



## Kansas City Northland Chapter NEWSLINE



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2011 President  
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WCR

Hey Guys!,

If you missed the third Quarterly meeting at the Lake, you really missed a great party! WCR in conjunction with MAR put on a lavish dinner and installation program. All the 2012 officers from State WCR and MAR were installed at the same dinner. This was a FIRST.

2012 President Jan Thomas announced the orientation on November 18th, and We had a Standing Rules update.

On the home front we are planning Social Media Roundtables and Business Planning meetings. This is the place to be for empowering your business. We are open to suggestions for meetings in 2012.

Life is Good!

*Kimberly Abbs-Riley*

November 3, 2011 11AM  
"Empowered Business Planning"  
Rena Striegel, First Community Bank,

November 9-13, 2011  
National Association of REALTORS  
Convention,  
Anaheim, California.

December 1, 2011 Officer Installation  
Re/Max Revolution,  
Kendallwood Parkway

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[www.kcnorthlandwcr.com](http://www.kcnorthlandwcr.com)

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**The Missouri State Chapter met in St. Charles on June 22, 2011.** We had a wonderful attendance. The Program was presented by Beth Steele from Columbia. She spoke on how to do big business on a small budget. It was well received by all.

We met our new M.A.R. CEO, Russ Cofano. He is charming and we will enjoy working with him.

New officers were elected at this meeting. Leading us next year will be Jan Thomas from St. Louis Metropolitan chapter, President-elect will be Donna Joerling from St. Charles, Randi Bishop from Columbia will be our Vice President, Michelle Silies from St. Louis will continue as Secretary, Alice Leeper from Columbia will serve as Treasurer and Carole Harris from Kansas City Northland will be the Governor.

Next year we will only have three state meetings. They will be Jefferson City in January, Springfield in April and Lake of the Ozarks in September.

**At the October meeting** we listened to Dave Van Noy and Mike Pierce, two men who know more about cell phone technology than most of us have ever heard of. Did you know that with the right phone apps you can do anything?

Dan Vick gave us the simple course in how to use Facebook. He made his presentation sound so simple and I think gave us many helpful tips on how to make the most of it.



On **August 4th** we had Jim Hampton from Clay County Economic Development Council and Pete Fullerton from Platte County Economic Development Council in to tell us about their counties' plans. We met at Re/Max Revolution's office for lunch followed by our meeting. Our speakers filled us in on everything from 800+ jobs coming in the next 2-3 years, the Riverside Horizon Project, The First and Second Creek Watershed (which is a city within a city), North Kansas City Hospital expansion and the new Mormon Temple.

Smithville has the 2nd best cost of living in the state; the number one grade school in the state is in Liberty and Clay county ranks 6th in the state in new business starts. Not bad for a country in recession.

**September 8th** We met at Reece & Nichols, Kearney for lunch and our program was Wayne Frederick, Regional Director for Business Development with Re/Max. He spoke on "What Are You Doing Differently?"

### 2011 REGIONAL MEETING

The WCR Sleepover held in Minneapolis in July was a great success. While the numbers in attendance were low for our region, those who attended left inspired to make the most of their business and life! The keynotes by Terry Watson and our own RVP, Dwayne were well received. The break-out sessions in the afternoon were full of helpful tips on everything from reducing stress to making the most of free solutions on the web. Thanks to all our sponsors for the event including Wells Fargo, DeeSigns, Cutco Cutlery, St Paul Area Association of REALTORS, Minneapolis Area Association of REALTORS and Encore Seminars. A special thanks to the Missouri and Nebraska WCR State Chapters along with the Twin Cities WCR

Kansas City Northland Chapter of Women's Council of REALTORS is proud to announce the 2012 slate of officers:

President - Mary Richards

President-elect- Lin Van Meter

Vice President- Audra Heller

Treasurer- Tammy Ebright

Secretary- Valerie Starks

Installation will be held on December 1, 2011

at Re/Max Revolution 2850 Kendallwood Parkway

**LOOK WHO WENT TO STATE MEETINGS  
AT TAN TAR A!!  
ALSO RUE AND CECIL!!**



**WHAT'S GOING ON HERE???**

