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President's letter:

We're heading into summer but that's not stopping us from having meetings on substantive issues and making significant progress on our important projects.

June's meeting is Tuesday, June 23rd. at 6 pm at The Big Fat Fish Company in Fairhaven. Please RSVP to Barbara Sanford's evite when it arrives.

Annette Booth and Patricia Campbell are co-chairs for the October banquet for the 26th Annual Professional Woman of the Year banquet to be held Tuesday evening, October 21st at the Bellingham Golf and Country Club.

Patricia Campbell, Cindy Grass, and Barbara Sanford are wrapping up the scholarships project and should have the finalists selected and attending our June or July meeting. We'll get a chance to meet these wonderful young women and see what a difference all your hard work can make in someone's life.

Diana Banister moved to Ohio. Her email is the same (lovinarbonne@comcast.net) so feel free to drop her a note as she Settles into her totally new life. I'm sure she would appreciate hearing from us.

Looking forward to seeing you next Tuesday, June 23rd.

Regards,

Evelyn Turner
President, WWIB

Next newsletter deadline is July 15th.
Please email your article to Becky
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SCHOLARSHIPS

We have reviewed nearly 50 applications, all of them outstanding candidates. Through much scrutiny we have narrowed it down to 10 finalists. All of whom are very deserving and with whom it would make a difference to receive this scholarship. All 10 of the finalists have been interviewed, 8 in person, 2 by phone interview. Due to the extreme difficulty we are having making a final cut we are considering giving all of these excellent women some portion of the funds based on need. (Cindy's treasurer's report was, we have \$10,000.00 to work with. This will still leave \$4000.00 in the bank to go towards lift off of the banquet and our other expenses).

The next step is to make the final decision on how much and who exactly to disperse the money to, which will happen in the next week. We are extending an invitation to a few of these woman to attend out dinner meeting this month.

Patricia

Banquet Update

Patricia Writes:

As far as the banquet goes, all of the chair positions have been filled. Each chair person is on schedule with their portion of the project. The nominating forms are nearly ready for approval which Annie and Diane are working on. They are in process with the criteria for member of the year.

The decision has made made as to what to charge for the price of the banquet is \$50.00.

Upcoming Meetings

NEXT MEETING!!!:

On June 24, three WWIB members will be chosen in a drawing to participate in a Member Speak session. This is a great opportunity to let others know about those businesses that are dear to our hearts...our own! Don't forget to RSVP on the evite, it is always nice to bring a guest that you feel would be an excellent addition to our group. If you did not get an evite, contact Barbara Sanford: Work: 527-2641 sanford@launchingsuccess.org

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| July 22 | Kelly Lewis, owner of Allied Human Resources Consulting will come to talk about issues in HR. |
| August 26 | We'll gather out at member Becky Raney's home for a picnic. |
| September 23 | Julie Clarke, a professional organizer and business owner as well, helps us with "Organizing Your Office at Work and at Home". |