



# Chapter News



Southside Chapter

April 2008

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## President's Message

Dear Members,

I have invited Tammy Coleman- Jones, IRS Stakeholder Liaison back to speak to our group. Please join us at Glendalough Manor for dinner and a chance to catch up with colleagues after the busy season deadline.

The Southside Chapter is looking for new chapter officers (President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer) to serve during the 2008-2009 fiscal year. Serving as a Chapter Officer will allow you to enhance many skill sets: leadership, budgeting, time management, networking, research, speaking presentation, team building, etc. Please consider this great opportunity to give back to your profession.

Thanks,

Mario Heard  
Southside Chapter President

## Meeting Information

### April Meeting

**Date:** Tuesday, April 22, 2008

**Time:** 5:30 - 6:00 p.m. - Registration

6:00 - 6:45 p.m. - Dinner

6:45 - 7:45 p.m. - Program

**Speaker:** Tammy Coleman-Jones, Stakeholder Liaison, Internal Revenue Service

**Topic:** Navigating the IRS Website

**Cost:** \$25 with reservations and \$30 at the door, students \$10  
1 hour general CPE and dinner included

**Location:** [Glendalough Manor](#)

200 Glendalough Court

Tyrone, GA 30290

678-870-0068

### Directions to Glendalough Manor:

#### From Interstate 85

Take exit 61

Turn **LEFT** at the stoplight onto Highway 74, traveling South for 6.5 miles

At the 7th stoplight, turn **LEFT** onto Dogwood Trail

Take first **LEFT** onto Glendalough Court

#### From Peachtree City

Intersection Highway 74 & 54

Get on 74 north, and travel for 3 miles  
At the 3rd stoplight, turn **RIGHT** onto Dogwood Trail  
Take first **LEFT** onto Glendalough Court

#### **From Newnan**

Take 34 through Peachtree City, take a **LEFT** on Hwy 74, go about 3 miles on 74 N, take a **RIGHT** onto Dogwood Trail, take an immediate **LEFT** onto Glendalough Court, follow the road to the entrance of Glendalough Manor.  
OR

Take 85 N, Take exit 56 Palmetto/Tyrone, Take a **RIGHT** off the exit (Tyrone Rd.), Travel about 2 miles until you come to a stop sign, Go straight through the stop sign and cross over railroad tracks, At the stop light take a **RIGHT** onto Joel Cowen Pkwy (Hwy 74). Take a **LEFT** at the next Stop light (Dogwood Trail), take an immediate **LEFT** onto Glendalough Court.

RSVP to [Raelene Swordsma](#) at 404-733-3427 by **April 18, 2008**.

### **Chapter Officers for 2008-2009**

Currently we have the positions of President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer available for the next fiscal year. PLEASE help your Chapter by being a volunteer and serving in this capacity. See below for descriptions of each job:

#### **President**

Ensure Chapter is operating in compliance with chapter bylaws, coordinating chapter speakers/CPE, increase chapter membership and review contracts.

#### **Vice President**

Submitting CPE forms (speaker bio, speaker presentation, and attendance list to GSCPA office) and assisting President, Secretary and Treasurer.

#### **Secretary**

Drafting monthly newsletter, CPE programs, setting up monthly meeting registration tables, coordinating chapter speakers/CPE.

#### **Treasurer**

Handling all financial aspects of the chapter: drafting financial statements, perform bank reconciliations and submitting expense reimbursement paperwork to GSCPA office.

Serving as a chapter officer is a great way to learn more about the Georgia Society of CPAs, give back to the organization and increase self professional development and awareness of the profession.

All interested parties should email [Mario Heard](#) or [Raelene Swordsma](#). Please include your name and the position you would like to be considered for.

### **2007-2008 Chapter Officers**

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##### **President**

[Mario Heard](#)

##### **Secretary**

[Raelene Swordsma](#)

404-733-3427

##### **Treasurer**

[Tom Bailey](#)

770-885-3105

##### **Chapter Representative to Council**

[Paul Oddo](#)

770-461-7627