



Chapter News and Events



August 2009

Northwest Georgia Chapter

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President's Message

I would like to thank the members of the Northwest Georgia Chapter for the opportunity to serve as your chapter president for the upcoming year. The chapter officers have been busy planning the schedule for the upcoming year, and we hope to have topics that will be valuable and informative. Speakers for some meeting dates are not yet scheduled, so if you have an idea for a topic or a speaker, please contact one of the officers and let us know what or whom you would like to have.

Please notice that our meeting location has changed this year. We will be meeting in the Community Room at First Baptist Church. I anticipate that the Community Room at FBC will provide us with an environment which will be conducive to our meetings and delicious meals. The chapter officers have heard very good things about the Community Room, and we hope that all of you will enjoy it as our meeting venue this year.

Our speaker for the August meeting will be Robert (Bob) Prator, who is the chairman of the Georgia Society of CPAs for the 2009-2010 year. He will provide us information on the actions of the GSCPA at the state level. I look forward to seeing you there.

Alex Williams
2009-2010 Chapter President

Chapter Meeting Information

Please join the Northwest Georgia Chapter of the GSCPA for our August meeting:

Date: Thursday, August 20, 2009

Speaker: Robert L. Prator, CPA, GSCPA Chairman

Place: First Baptist Church Community Room

Directions: From I-75: Take Dalton Exit 333 and turn east (left when coming from Chattanooga, right when coming from Atlanta). Continue on Walnut Avenue until you reach the intersection of Walnut and Thornton Avenue. Turn left onto North Thornton Avenue and continue until you reach the intersection of North Thornton and Waugh Street. Turn left onto Waugh Street and right into the parking lot of First Baptist Church. The community room can be accessed through the Fellowship Hall entrance. **Time:** Lunch – 11:45 a.m. Speaker – 12 p.m.

Topic: Update from the Georgia Society of Certified Public Accountants

Cost: \$15 chapter members (No charge to students and guests)

Registration: Please contact Angela Reed by [email](#) (preferred) or at 706-278-2713 by 12 p.m. on Friday, August 14 to make your reservation. If you register by email, please type "Chapter Registration" in the subject line. Reservations not cancelled in advance will be billed.

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Upcoming GSCPA Events

[2009 Southeastern Accounting Show](#)

August 26-27, 2009
Georgia International Convention Center
College Park, GA

Chapter Meeting Schedule

August 20, 2009

September 17, 2009

October 15, 2009

November 19, 2009
Professional Night with
Thomas Cunningham

January 21, 2010

February 18, 2010

May 20, 2010
Scholarship Award

Chapter News

We still have an open date for a speaker. If you would like to recommend a speaker for a chapter meeting please email your suggestion to [Ryan Ertel](#).

Presentation

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