



December 2020

Ames Chapter #158

# THE SPOKESWOMAN

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## **MISSION STATEMENT**

The mission of the Accounting & Financial Women's Alliance is to enable women in all accounting and finance fields to achieve their full potential and to contribute to their profession.

## **MEETING INFORMATION**

### **Ames AFWA Holiday Party**

Date: Tuesday, December 8, 2020

Time: Starts at 6 p.m.

Location: Virtual Meeting via Zoom

We will be holding a virtual holiday celebration this year starting at 6:00 PM and lasting as long as members would like to chat. Please grab your favorite drink and snack and join us for some much needed social time! Meeting

link: <https://iastate.zoom.us/j/95205660812>

## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

The holiday season is upon us. We had a nice Thanksgiving within our bubble and had a virtual Thanksgiving with the Munsons on Friday. While we missed getting together in person, it was good to have a chance to interact on-line. We are very thankful for technology.

Our December chapter get-together will be virtual, on December 8. This year, we need to have a one item business meeting – to

vote on our dues for the 2021-2022 chapter year. We had a great general discussion last month and I was so interested in that, that I forgot to have us discuss and vote on actual dues for next year.

Our dues for 2020-2021 are as follows: (a) \$20.00 per regular member, affiliate member, and associate member; (b) \$5.00 per student member and retired member; and (c) \$0.00 per emeritus member. We currently have 17 regular members and 3 retired members. Historically, our dues have almost always been \$20.50 or \$20 for regular members. What amounts shall we set for each of the six membership categories for 2021-2022?

I'm looking forward to a time for all of us to enjoy each other's company for our 2020 holiday party after our quick business meeting.

See you December 8 at 6 pm.

Stay safe,  
Margaret

P.S. Our next meeting will be in February 2021.



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### AMES AFWA VIRTUAL NETWORKING SCHEDULE

At least until the end of the year, a virtual networking event is scheduled at noon once a month, normally during the last week of the month. The events will last 40 minutes and be Zoom calls. An evite will be sent and you will need to respond to the Evite by 5 p.m. the day before to get the invitation. The time will be 12-12:40. The scheduled date is listed below. Hope you can join!

Monday, December 21<sup>st</sup>

### DECEMBER MEETING AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Quorum (30%)
3. New Business
  - a. 2021-2022 Chapter Dues
4. Announcements
5. Adjournment

### 2020-2021 OFFICERS

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## QUOTE OF THE MONTH

“December being the last month of the year, cannot help but make us think of what is to come.” *Fennel Hudson*

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