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Our mission is to provide resources for leadership, networking and advocacy to empower women to succeed personally and professionally.

A note from our President

Spring has sprung and so has our membership! I am so happy about how much our group has continued to grow and flourish! The women of Amarillo Business Women are truly amazing and I am so happy to see so much support between us all.

Thank you to everyone that has attended our events and sponsored our luncheons and socials.

Also, remember you can always bring a friend and you do not have to be a member to attend our socials or luncheons. We welcome everyone!

We have so many great events coming up this year and I look forward to seeing you all at our upcoming events!

Even though Christmas seems far away now, it will be here before we know it!

ABW will be volunteering at the Christmas Roundup for AMoA (Amarillo Museum of Art Alliance). If you would like to help, please contact me: cathy@amarillobusinesswomen.com

I hope you enjoy the springtime with your families and friends.

Amazing things happen when women help other women!

-your President, Cathy Schick

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Member Spotlight

Bernie Tapp

Loan Officer
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Where are you from? I am from Carlsbad, New Mexico. I come from a large family of 14 brothers & sisters.

What do you love most about Amarillo? I love the friendly people in Amarillo. I tell people that leave Amarillo, "You will be back."

What is one piece of advice that you appreciated receiving? Treat others the way you want to be treated. This includes returning a phone call.

Where is your ideal vacation locale? I love to vacation in Ruidoso, New Mexico. However, I want to take a vacation to Ireland.

If you could have lunch with anyone, who would it be? I would want to have lunch with my dad. I miss those special moments he would come and take me to coffee or lunch. I believe my dad was the smartest man that I knew. We were taught to work hard and do your best in whatever you do.

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Bernie Tapp, Loan Officer with First Bank & Trust for 18 years and a total of 32 years in Banking. I have 3 grown kids, 13 grandkids and 2 great grandkids. I'm very involved in the Community, member of Chamber of Commerce, Realtors Association, Secretary/Treasurer-BNI Group, Teach Women's Bible Study and various other positions at Journey Church.



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Member Spotlight

Nicky Dole

*Agency Owner
Nicky Dole Insurance Agency*

Where are you from? I am originally from New Mexico and grew up in small farming communities in which, everyone knew everyone. It is one of the reasons Amarillo drew me back to here.

What do you love most about Amarillo? I appreciate the sense of community and the support that everyone has for each other, especially for the children. I have traveled extensively in the US and Amarillo has always been one of my favorite places due to kindness and respect of the community that you just don't find everywhere anymore.

What is one piece of advice that you appreciated receiving? I take things very personally and was once told to "control what you can control and turn lose the rest". Being a perfectionist at heart, this is something that I have to remind myself often.

Where is your ideal vacation locale? Vacation is a new thing for me. We never go on vacation since we have so many activities that we do year-round. This is something we are looking to change as a family.

If you could have lunch with anyone, who would it be? This was a very challenging question for me. There are so many that I would like to go with but, I think it would be someone that needs to be able to go to lunch for whatever reason. Such as someone that needs a person to talk too, a shoulder to cry on or needs to go out to celebrate accomplishment.

I am an insurance agency owner here in the Amarillo Texas Area. We cover all of Texas and I am also licensed in New Mexico and Oklahoma. I made the choice to go into insurance to better help people navigate the complicated world of insurance and provide clients with the coverages that is right for them along with peace of mind. I want all of my clients to not only have good coverages but, to also make sure they understand what it all means for them in the event of a loss. Education for my clients is a key aspect of what we do. We offer Home, Auto, Life and Commercial insurance coverages.

When I am not in my office working with clients, I am typically outside with my family. When we are not busy at a barrel race or kids rodeo, you can generally find us at home taking care of all our animals. We raise Quarter Horses here in panhandle and are enjoying raising our daughter with a country lifestyle.

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Upcoming Events

April 4, 2023 11:30AM - 1:00PM	Luncheon - La Fiesta Grande
May 9, 2023 5:00 - 7:00 PM	Social - The Barfield
June 6, 2023 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM	Luncheon - Proffer Aesthetic Center
July 11, 2023 5:00 - 7:00 PM	Social- AMC Mortgage

**When
women support
each other,
incredible things
happen.**

SEND US

***your
photos***

We'd love to include your photos
from our luncheons and socials!

Send them to

cathy@amarillobusinesswomen.com
or post them on social media and tag
us! @amarillobusinesswomen

Christmas Party

December 7, 2022

We had a wonderful Christmas Luncheon held at the beautiful Amarillo Botanical Gardens.

Everyone enjoyed the fellowship and networking and a fun candle exchange!

Kendra Scott also had a pop-up shop with a portion of the proceeds going to ABW!



January Social

January 10, 2023

Trendz Boutique hosted a fabulous happy hour and shopping event!

If your business would like to be a sponsor for an upcoming social, contact Cathy Schick at cathy@amarillobusinesswomen.com.



Win a chance for a door prize from:



February Luncheon

Our February Luncheon was held at Fire Slice Pizza. We had a great turn out and the pizza & salad were delicious!!

Our Guest Speakers were also amazing:

Tracie Reilly- Randall County Assistant District Attorney Chair,
Amarillo Randall Potter Domestic Violence Coalition
Kathy Lopez- Owner- Little Bee's Playhouse

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Guest Speaker- Kathy Lopez- Owner- Little Bee's Playhouse



**Guest Speaker - Tracie Reilly
Domestic Violence Advocate**

March Social

March 7, 2023

Happy Hour hosted by Kashmir Salon. A fabulous evening of networking, socializing and door prizes was had by all!

If your business would like to be a sponsor for an upcoming social, contact Cathy Schick at cathy@amarillobusinesswomen.com.



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International Women's Day

March 8, 2023

Kendra Scott hosted a Shop for Good event to celebrate International Women's Day with 20% of proceeds supporting Amarillo Business Women!



Mom Prom- Benefitting Amarillo Angels

April 1, 2023

Mom Prom was an amazing event that benefitted Amarillo Angels!
A great time was had by all dancing the night away and supporting an
amazing organization!



You're Invited



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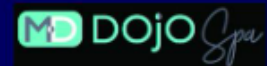
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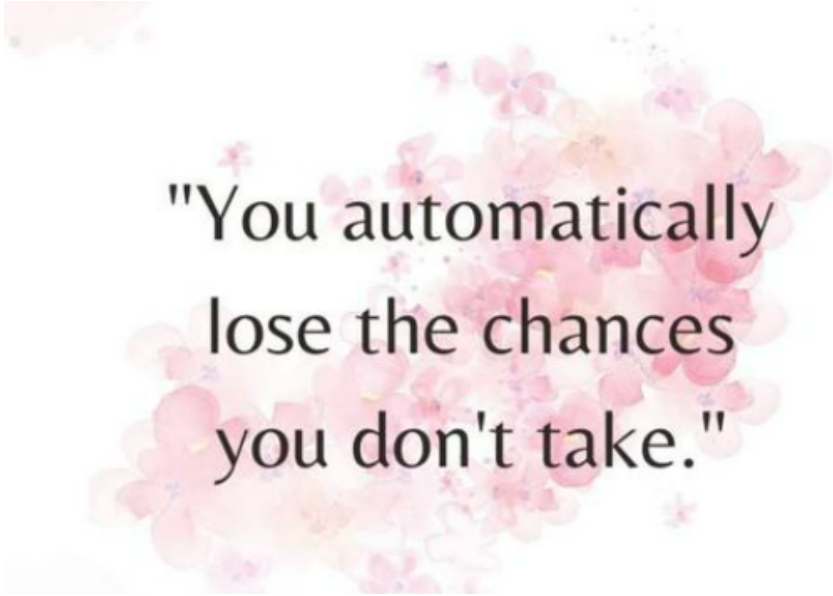
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