



## Meeting: **BJAC Membership Meeting**

**Date & Time:** 1/10/06 7:00pm

**Location:** Brass Elephant

**Duration:** 1 hour

**Mission Statement:** To provide opportunities for professionals age 21-40 to develop leadership skills and to benefit the greater Baltimore area through business, social and community involvement.

### **Call to Order**

### **Introductions**

### **President's Report**

- Introduce new board – **New listing to appear on the website soon.**
- Jaycees Disaffiliation – **Brief explanation & benefits reaped; ability to use extra membership dues revenue to fund additional philanthropic and social events for members and the community.**
- New Email Format – Feedback– **We are implementing a new distribution method for the general e-mail list which will make adding/removing e-mails much easier. Contact Laura or Gayle for more information.**
- Update on website – Feedback– **We are revamping the website contract designer Tivilon. Andrea will be overseeing this project. The new website is expected to go live before Q2.**
- Call to Action: Social chair position open– **A non-board position that need to be filled immediately. Involves organizing the social events given by BJAC, such as the monthly happy hour.**

### **Signature Events (Joy Cortina)**

- Mayor's Luncheon: Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> 11:15- 1pm **at the Wyndam Hotel in downtown Baltimore. Featuring Bonnie Copeland as honoree & Mayor Martin O'Malley as keynote speaker.**
- "The Event" – Committee now forming
  - Brainstorming Meeting– **To be held Tuesday, January 17<sup>th</sup> with location TBD. Discussion will focus on theme ideas; in the past there have been casino-type themes. All proceeds for this event go to charity.**

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#### **Individual Development (Holger Kliesch & Janet Seward)**

- January Event: Aquarium Friday, January 20<sup>th</sup> 5:30pm - till– **The Aquarium Tour will be \$25 and includes admission to the Aquarium, happy hour drinks and appetizers.**
- February Event– **Holger and Janet are both open to ideas for individual development events from the membership. Please contact them if you would like to help with events or offer ideas.**

#### **Community Outreach (John Brune)**

- January Event: St. Vincent's Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup> 10am-1pm– **This is a fun day with the kids at St. Vincent's and it has a big effect on them. Come help out.**
- February Event– **To occur in late February, either at the Ronald McDonald House or Our Daily Bread. Details to follow in February.**
- SOBO Football– **BJAC sponsors a team. It's 2-hand touch, coed, and social.**

**Raffle (Andy Sarno) SELL, SELL, SELL: Ticket Money due 1/31/05– Please sell your raffle tickets and get the money and information to Andy by January 31. Andy's e-mail is [sarno84@gmail.com](mailto:sarno84@gmail.com). The raffle is keyed into the Pick-3 lottery for the month of February with prizes up to \$250. All proceeds go to charity.**

**Recognition Happy Hour (Kyleigh Helfrich/Jodi Taylor) Thursday, January 26<sup>th</sup> 6-9pm– BJAC happy hour to recognize outstanding achievement or dedication to the organization for the 2005 year. It will be at Mothers Federal Hill Grille (1113 S Charles St.)**

#### **Membership Committee (Kyleigh Helfrich)**

- Corporate Sponsorship– **A great way to pay for your membership to BJAC is to get your corporation to do it for you! It also allows the corporation to sponsor a great young professional organization and gives its employees networking and social oportunites within the professional community.**

**Miscellaneous**

**Adjourn**

**Next Meeting : 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month – February 7th**

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