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ANNUAL GOLF OUTING
The Annual Golf Outing has unfortunately been cancelled due to COVID-19 situation. We look forward to a great event next year!
HAVE A GREAT SUMMER & STAY SAFE!

ACCOUNTANTS IN INDUSTRY
Please note that all Accountants in Industry CPE Events have been cancelled due to the present Coronavirus situation. We will return in September!
STAY TUNED!

ESTATE, TAX & FINANCIAL PLANNING TAX CONFERENCE
In light of the present COVID-19 (coronavirus) situation, we have decided to postpone our annual Estate, Tax and Financial Planning Conference from June until Monday, October 19, 2020. With the election pending and possible estate and gift tax changes on the horizon, the timing of the Conference may be advantageous to help with year-end planning for our clients.
Westchester Chapter Scholarship Winners Announcement:

The Westchester Chapter offers deserving High School Seniors, who have committed to enter the accounting profession and pursue accounting as a major in college, a chance to win a scholarship of up to $1,000.00. Applicants from Westchester High Schools, public and private, are selected for the scholarship based on GPA, extracurricular activities, an essay, recommendation letters and timely submission of the information.

2020 Westchester Chapter High School Scholarship Award Winners:

Sofia Chaves-Caetano – Eastchester High School
Sydney Gallo – Eastchester High School
Christina DiLiberti – Maria Regina High School
Elaine Musa – Rye Neck High School
Stephanie DeLuca – Walter Panas High School
Robert Ennis – Walter Panas High School
Need help with a tax issue? Have a tax issue you’d like to share with your colleagues? Then,

JOIN US AT THE TAX COMMITTEE MONTHLY MEETING!

When: 1st Wednesday of each month

Where: Prager Metis CPAs, LLC
800 Westchester Ave, Room N-400
Rye Brook, NY 10573
(Due to the Coronavirus situation in-person meetings have been suspended)

Time: 8 a.m. - 9:00 a.m.

If you cannot make it in-person, you could also conference in by phone!

Call in #: 800-501-8979
Access Code: 2589247

For more information please contact:
Greg Re - gre@mdcocpa.com or 203-327-7151,
or John Brant - jbrant@pkfod.com or 914-341-7626
Chapter Committees and Major Events Planning 2019-2020

The Westchester Chapter has organized the following committees for the 2019-2020 fiscal year. Active committee service and participation is one of the most important ways you can contribute to the profession. Please take a few minutes to review the committees listed below, and contact the Chair/Co-Chair about becoming a member for any that spark your interest. It is never too late!

We need your support and participation!!!

** ACCOUNTANTS IN INDUSTRY - A forum for NYSSCPA members who are senior financial executives in industry (CFO’s, Controllers, VP’s of Finance), to meet and exchange ideas and knowledge. Monthly informal hour-long breakfast sessions (3rd Wed).

Deborah Rubin, Co-Chair, (212) 935-4400, drubin@lepatner.com
Michael Herz, Co-Chair, (203) 731-1577, michaelhherz@gmail.com

** ACCOUNTING CAREERS - Make presentations to high school and college students; coordinate summer COAP Program; Administer Chapter's high school scholarship program.

Gina Riga, Chair, (914) 646-4674, ginarigacpa@optonline.net

** ACCOUNTING & AUDITING PRINCIPLES - Primary focus is to discuss current accounting and auditing topics, conduct future CPA seminars and involvement in community and profession-related activities.

Ed Wells, Chair, (914) 345-5888 x110, ewells@pscpafirm.com

** COAP COMMITTEE - Coordinate the COAP (Career Opportunities in the Accounting Profession) Program, a week long training program that takes place during the summer targeted to minority students interested in the Accounting profession.

Tameka Walters, Co-Chair, tamekacwalters@yahoo.com
Franklin Asante, Co-Chair, (914) 606-6791, Franklin.Asante@sunywcc.edu

** DIVERSITY & INCLUSION COMMITTEE - Create chapter programming to ensure that the profession is positioned to attract aspiring professionals of all types, regardless of race, gender, sexual orientation, religion, disability status or any other aspect of diversity.

Tameka Walters, Co-Chair, tamekacwalters@yahoo.com
Gwendolyn Horn, Co-Chair, (914) 341-7092, ghorn@pkfod.com

** ESTATE AND FINANCIAL PLANNING - One of the chapter’s most active committees. Annual conference, quarterly presentations and monthly breakfast discussion groups.

Robert Ecker, Co-Chair, (914) 273-0777, RLE@Ecker-Law.com
Howard Klein, Co-Chair (914) 949-2990, HKlein@citrincooperman.com

** GOLF OUTING - Help organize the annual outing. Major networking opportunity!

Jeffrey A. Schwartz, Co-Chair, (914) 286-6908, jschwartz@eba.nyc
Matt Katz, Co-Chair, (914) 949-2990, mkatz@citrincooperman.com

** GOVERNMENT RELATIONS - Coordinate activities with the State Society and legislators as well as the IRS. To enhance government relations within our local region.

Bernadette Schopfer, Chair, (914) 644-9247, bbs@mgroupusa.com

** PROFESSIONAL & COMMUNITY OUTREACH - Join a group of Business professionals. Coordinate events during the year to promote professional and community relations.

Howard Klein, Co-Chair (914) 949-2990, HKlein@citrincooperman.com

** ANNUAL RECRUITMENT EVENT - Coordinate annual event with local colleges, students and business people.

Ed Wells, Co-Chair, (914) 345-5888 x110, ewells@pscpafirm.com
Tameka Walters, Co-Chair, tamekacwalters@yahoo.com

** SPONSORSHIPS - Coordinate with institutions who might sponsor Chapter events.

Richard Terrano, Co-Chair, (212) 330-6085, rterrano@markspaneth.com
Robert Winton, Co-Chair, (914) 949-2990 x3326, rwinton@citrincooperman.com

** TAX - Coordinates 2 all-day tax conferences in the October/November and December months: the first on Small Business Taxes and the second on Individual Taxes. Committee also hosts monthly breakfast roundtable discussion/meetings.

Greg Re, Co-Chair, (203) 327-7151, gre@mdcocpa.com
John Brant, Co-Chair, (914) 341-7626, jbrant@pkfod.com

** YOUNG CPAs NextGen - Coordinate different events and outings during the year for Young CPAs.

Matt Katz, Co-Chair, (914) 949-2990, mkatz@citrincooperman.com
Greg Re, Co-Chair, (203) 327-7151, Gre@mdcocpa.com
**FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS 2019-2020**

(Board Meetings are generally the 3rd Thursday Morning of the month. Exceptions are noted)

**NEXT BOARD MEETING:**
07/23/2020 @ 8:00 a.m. - CONFERENCE CALL

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**HAPPY SUMMER!**
**STAY SAFE!**