September 2013
President’s Message

The Chapter Year officially began with our Social Event in August. We kicked off the year with a visit to a Wingnuts baseball game. The Wingnuts won the game making them the Central Division Champions. It was a great night to enjoy an exciting game and the company of other IIA members and their families. Thank you to everyone who showed their support by attending the game!

This week we had our first meeting of the Chapter Year. Gordon Braun with Protiviti presented on the topic, Deliver Exceptional Value Through Auditing Social Media. It was a highly informative presentation with a lot of things to think about regarding social media. Even if your company does not have a presence on social media sites, there are still reviews you can be doing. The presentation will be made available in the Members Only section of the website, so keep an eye out for the slides.

Speaking of Social Media, the Wichita Chapter is currently working on developing our own social media site via Facebook. We are very excited about trying to get our foothold in the social media arena! We will send out an email when the Wichita Chapter IIA Facebook site is up and running.

If you couldn’t make it to our meeting this month, don’t worry. There are still training opportunities available for you through the Members-only webinar series for the month of September. The IIA hosts two complimentary Members-only Webinars every month. Take a look at what is coming up. It’s not too late to register:

- 17-September-2013 Members-only Webinar: Cybersecurity: The Effectiveness of Your Controls
- 8-October-2013 Members-only Webinar: Future of Internal Audit

Our next meeting will be on October 10, 2013 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at Emprise Bank. Reno Deschaine, Director of Certification Administration, with the Institute of Internal Auditors will be speaking on Certification Updates. It will be a great opportunity to learn about all of the IIA certifications and how they can help you in your career as an internal auditor. There will also be an opportunity after the meeting to discuss certification process with members who have passed the tests and obtained the certification. We also will have a member who took the CRMA during the delayed scoring period. You can ask us any questions you like, and we will do our best to share our experiences and study how-to’s that worked for us.

I hope to see you at our next meeting!

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