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You may know Greta Brand as 'the quit smoking lady' or 'the stress reduction lady' or the 'diabetes lady'. She is the owner of Greta S. Brand & Associates, Inc., the Wellness at work prevention people.

Greta started her career in health at Hopkins, ran the disease management and health education division at what is now known as CareFirst for over 16 years, and then in 2002 launched her own health education business.

She is a wife, mother and grandmother, and has enjoyed business success due to her relationships built with long -term and brand new customers. Does she enjoy working odd hours? Not always, but she does love her boss. :-)

# **CPWN's**

# Calendar of Networking Events



March 8, 2016

Networking Breakfast—8:00 a.m.—10:00 a.m. **Sponsor**: Greta Brand, Greta S. Brand & Associates, Inc. **Location**: Richlin Ballroom, 1700 Van Bibber Rd. Edgewood Members: \$25 / Nonmembers: \$40 / Walk-In Fee: \$10 (subject to availability)

# April 12, 2016

20th Anniversary Happy Hour—5:00-8:00 p.m. **Location**: Liberatore's Restaurant, 562 Baltimore Pike Bel Air, MD 21014 Liberatore's Bel Air will generously donate a portion of proceeds to CPWN for the Women's Giving Circle. Raffle tickets are available for the 1.01 carat oval fancy yellow diamond ring.

# April 27, 2016

CPWN 20th Anniversary Gala—6:00—9:30 p.m. **Speaker**: Jenna Bush Hager **Location**: Water's Edge Events Center, 4687 Millennium Dr. Belcamp, MD Tickets available now at cpwnet.org



Event Registrations Close on the Friday before the event at noon. Cancellation Policy: Please remember it is CPWN policy that change to an event registration must be made NO LATER THAN the Friday before an event. If you do not notify CPWN by this date, you will be responsible for the full registration fee.



Items for Member News can be submitted by the 15th of each month to Melissa Harbold at: melissa\_harbold@ml.com

# CPWN is growing every month! Please take a moment to meet our newest members!

**Julianne Daly** Employer: Forest Hill Home Child Care Position: Owner/Child Care Provider

**Nicole Ferrari** Employer: Long and Foster Inc., Self Position: Realtor, Owner and Chief Photographer

Cara Grimm

**Sherry Martin** 

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# **MEMBER ANNIVERSARIES**

**16 Years Deborah Williams 12 Years** Patricia Desiderio **10 Years** Wendy Lee **6 Years Stephanie Cassedy 5** Years Diane Marrapodi **4 Years** Ellen Bareford **3 Years** Monica Worrell, Tony "G" Giangiordano 2 Years Michelle Christman, Rebecca Larson, Kathy Casey 1 Year Christy Potter, Kelly Bitner, Carolyn Sweet, Lisa Fleming

# CPWN 20th Anniversary Update

April 27, 2016 at Water's Edge Events Center, 6:00PM – 9:30PM

# Featured Speaker:

Jenna Bush Hager, Author, Philanthropist, TV Personality, Magazine Editor

Tickets are on sale now! You can purchase online at: www.cpwnet.org. Tickets: \$125.00. Includes Hors d'oeurves, Wine and Beer, Seated Dinner, Dessert, Cordials, and Chocolate.

Raffle tickets are available now! Saxon's Diamond Centers is our Anniversary Celebration Sponsor. The Fancy Canary Yellow Diamond Ring (over 1 carat!) was unveiled at the November meeting. Raffle Tickets \$25.00 each. Only 500 will be sold.



THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT AND PARTICIPATION IN PURCHASING SPONSORSHIPS, RAFFLE TICKETS AND TICKETS TO THIS EVENT!

2016 will be an exciting year. CPWN is proud of its accomplishments. Building relationships-business and personal, mentoring, philanthropy, community participation, women assisting women in reaching their goals, we have become a force in Harford County. To commemorate the 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, pins will be distributed to members in good standing!

In honor of our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary in 2016, renewal memberships and new memberships will be reduced \$20 from \$95.00 to \$75.00.

Barbara Przybylski, Chairwoman



# When Women Gather, Magic Happens

April 27, 2016 6:00 PM – 9:30 PM

Water's Edge Events Center 4687 Millennium Drive, Belcamp, MD

*Featured Speaker:* 

# Jenna Bush Hager

Author, Philanthropist, TV Personality, Magazine Editor

Jenna Hager is a contributing correspondent on NBC's Today show and an editor-atlarge for Southern Living magazine.



She is also the author of The New York Times best seller Ana's Story: A Journey of Hope,

which she wrote after traveling to Latin America in 2006 as an intern with UNICEF. Ana's Story is based on the life of a 17-year-old single mother with HIV, who struggles to shield her child from the life she had of abuse and neglect. Hager remains involved with UNICEF and is currently the chair of its Next Generation initiative, which is dedicated to reducing childhood deaths around the world.

Hager holds a bachelor's degree in English from the University of Texas at Austin. She is also co-author of the children's book Read All About It!

Hager is the daughter of former U.S. President George W. Bush and First Lady Laura Bush. In 2008, she married Henry Hager.

# 20th Anniversary Sponsor Opportunities

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#### Anniversary Celebration Sponsor \$10,000 - Limited to one

Logo Placement in Media Promotion including Print Logo Placement on Save the Date Mailing Logo in Keepsake Event Program Back Cover Logo on Flat Screens throughout Waters Edge 8 tickets to Private Reception with Jenna Bush Hager 8 Personal Photos with Jenna Bush Hager 8 Tickets to sit down dinner Host to 2 special dinner guests Anniversary Celebration Sponsor

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#### Platinum Sponsor \$5,000

Logo Placement in Media Promotion including Print Logo Placement on Save the Date Mailing Logo in Keepsake Event Program inside Cover Logo on Flat Screens throughout Waters Edge 4 tickets to Private Reception with Jenna Bush Hager 4 Personal Photos with Jenna Bush Hager 4 Tickets to sit down dinner Host to 1 course of dinner with Jenna Bush Hager

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#### Valet Parking Sponsor \$3,000 - Limited to one

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#### **Emerald Sponsor \$2,500**

Logo Placement in Media Promotion Logo Placement on Save the Date Mailing Logo in Keepsake Event Program Logo on Flat Screens throughout Waters Edge 4 tickets to Private Reception with Jenna Bush Hager 4 Personal Photos with Jenna Bush Hager 4 Tickets to sit down dinner



#### Magic Supporter \$500

Logo Placement in Media Promotion Logo in Keepsake Event Program Logo on Flat Screens throughout Waters Edge



Logo in Keepsake Event Program Logo on Flat Screens throughout Waters Edge

> In-Kind sponsors will be honored At 50% of cash value

Sponsors subject to approval by Speaker

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# **Board of Directors**

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# **CPWN**

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# 2015-2016 CPWN Sponsorship Guidelines

# **Regular Monthly Meetings**

- Must be a member in good standing (annual dues paid, no outstanding invoices).
- Your sponsorship may be used to promote the business that employs you or that you own (in whole or in part) <u>and</u> that is the business you are registered with in CPWN's records.
- Sponsorships fee is \$150 (unless designated a special event) and includes 1 event registration (**please** do not register for the event, as your 1 event registration is done automatically).
- Sponsorship fee is to be paid in advance of the sponsored event.
- You need to provide a door prize.
- You have exclusive use of table tops to put marketing material, promotional items, etc. Please arrive early to distribute the material.
- You have **5** minutes to speak/present. Please do not go over this time limit.
- Sponsors are featured in CPWN's newsletter. Please provide us with 250-300 words about your company. Someone from the newsletter committee will contact you the month prior to the event.
- All sponsorships are subject to approval of the Board of Directors of CPWN.
- Sponsorship guidelines are subject to change by the Board of Directors of CPWN.
- All meeting locations, speakers, etc., are subject to change by the Board of Directors of CPWN.
- No co-sponsorships are available.

# Happy Hours

- Must be a member in good standing (annual dues paid, no outstanding invoices).
- Your sponsorship may be used to promote the business that employs you or that you own (in whole or in part) <u>and</u> that is the business you are registered with in CPWN's records.
- Sponsorships fee is \$50 and includes 1 event registration (**please** do not register for the event, as your 1 event registration is done automatically).
- Sponsorship fee is to be paid in advance of the sponsored event.
- You have exclusive use of table tops to put marketing material, promotional items, etc. Please arrive early to distribute the material. You may put up a banner advertising your business.
- You have 5 minutes to speak/present. Please do not go over this time limit.
- All sponsorships are subject to approval of the Board of Directors of CPWN.
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- All meeting locations, speakers, etc., are subject to change by the Board of Directors of CPWN.
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Contact: Lisa Fuller at Lisa.Fuller@insurewithfuller.com , to arrange your sponsorship. Sponsorships are offered on a first come-first served basis. CPWN Member Benefits

- Monthly meetings to network and promote your service or product.
- Advertising in our online membership directory with website and e-mail links.
- Varying meeting dates, times, and locations to meet your busy schedule.
- Topical speakers on issues pertaining to women and business.
- Opportunities for women to support and mentor each other in both business and personal aspects of our lives.
- Special events & Meeting Sponsorship
- A monthly newsletter with calendar of events, networking tips, member updates, and articles of interest

# **CPWN's Membership Policy**

- Membership with CPWN is by individual and not by company.
- It is not transferable.
- When a member leaves, transfers or changes employment, the member carries her membership to her new place of employment, or it may simply lapse.
- An unexpired membership is not transferred to the member's replacement at her prior employment.

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