



Lakeside Bank presents...

“Women Who Make a Difference”

Awards Celebration

5:30 to 6:30 PM

Registration & Networking

6:30 to 7:00 PM

Welcome Remarks

Raymond Spaeth, President, Lakeside Bank

Sister Sheila Lyne, President, Mercy Hospital

Presentation of Awards

Mary Bahr, President, MAB Advertising, Inc.

Introduced by Carla Agostinelli, Loan Officer, Lakeside Bank

Dorothy Flisk, Founder, Reach Out Community Center

Introduced by Don Benjamin, VP, Lakeside Bank

7:00 to 7:20 PM

Keynote Speaker

Emily Barr, President & General Manager, ABC7 Chicago

7:20 to 7:30 PM

Closing Remarks & Raffle Drawing

7:30 to 8:00 PM

Additional Networking

Wednesday, October 21, 2009

Harry Caray's

AWARD WINNERS

MARY BAHR



Mary Bahr is President and Creative Director of MAB Advertising Inc., an award-winning, WBENC-certified enterprise whose mission is nurture conversation and connections—to find customers, keep customers and build community. Recently celebrating its 10th anniversary, MAB is passionate about finding smarter, faster and better ways to connect with your customers—and provides a media-neutral approach to marketing communications, coupled with an actionable social media practice. MAB's client roster includes familiar names such as Bally Total Fitness, Barrie Pace, GNC, Kmart, Lettuce Entertain You Enterprises, Press Ganey, Sears, Roebuck and

Co., Science Chicago and more. Mary is passionate about helping women succeed and thrive, and serves as a mentor to aspiring entrepreneurs. Mary received an Entrepreneurial Achievement Award at the Network of Women Entrepreneurs' Annual Awards Breakfast and was honored at Saks Fifth Avenue annual "Biz-Over". Mary is also a devoted member of the WPO (Women Presidents' Organization), NAWBO and Chicago Foundation for Women. Mary also serves on the Leader Council of the Mercy Home and the Business School Advisory Board of Kendall College. She is a successful and sought after speaker on social media, appearing at many local and national events, most recently the 2009 NAWBO National Conference. A graduate of Smith College, Mary understands the value of the education provided by an all female institution, and actively supports the College through its national mentorship program, and serves on the Alumnae Board. Mary resides in Riverside, IL, and is married to Bernard Bahr, a prolific and successful international artist. They have one son, Alex, 18, a freshman studying architecture at Catholic University in DC.

DOROTHY FLISK



Dorothy Flisk is Founder of Reach Out Community Center—a place where youth of all walks of life around the Little Village neighborhood can enjoy free programming such as cooking, art, music, and dance. The seed of service was instilled upon her at an early age by family and friends, and through her education at Christ the King and Mother McCauley in Chicago. While attending Spring Hill College in Mobile, Alabama she became involved in, and eventually directed an after school program for special needs children in an impoverished area of Mobile. After College, she joined Americorps VISTA (domestic Peace Corps) in California, where she worked with the County Office of Education developing tutoring programs and writing grants. Upon completing her year of service, she started at The University of San Francisco, attaining a Masters of Art in Counseling Psychology emphasizing marriage, family, and child counseling. While managing A Better Chance School of California Autism Foundation, she taught children with autism and severe behavioral problems which enhanced her passion of working with youth. She then returned to Chicago to attain her Masters of Jurisprudence in Child and Family Law at Loyola University, which strengthened her knowledge to start her own non-profit. In addition to Reach Out, she is also a small business owner of Wishing Well Florist, and has several other business ventures with her father.

KEYNOTE SPEAKER & EMCEE

EMILY BARR



Emily L. Barr is the President and General Manager of ABC 7 Chicago (WLS-TV). She has held this position since April 1997. Under her leadership, ABC 7 has strengthened its dominance in the market; ABC 7 is the top-rated/most watched station in Chicago. Barr has positioned ABC 7 as the most technologically advanced television station in Chicago. The station moved into the new era of High Definition television in January 2007, becoming the first and only Chicago station to offer viewers a complete schedule of local news and programming in stunning HD television. Among other "firsts" Barr spearheaded, were the station's acquisition of the city's only HD helicopter, video podcasting and the extensive distribution of news, weather, traffic and information via handheld and wireless devices. ABC 7 has also expanded local coverage with its use of additional digital channels including a 24-hour digital news and weather channel. Barr is actively involved in the Chicago community and serves on multiple boards including Chicago Central Area Committee, Chicagoland Chamber of Commerce, Children's Memorial Hospital Foundation and the Greater Chicago Food Depository. Currently, Barr is the President of the Board of United Cerebral Palsy of Greater Chicago, and is the past Chairman of the Board for the Illinois Broadcasters Association and a current Vice Chair-TV for the IBA. She is also a member of the Economic Club, the Executive's Club and the Chicago Network. Barr has been honored for her civic involvement, and was appointed by Chicago Mayor Richard M. Daley to be on the State Street Commission. She currently is the State Street Commission's Vice Chair. A native of Haverhill, Mass., Barr is a graduate of Phillips Exeter Academy and holds a B.A. in Film Studies from Carleton College in Northfield, Minnesota. In 1986, she earned an M.B.A. from George Washington University in Washington, D.C. Barr is married to Scott M. Kane and has two daughters. They live in the Hyde Park neighborhood of Chicago.

LINDA YU

Linda Yu, one of Chicago's most respected and well-known broadcasters, co-anchors ABC 7's top rated 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. newscasts. She joined ABC 7 Chicago in 1984. In April, 2005, Yu was inducted into the prestigious "Silver Circle" of legendary Chicago broadcasters. Given by the Chicago/Midwest chapter of the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences, the Silver Circle award recognizes significant contributions to Chicago broadcasting. During her career in Chicago, Yu has earned five local Emmy awards. Most recently, she won an Emmy for her contributions to a primetime special, "Chicago's Road to China," exploring the Chicago connections to that fast growing Asian economy. She was also honored with an Emmy for her work examining the aftermath of 9/11. In 1987, she received the Emmy for Outstanding Achievement within a Regularly Scheduled News Program, Spot Coverage. In 1982, she won for her coverage of a construction accident in Chicago's loop, and in 1981, she received the Emmy for a special newscast on the assassination attempt on President Reagan. Yu serves on the board of the Juvenile Protective Association, and is the Advisory Board Chairperson for the Chinese American Service League. She is also a co-founder of the Chicago Chapter of the Asian-American Journalists Association. Yu graduated from the University of Southern California and resides in Chicago with her children.



ABOUT THE PARTNERS

LAKESIDE BANK: Established in 1966, Lakeside Bank is a community bank that reinvests 100% of its deposits back into the Chicago communities it serves, which has made these areas a better place for all who work and live here. We are vested not only in the communities, but also the people we serve. Here at Lakeside, we pride ourselves on long-term total customer relationships. The bank's financial success is due in large part to the long-tenure of our staff. Thirty of our 43 officers have been with Lakeside Bank for 10 or more years—15 of them are women. 16 of our officers have been with the bank for 20 or more years—9 of them are women! Where else can you find such dedicated loyalty? Lakeside Bank prides itself on not being a revolving door.

MERCY HOSPITAL: In 1852, at a site that today would be near Rush Street and the Chicago River, the Sisters of Mercy converted an old rooming house into Mercy Hospital, the first chartered hospital in Chicago. Eventually moving to its current location on Michigan between 25th and 26th Street, from Michigan Ave. to King Drive, Mercy today is part of a nation wide network of Mercy Healthcare facilities within reach of 75% of the American population, offering many centers of excellence. Mercy's Breast Care Center takes a comprehensive approach to women's health—physical, emotional, and spiritual. The center's seasoned team of radiologists, oncologists, and surgeons specialize in detecting breast cancer in the earliest stages, when it is most treatable. Visit www.mercy-chicago.org for more information.

Make A Difference Day is the most encompassing national day of helping others -- a celebration of neighbors helping neighbors. Created by USA WEEKEND Magazine, Make A Difference Day is an annual event that takes place on the fourth Saturday of every October. Millions have participated. For more information about Make a Difference Day, visit www.makeadifferenceday.com

Special thanks to the following for their contributions to our goody bags:



Congratulations to ALL of our Women Who Make a Difference Nominees:

Bernadette Anderson, The Speech Excel Center
Tracy Baim, Windy City Media Group
Herminia Barraza
Christine Chung Hurley, Horizon Contractors, Inc.
Sharyon Cosy, ABBA Church of Renewed Faith
Betty Davis
Esther Grimm, 3Arts
Kimberlie Jackson, Lawndale Christian Development Corporation
Kathryn Jones
Tara Mallen, Riverdell Theater Ensemble
Virginia Picken, Constrat, Ltd.
Lovona Scott
Sharon Scott
Brenda Swartz, Concordia Place



Board of Trade
141 S. Jackson Blvd
Chicago, IL 60604
312-435-5100

North Loop
55 W. Wacker Dr.
Chicago, IL 60601
312-435-5100

South Loop
2141 S. Indiana Ave.
Chicago, IL 60616
312-225-2300

Chinatown/Pilsen
2200 S. Archer Ave.
Chicago, IL 60616
312-567-1011

UIC/Near West
1055 W. Roosevelt Rd.
Chicago, IL 60608
312-789-3500

Lakeview/Lincoln Park
2800 N. Ashland Ave.
Chicago, IL 60657
312-789-3600