Annual Firm Chapter Dues: \$430.00

Expenses:

1. Regular Meeting Expense: \$947.68
2. Chapter Dues Reimbursement for Overcharge: \$30.00
3. Website Fees: \$178.47
4. Software Fees: \$120.00
5. Operating Fees: \$14.00

Commerce BCDP Account:

03/01/24 Opening Balance: \$638.71
03/31/24 Reconciled Balance: \$638.71

Deposits:

1. N/A

Expenses:

2. N/A

Meritrust Savings Account:

03/01/24 Opening Balance: \$23,693.18
03/31/24 Reconciled Balance: \$23,694.18

Deposits:

1. Interest: \$1.00

Expenses: N/A

Ameriprise BCDP Account (Korol Financial):

(Statement not yet available for March)



Please send payments to:

Emma Hahn

Stoutheart Financial Group

8621 E. 21st St. N., Suite 130

Wichita, KS 67206



Greetings everyone!

We had a great March meeting and appreciate everyone who came out. I know summer is upon us, but don't forget to join one or all of the April fire-sides. Visit Wichita is hosting a fireside on April 24 at 3pm. If you or your company are looking for volunteer efforts, Visit Wichita is looking for volunteers. You can always check out our volunteer opportunities at <https://visitwichita.volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/>. Hope to see you in April!

*Jessica Buettgenbach, Vice President/President Elect,
Visit Wichita*

Director Messages

Hello EWI of Wichita,

We love having you be a part of our dynamic group. It's wonderful to see how we each support one another whether in a professional or personal aspect. As your chapter Secretary, it is my responsibility to ensure our chapter's roster is current and up to date. I would appreciate it if you would email the following information to pdinwiddie@e-aviation.com:

- Firm name
- Your birthday (month and day only)
- Your spouse's name (if applicable)
- Your work email
- Your work phone number
- Your cell number
- Your work address

If you are an alumni member, email me the following information:

- Firm you retired from
- Your birthday (month and day only)
- Your spouse's name (if applicable)
- Your email
- Your home phone number
- Your cell number
- Your home address

As always, if anything changes with your membership, please inform our chapter president who will pass along the information to the current secretary and membership director.

Have a blessed day and see you at one of the April Firesides!

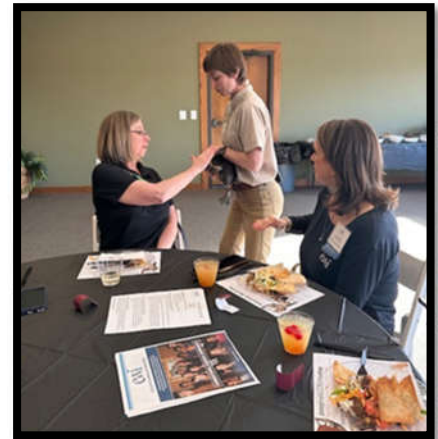
All my best,

Pam Dinwiddie, Chapter Secretary



MEETING RECAP

March 2024 Chapter Meeting



- ◆ Held on March 20, 2024 at the Tanganyika Wildlife Park
- ◆ March to Membership featuring Mia Lee with Lee Media Group
- ◆ Special guest appearance of one of their resident penguins!

MEETING RECAP

April 2024 Board Meeting

- ◆ Held at IMA Financial Group on Wednesday, April 3, 2024
 - ◆ Discussed the rollout of StarChapter website
- ◆ April Firesides being held at 4 different member firms
- ◆ Reviewed chapter meeting programs for May through September

SAVE THE DATE

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE & ANNUAL MEETING

September 18–21, 2024

TUCSON, AZ

Casino Del Sol, Tucson, AZ



Future Meeting Dates

- ◆ May Board Meeting—May 1 at IMA Financial Group
- ◆ May 8 Chapter Meeting—Women’s Leadership Panel at IMA
- ◆ June Board Meeting—June 5 at IMA Financial Group
- ◆ June 19 Chapter Meeting—Fundraising at Chicken N Pickle
- ◆ July Board Meeting—July 3 at IMA Financial Group
- ◆ July 17 Chapter Meeting—Executive Night at Wichita Marriott

SAVE THE DATE ~ May Chapter Meeting

JOIN US! FOR THE EWI WICHITA

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP PANEL

Our panel includes our very own Dawn Truman and Executives Lori Richardson of Stoutheart Financial Group and Christin White of IMA Financial Group!

MAY 8 | 5:30 PM

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(ROOFTOP)

WICHITA, KS 67220

RSVP BY MAY 1, 2024 AT

[HTTPS://WWW.SQUADUP.COM/EVENTS
/EWI-OF-WICHITA---MAY-MEETING](https://www.squadup.com/events/ewi-of-wichita---may-meeting)

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APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

April 11—Julia Lee, Alumni Member

April 13 —Jessica Davies, Wichita Marriott

April 13 —Allison Walden, Downing & Lahey Mortuaries & Crematory

April 21—Fonda Ellis, Wichita Children’s Home

April 22 —Kristina Helm, Western Associates

April 27—Barbara Lisenby, Alumni Member



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Instagram: @ewiofwichita

**LinkedIn: Executive Women International Wichita
Chapter (EWI)**

Contact us!

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