

PRA Newsletter

JUNE 2011

UPCOMING EVENTS

Dump The Pump!
Save money—ride transit
CityLink
Thursday, June 16th

Steamboat Classic
Peoria Riverfront
June 18th

Duryea Days
Peoria Heights Tower
Park
June 24th & 25th

Whitney's Walk for
Life,
Sat., July 30 at Jubilee State
College
Whitneyswalk.com

We have an opening on the PRA Board for a Communications Manager. If interested please contact a board member.

Letter From Our President

Dear PRA Members,

The PRA Board held its annual transition meeting this month. We welcomed new board members and presented exciting ideas for the next year. This year we welcome board members Katie Hertel, Vice President of Membership; Jamie Sanders and Meghan Lundeen, Vice Presidents of Programming; and Janet Ozuna, Member-at-Large. Jamie Cecil-Monari will continue her role as Treasurer, Carolina Erke will complete her 2-year term as Member-at-Large, and Mike Thurwanger will serve as Past President. I'd like to thank outgoing board members Meg Newell, Tracey Moushon, Emily Burke, and Rhonda Parker for all their hard work throughout the year.

The Communications Manager position is open to interested members. Communications Manager is responsible for the PRA website and monthly newsletter. If you would like more information about the Communications Manager position, please email mturner@peoriacounty.org.

As we take a break from the monthly luncheon meetings, the board is busy preparing membership forms and developing a program for next year. Membership forms will be available later this summer. When you renew your membership consider sending an extra membership form to a colleague. PRA offers many benefits to public relations professionals, share those benefits with your colleagues. At the July board meeting we will discuss program topics for next year. If you have suggestions or topics you would like to learn more about, please email pracentillinois@gmail.com.

I look forward to an exciting year,

Meghan Turner
PRA President 2011-2012

We Want To Hear From You!

As your PRA board prepares a fantastic slate of programming for next year we'd like to hear from our membership.

Please send any suggestions for speakers or programs for the coming year to pracentillinois@gmail.com