

# in Transition newsletter

## HAPPY NEW YEAR - 2009

# Where's Donna now?

## January - 2009

Private client – Fri. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup>, Durango, CO Private Client - Mon. Jan. 26th<sup>th</sup>, Tulsa, OK

Creative Problem Solving - IAAP Jan 24, St. Louis, MO

## February - 2009

## Time Mgmt & Organizational Skills

Tues – Feb. 10, 2009 - St. Louis, MO Wed – Feb. 11, 2009 - Columbia, MO Thurs.- Feb. 12, 2009 - Springfield, MO

Safety and Conflict Management for Health Care Professionals

Fri. - Feb. 13th, 2009, Springfield, MO

#### March- 2009

# Time Mgmt & Organizational Skills

Mon – Mar 2nd, 2009 - Oklahoma City, OK Tues – Mar 3rd, 2009 – Tulsa, OK Wed – Mar 4<sup>th</sup>, 2009 - Wichita, KS Thurs- Mar 5<sup>th</sup>, 2009 - Overland Park, KS Fri – Mar 6<sup>th</sup>, 2009 - Clayton, MO

## April- 2009

## Administrative Assistants Conference

Tues – April 7, 2009 - Topeka , KS Wed.- April 8, 2009 - Kansas City , MO Thurs – April 9, 2009 - Columbia , MO Fri – April 10, 2009 - Clayton , MO

## How to be an Outstanding Communicator

Mon – April 20, 2009 – Wichita, KS Tues – April 21, 2009 - Topeka , KS Wed.- April 22, 2009 - Kansas City , MO Thurs – April 23, 2009 - Columbia , MO Fri – April 24, 2009 - Clayton , MO

## May - 2009

# Mgmt Skills for 1<sup>st</sup> Time Supervisors

Tues – May 5th, 2009 – Memphis, TN Wed.- May 6th, 2009 – Jonesboro, AR Thurs – May 7th, 2009 – Cape Girardeau Fri – May 8th, 2009 – St. Louis, MO

To attend one of these workshops call (888) 474-9528 or email donna@DonnaLBaylor.com

# "I'm Name dropping again." "Look what people are saying..."

"The program (ABC's Of Competent Coaching) was very strong. Donna did a great job of keeping our attention for 2-days straight. Good Job."

M. Maya
 ABA/CELELI

"I'd love to 'drop' yours!'

## Can you believe its 2009 already!

The month of January seems synonymous with the word "Recreation" We get another chance to reach for the stars, dream a dream, fix a problem, say a kind word, repair a relationship, be a better friend, parent, spouse, sibling, son or daughter, co-worker or employee. We set a new goal. We get a "do-over."

## Some thoughts as you set those 2009 goals:

#### 1. Don't make them.

Unless you really want to see a change in your life, don't start the year, month, week, or even the day, by doing something you plan to fail at. What are you saying to yourself?

## 2. Stop trying.

Don't say, "I'll TRY..." Take the word 'try' out of your vocabulary. Commit to accomplishing something instead of letting yourselves off the hook by saying, "At least I... tried." Stop giving yourself permission to fail. Remember the words of Jedi Master YODA, "Do or do not. There is no try."

#### 3. Don't ignore obstacles.

They aren't going to go away by ignoring them. Know - and acknowledge - that it may take sacrifice in some areas of you life. As Zig Ziegler says, "You can have anything you desire, you just can't have everything you desire." Be aware some goals work against others. (You can't be a 'successful rock star' without taking time away from home, friends and family.)

## 4. Don't forget to reward yourself.

Every hurdle, roadblock and obstacle that you work around, through or over – give yourself a pat on the back. Remember, to be your own best friend. Do something for you. Take an hour to relax, get a message, hug someone, take a walk, call a friend, etc. When we forget the little rewards along the road to achieving our goals, it is easy to become frustrated. That goal often loses it's luster if we begin to feel unappreciated.

## Happy 2009!

Make it a year of TRANSITION!!!

I wish you health – mental, physical and emotional
I wish you wealth – of friends, truth, insight, imagination and finances
I wish you happiness – include enough challenges to help you grow and make life interesting.

## Donna

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