

Hopkinsville Young Professionals

Lead, Network, Develop.....

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A Note From the President



**BJ
Cayce,
President
HYP**

As HYP moves into 2011, I look forward to serving as its President. HYP is a wonderful organization that has done so many wonderful things for our community and the people that live in it. Events like the Derby Diva Rett Syndrome Gala and the Aaron McNeil House "Aiming to Assist" skeet shoot are just two great

examples of the good that our group does.

In addition to fundraising, one of HYP's major goals is to attract and retain "young professionals" and build a strong network of future leaders for Hopkinsville. HYP and its events offer a wonderful opportunity to get involved, meet new friends, and strengthen relationships with others all while having a great time.

As you'll see in the newsletter below, there are lots of things happening with HYP. Our new electronic newsletter is new tool we'll be using to keep everyone better informed about HYP happenings. I know every-

one is extremely busy and finding time to become involved with groups like HYP is hard. I understand completely, that's why HYP isn't the type of organization that involves meeting after meeting. It's a group that requires a minimum amount of time but produces great results.

Thanks to each of you for being a part of HYP, and if you know someone that you think would be interested in becoming a member, please forward this newsletter on.

See you all at the HYP Christmas Party!

Merry Christmas!

SAVE THE DATE

- HYP CHRISTMAS PARTY—DECEMBER 16, 6 PM TRIFECTA SOLUTIONS DOWNTOWN HOPKINSVILLE
- 3RD ANNUAL DERBY DIVA—APRIL 29, 2011 JAMES E BRUCE CONVENTION CENTER
- 2ND ANNUAL HOPKINSVILLE YOUNG PROFESSIONAL OF THE YEAR—APPLICATION PROCESS BEGINS APRIL 2011 CALL 885-9096 FOR MORE INFORMATION



Meet Your HYP 2011 Officers

Left to Right: (Name, Hometown, Office, Employer)
James Adams, Hopkinsville, VP, Attorney, Thomas and Arvin

Jeremy Stevenson, Herndon, PR/Marketing, Hopkinsville/Christian County Chamber of Commerce
BJ Cayce, Hopkinsville, President, Cayce Mill Supply
Thomas Manco, Bowling Green, Treasurer, Planter's Bank

Audrey Manco, Paducah, Secretary, CCPS

Not pictured:

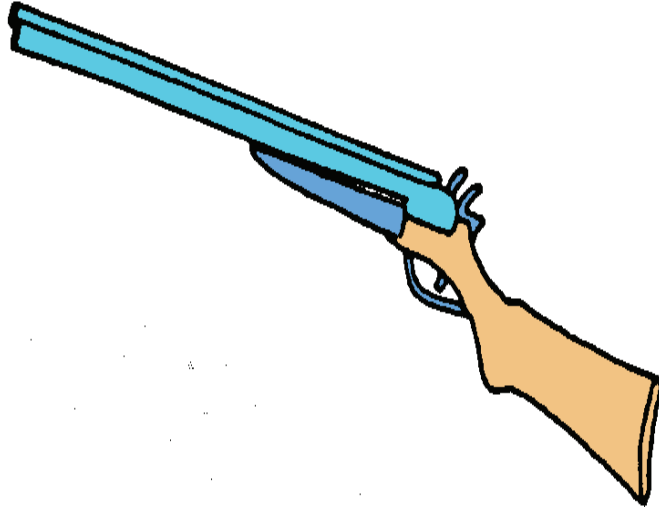
Matt Kem, Hopkinsville, Social Chair, The Benefits Group

Megan Kem, Henderson, Social Chair, CCPS

Aiming to Assist Aaron McNeil

On October 2, HYP pulled out all the “shots” to raise money for the Aaron McNeil House. HYP had the first-ever “Aiming to Assist” benefit trap shoot to provide funds for many of the programs that Aaron McNeil oversees on a daily basis. Aaron McNeil House is the oldest non-profit organization in Christian County and services hundreds of people a year. Aaron McNeil helps with things like food, mortgage/housing assistance, utility assistance, medication and workforce development.

Shooters could by a round of skeet for \$10 and test their skills. The day proved to be very successful and worthwhile for the Aaron McNeil House, as HYP was able to raise \$500 for this outstanding organization. Look for more exciting and fun events like Aiming to Assist in the future.



First Ever Hopkinsville Young Professional of the Year Announced

Brian Lacefield of Planter’s Bank was named the first-ever Hopkinsville Young Professional of the Year at June’s annual Hopkinsville Christian County Chamber of Commerce dinner. The award was given by HYP in conjunction with Christian County CARES 2015—A Community Vision Plan.

The award recognized a young professional who has demonstrated the highest moral character in their chosen field, but also has exhibited the highest dedication to civic and community service.

Applicants were nominated by co-workers and a panel chose the winner by reviewing applications and written essays. Join us all in congratulating the HYP of the Year—Brian Lacefield.



Hopkinsville Young Professionals 2010 Christmas Party

Hosted by: Trifecta Solutions
112 West 7th Street

Jeremy Stevenson: 270-885-9096

Date: December 16, 2010

Time: 6 PM

Special Thanks to HYP

Christmas Party Sponsors



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HYP NEEDS YOU!! If you or someone you know should be a member of HYP:

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