

The Spokeswoman

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF WOMEN ACCOUNTANTS

Ames Chapter No. 158

May 1999



President's Message May 1999

It is hard to believe that the year will soon be coming to a close. The May meeting will feature the final installment of our programs on derivatives using real life examples.

We accomplished a lot at our April meeting: electing officers for next year and awarding the scholarships. It is very exciting to be able to award \$1,000 in scholarships this year – a record!

We have a great slate of officers for next year. I encourage everyone to support them and work to help our chapter keep growing.

I'd also like to thank Brenda for her help this year and vice-president and let her know how much we will miss her when she moves to Colorado. Good luck Brenda!

See you on May 19!

Meeting Notice
May Meeting Ames Chapter:
Wednesday, May 19
Elwell's Chefs Inn
6400 West Lincolnway
Ames IA

Social: 5:30 Meeting: 6:00
Dinner: 6:30 Program: 7:00

May Meeting Topic "Real Life Examples Using Derivatives – Recognizing Risks"

**By William (Bill) J. Holstine, AFM, ARA,
AAC
Hertz Farm Management, Inc.**

Dinner Reservations by Tuesday noon, May 18

Kate Mulder
(515) 382-6596

Email: See Below

About our Speaker

Mr. Holstine received both his B.S. in Agriculture and M.S. in Economics from the University of Illinois (Champaign). Bill Holstine is an Accredited Farm Manager, Iowa Certified General Real Property Appraiser, and Accredited Rural Appraiser and a licensed real estate broker. Bill is a Vice President of Hertz Farm Management and serves on the Board of Directors. He has also chaired the Marketing Committee for Hertz Farm Management. Under this committee's guidance, we have historically been able to identify and market our clients grain in the top one-third of the market.

Bill has also taught classes to a variety of groups. Some of these courses include Pork College courses, debt management, numerous appraisal courses, business valuation, and environmental workshops. Bill has also taught farm management and swine management courses at Iowa State University and Ellsworth Community College. He holds the title Master Conservationist and serves on the Grant Board of Swine Graphics as well as on a committee of the Iowa Business Council. In 1989, the American Society of Farm Managers and Rural Appraisers selected Bill as "Farm Manager of the Year".

Ames Chapter No. 158
American Society of Women Accountants
Board of Directors Meeting
April 21, 1999

CALL TO ORDER: The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors, Ames Chapter, was brought to order at approximately 6:55 p.m. on Wednesday, April 21, 1999, at Elwell's, Ames, Iowa, President Sherri Martin presiding.

QUORUM: A quorum was present.

BUSINESS:

On a motion by Cindy Sippel, seconded by Karen Jacobson, the Board approved the suspension of all business other than the approval of a new member.

Membership: Jan Duffy presented one new application for membership, Mike Doran, regular member. Karen Jacobson moved and Kate Mulder seconded a motion to accept the application subject to approval by National. The motion passed unanimously.

ADJOURNMENT: On motion made by Karen Jacobson and seconded by Cindy Sippel, motion carried unanimously that the meeting be adjourned at 7:00 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Cindy Sippel, Secretary

Ames Chapter No. 158
American Society of Women Accountants
Regular Membership Meeting
April 21, 1999

CALL TO ORDER: The regular monthly membership meeting of the Ames Chapter No. 158 of the American Society of Women Accountants was called to order at approximately 6:15 p.m. on Wednesday, April 21, 1999, at Elwell's, Ames, Iowa, President Sherri Martin presiding.

QUORUM: A quorum was present.

ATTENDANCE: There were 11 members in attendance (Sherri Martin, Kate Mulder, Kathy Strum, Karen Jacobson, Brenda O'Neall-Smith, Teresa Samson, Jan Duffy, Beverly Wandling, Marti Landers, Margaret Munson and Cindy Sippel).

BUSINESS:

Treasurer's Report: Karen Jacobson reported that we have \$1,871.74 in checking and \$1,313.31 in savings. We will be transferring \$1,500.00 from checking to savings.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Bulletin: The deadline for the May bulletin is May 5. Please send any items for the bulletin to Cindy Sippel

Membership: The Board will be voting on the application for membership of Mike Doran after the membership meeting.

Program: The May meeting will be a presentation on derivatives with real life examples. For the June meeting we will have the installation of officers for next year and the presentation of the scholarship recipients.

Scholarship: The scholarship committee presented their recommendations for the scholarship recipients. On a motion by Jan Duffy, seconded by Beverly Wandling, the chapter approved two scholarships in the amount of \$500 each. These will be awarded to ISU students Nyimeawia Ollor and Carrie Knutson.

OLD BUSINESS:

Nominating Committee: The slate of officers for 1999-2000 was discussed. On a motion by Kate Mulder, seconded by Margaret Munson, the chapter voted unanimously to accept the slate of officers as presented.

NEW BUSINESS:

There was no new business.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

We are sorry to hear that Brenda O'Neall Smith will be moving to Colorado in the fall. Thank you Brenda for all of your contributions to our chapter. You will be missed.

ADJOURNMENT: On motion made by Kathy Strum and seconded by Brenda O'Neall Smith, motion carried unanimously that the meeting be adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted

Cindy Sippel, Secretary

**Slate of Officers
1999-2000**

President	Beverly Wandling
Vice-President	Jan Duffy
Secretary	Karen Jacobson
Treasurer	Marti Landers
Immediate Past President	Sherri Martin
Program	Kate Mulder Sue Ravenscroft
Membership	Kathy Strum
Bulletin	Cindy Sippel
Scholarship	Marti Landers Margaret Munson Cindy Sippel – chair

ASWA Conference Dates

Prairie States

Springfield, MO

June 12-13, 1999

Early Bird Registration due May 20 \$85.00 for ASWA members

Regular Registration \$100.00 for ASWA members

Website: www.orion.org/~aswa

For more info contact Emily Dake Inman 417-861-1167

59th Annual National Conference

Seattle, Washington

October 28-30, 1999

Registration Fees

Before September 15 \$395 for ASWA members

After September 25 and Onsite \$495 for ASWA members

Please review the following list, give me additions and corrections. I will update and send it out with each bulletin.

Membership List for Ames Chapter

<u>Name & Address</u>	<u>Home Phone</u>	<u>Work Phone</u>	<u>E-mail</u>
Allen, Jill; 986 222th Dr, Ogden, Ia 50212		233-4060	
Campbell, Nancy; 3630 Fletcher, Ames, Iowa 50010	232-1173	239-6456	ncampbell@sauer.com campbell@ames.net
Doran, Mike;			
Duffy, Jan; 2935 Eisenhower, Ames, Iowa 50010	232-2213	294-1481	jduffy@iastate.edu duffy.michael@mcleodusa.net
Jacobson,Karen; 107 Lafayette Ave, Story City, Ia 50248	733-2660	733-4325	jguncr2@storycity.net
Landers, Marti; 3310 N.E. Briarwood Dr Ankeny, Ia 50021	965-8142	292-2000	blanders@dmreg.infi.net
Martin, Sherri; 404 I Ave Nevada, Ia 50201	382-3824		
Munson, Margaret; 1314 Grand Ave Ames, Iowa 50010	232-9950	281-7716	mmunson@max.state.ia.us dmunson@ames.net
Mulder,Kate; 1355 S. K Ave. Nevada, Ia 50201	382-6426	382-6596	cmulder@nev.hfmgt.com kmulder@nevia.net
O'Neall-Smith, Brenda; 606 Timberline Huxley, Ia 50124	597-3176	292-0140	oneall@isupress.edu mooncat@pcpartner.net
Peterson, Becky; 3314 Hoover Ames, Iowa 50010	232-3620	232-3188	bbizniz@aol.com
Samson, Theresa; 206 Sandburg Crt Ames, Ia 50014	292-1442	294-6598	tsamson@iastate.edu
Sippel, Cindy; 1232 20 th St. Ames, Ia 50010	232-6939	248-8086	sippel.cynthia@principal.com ricksippel@aol.com
Strum, Kathy; Hertz Associates Ltd Nevada, IA 50201	382-4853	382-6596	kstrum@nevia.net
Wandling, Beverly; Wandling Engineering 923 2 nd , Ames, Ia 50010	292-8722	232-0158	mcollins@wandling.com