



May 2024

May Membership Meeting

Retirement and Beyond

Our May luncheon is focused on your future through retirement planning and beyond! Our speakers are:

Jessica Engel, a seasoned Financial Advisor with Edward Jones, bringing invaluable insights and expertise to guide us through the complexities of retirement planning.

Carol Havens, an accomplished Author, COO, and Non-profit Consultant from the Jim & Carol Havens Family Foundation, sharing her wealth of knowledge to help us pave the way for other considerations for yourself or as a caretaker.

Lindsay Charles, an Elder Law Attorney at Sheets, Charles and Charles, sharing the top things you should know about elder law.

Don't miss out on this opportunity to gain valuable insights and connect with other incredible women in our community.

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May 22, 2024

11:30 am Sign in and networking

12:00 Lunch and Meeting

Evansville Country Club

Deadline to register is Friday, May 17th by 2 pm

****Guest Cancellations after the deadline are still payable in full.**

MENU:

Regular: Teriyaki Rice Bowl

Gluten: House Salad with Chicken

Veggie: Teriyaki Rice Bowl

Dessert: Pineapple Upside Down Trifle

[Register now!](#)

President's Letter



May is a busy time for all of us as we transition to warmer summer months and daily bouts of sunshine. May is also the month that we

honor our seniors through acknowledgment of National Older Americans Month and National Elder Law Month.

Following the Great Depression and subsequent wars, it was apparent that social services were severely lacking for one of our most vulnerable populations, our senior citizens. The Social Security Act passed in 1935, but the need remained for additional services for our seniors. In 1963, President Kennedy established May as Senior Citizens Month. On July 14, 1965, President Johnson signed into law the Older Americans Act, which provided social services for seniors to help them live independently in their communities and have access to health care. Additional resources included transportation, nutrition

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ANEW's Mission Statement

ANEW's purpose is to assist the advancement of women in business, industry, and professions, in order to foster a favorable climate for women entrepreneurs, and to encourage women to assume greater leadership roles in the business community. Members are encouraged to actively contact other ANEW members as resources regarding job fields, requirements needed to enter those fields, and to seek knowledge on a career change or advancement. Members are encouraged to do business with each other.

Testimonials for ANEW members:

"I had the pleasure to meet with Jackie Russell for lunch recently. It was so good to know about the articles she has written. Her knowledge of financial needs especially for women are so helpful. It was truly enjoyable to share about our businesses and find ways to make introductions to others that may benefit from our services.

-Alohana Jackson
Healthy Living Choices

Membership in *ANEW*

If you know someone that would

programs (“Meals on Wheels”), Aging and Disability Resource Centers (“ADRC’s” like SWIRCA), long-term care ombudsmen (like “VOICES Inc.” locally), elder abuse prevention, and many additional programs and resources. The Older Americans Act also established the Administration on Aging. On July 30, 1965, President Johnson signed Medicare into law which went into effect in 1966. In 1980, President Carter changed the name to Older Americans Month. Congress has continued to reauthorize funding for these programs and each President has annually acknowledged this month since its inception.

The need for legal services focused on the senior citizen population continued to grow and in 1987, The National Academy of Elder Law Attorneys (“NAELA”) was founded. There are chapters in each state and over 4,500 attorney members nationally who practice elder law. There are nearly 20 categories that fall under the elder law umbrella, but each elder law practice has its own niche. Many focus on estate planning, special needs planning, nursing home Medicaid planning, and probate and trust administration.

Please plan to attend our May membership meeting to hear more about various aspects of retirement. Jessica Engel will address financial needs, Carol Havens will discuss planning ahead, and I will address a few elder law hot topics. Guests are also appreciated at our meeting. There is a \$25 guest fee due at check in. Please bring at least one potential new member with you.

Respectfully yours,
Lindsay Charles

ANEW **2024 Board of Directors**

President: Lindsay Charles

benefit from membership in **ANEW** - *A Network of Evansville Women*, please bring them as a guest to our May Membership Meeting. *Click the link below for our new on-line application for membership!*

2024 Membership
Application

Member Profiles



5 Things you didn't know about Robyn Tucker:

1. The wisdom of focusing on what we can control is invaluable. It's a powerful mindset that helps us navigate life's challenges both personally and professionally with resilience and clarity.
2. My personal greatest achievement has been watching the growth and personal development of my three daughters. Seeing them excel in various aspects of their lives fills me with immense pride and joy. Its incredibly rewarding to watch them overcome challenges, pursue their passions, and become strong, independent young women.
3. My greatest professional achievement all leads to where I am today. I am incredibly grateful to be in a role that I love and am passionate about. Every day, I

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If your organization has a job opening, ANEW can help promote your opening and list it on our ANEW website.

Mentoring Program with ANEW

The ANEW Mentoring Program exists to create a more diverse organization and broaden our reach to more professional women.

The main objective of the Mentoring Membership program is to promote growth of ANEW by investing in the next generation of our community leaders while mentoring and inspiring their leadership potential. You can learn more on our website, and feel free to invite guests each month who would benefit from our wonderful network of professionals.

have the opportunity to have an impact and contribute to my clients' homeownership dreams.

4. My dream vacation would be exploring Italy's breathtaking views from a private yacht.
 5. To me, ANEW represents the opportunity to build trusted referral partners, support women and empower them in professional relationships. By fostering a network of strong collaborations, we can create a supportive environment where women can thrive and succeed.
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June Membership Meeting

Technology

June 26, 2024

Evansville Country Club

11:30 am

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Advertising with ANEW!

A Featured Advertiser is still needed for the August meeting and a Monthly Advertiser is needed for the November meeting. If you are interested, please contact [Angie Hargett](#). In addition to yearly recognition in our monthly newsletter and the website, the Featured advertiser allows 5 minutes of fame at the podium and distributing advertising materials to the tables.

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 - The deadline for registering for all meetings is the Friday before the meeting at 2 pm. This allows time to calculate attendance and notify ECC with reservation numbers.
 - Please join in on after-hours networking on the [ANEW Facebook](#) page.



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