

April 2009

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS

**May 14, 2009
Meeting**

1 Hour of CPE

Location:
Frankfort Plant Board
Clubhouse

Time: 11:30 am-1pm

Price:
\$10 Members
\$12 Non-Members
\$5 CPE (no lunch)

Visit the Website
<http://www.ckyaga.com/>



President's Message Lee Ann Watters

It's spring-time in the Bluegrass – or so I've been told. The snow that was pelting down on me yesterday causes me to question whether or not that's correct. However, I remain a believer and know that with the coming of spring there are many fresh, new things around the corner.

At our March Chapter Executive Committee meeting we elected a nominating committee, lead by President-Elect John Williams, to begin the task of filling our slate of officers for next year. John and his committee have completed this task in record time. The slate of officers for 2009-2010 will be announced next week. Many thanks go out to John and his committee for their efforts and to all those who have agreed to serve next year.

The National Professional Development Conference is just around the corner. This year's conference is being held June 21 – 24 at the New Orleans Marriott. AGA had scheduled the 2006 PDC to take place in New Orleans;

however, a little storm you may remember, Hurricane Katrina, caused those plans to change. This year will mark AGA's first return to New Orleans since Katrina and we are proud to be hosting this event in the renewed city. The planned program is exciting and includes speakers such as James Carville, Mary Matalin and Bobby Jindal.

Again this year, AGA is hosting the CGFM Review Course prior to the PDC. The course will be held June 18 – 19 with the exams being given June 20 – 21. The cost for the review course is \$249 and includes 18 hours of CPE credit and the opportunity to take the tests. Believe me, this is a real bargain!

AGA is currently sponsoring an on-line survey related to government financial issues. The survey includes financial reporting, dealing with tough financial times and top concerns of government financial professionals. Your opinion is needed and valued so please go to AGA's web page at www.agacgfm.org and participate in this survey.

Until next month.....

Chapter Meeting News and Notes

Community Service Update

By: Linda Hinton, CPA, CPM

Relay For Life

We raised \$40 at the March Basket drawing. Thanks to all those who purchased candy and were automatically entered into the drawing.

We will have **TWO** Easter Baskets as drawing prizes to raise funds for our Relay For Life Team at the April meeting. One basket contains a Wedding Dress Barbie and the other a Remote Control Car, as well as various candies!

Relay is the night of June 26-27, 2009 this year. Please join us in walking or make a tax-deductible donation (checks payable to the American Cancer Society). We will have a fundraiser at each meeting between March and June.

We will have a yard sale in May so please contact me if you have items you would like to donate. I'm willing to pick them up or collect them at the April or May meeting.

See you Thursday!

Charitable Donations

The Chapter Executive Committee voted to give Simon House and the American Cancer Society \$200 each during the January-March quarter.

Melissa Russell is the President of the Simon House Board of Directors. Simon House is a transitional living facility that houses women who are pregnant or have children under the age of 12 and are homeless. They can house six families at a time and stay for up to 2 years completely free while they are provided with programs that will hopefully give them the tools they need to live successful, independent lives.

From the Editor

All members are encouraged to submit articles for the newsletter. Members earn 1 member participation point per article used and 5 points per technical article. Submissions should be in Microsoft Word format and preferably 2 pages in length or less. Send submissions to sarah.feltus@auditor.ky.gov.

Conferences



Welcome to AGA's Professional Development Conference & Exposition

June 21-24, 2009

New Orleans Marriott, New Orleans, LA

No other conference brings together the caliber of leaders and decision-makers as AGA's Professional Development Conference & Exposition (PDC), now in its 58th year.

This year's PDC will attract more than 1,700 government finance professionals from all three levels of government to hear from the best minds in the profession at education sessions, in the Exhibit Hall and at daily social events.

At the PDC, you can hear from dynamic speakers, make new contacts, learn about the latest research, discover innovative management techniques and see the technological tools that can aid efficiently and improve effectiveness.

The PDC has long been considered a "must-do" training event, but there's still time to experience the music, culture and fine dining of New Orleans. [Click here to Register today!](#)

Central Kentucky Leadership Directory 2008-2009

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**Central Kentucky AGA
Treasurer's Report
Month Ended March 31, 2009**

Reconciled Cash Balance 2/28/08 \$ 9,779.16

Receipts:

March Program Revenue \$ 258.00

Total Receipts 258.00

Total Funds Available 10,037.16

Less: Expenses (750.05)

Cash Balance 3/31/09 \$ 9,287.11

Expenses:

Monthly Speaker Donations 25.00

Monthly Catering - March 255.00

Monthly Meeting Site Rental 50.00

Donation - Simon House 200.00

Donation - Relay for Life 200.00

Relay for Life Basket 20.05

Total Expenses \$ 750.05

General Fund Expenses \$ 750.05

**Change in Cash Balance
Month March 31, 2009**

Cash Balance - February 28, 2009 \$ 9,779.16

Program Revenues \$ 258.00
- 258.00

Expenses (750.05)

Net Income (Loss) (492.05)

Reconciled Cash Balance - March 31, 2009 \$ 9,287.11

Association of Government Accountants
 Central Kentucky Chapter
 CEC Meeting -
 Chili's
 March 11, 2009

Meeting Adjourned 12:10PM Motion Cindy Seconded Mary

January 2009 meeting minutes were approved Motion Phil Seconded Cindy

Agenda Items

		<u>Motioned</u>	<u>Seconded</u>
Treasurer's Report	No report		
NLC Report	Ed Ross received the William R Snodgrass Leadership Award. A new record was set with 800 people in attendance		
Regional PDC & SLM	John handed out information regarding the SLM. RVP's will be in charge		
Chapter Participation Points	Some members are doing better about achieving points.		
Nominating Committee	Nancy Beth, Amy and Mary agreed to be on the committee to recruit for leadership positions		
National Awards	Nominations are due by March 13, 2009. Cindy, Phil and Betty to be nominated.		
Education Update/2009 Speaker	All funds have been received for the fall PDC.		
Community Service	There will be a yard sale on May 15th for Relay for Life. 1Linda for Life team has already occurred. The chapter is to pay for the baskets. The chapter will give 5 \$200 donations to charities. There will be 2 given in March. One to Simon House and one to Relay for Life. Nancy Beth has agreed to work on the gift basket for the National PDC		Cindy