

REALNews from NOMAR

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Congratulations to Beth Cristina the 2009 CID “Service to the Industry” Award Winner

Beth Cristina was presented with CID's most prestigious award today at a luncheon today featuring U.S. Attorney, Jim Letten, as guest speaker. The Award is given annually to a REALTOR® member of CID who has served the Board, our members and the community, and has enhanced the commercial REALTOR® image. Thank you, Beth, for your many years of unselfish service!!!

Annual Administrators Seminar

We held our **Annual Administrators Seminar** this morning at NOMAR and it was a big success. With over 60 office administrators in attendance, it was a great opportunity for all of our NOMAR Staff to meet the people they talk to on a daily basis. Topics discussed:

- Continuing Education
- Metropolitan Association of REALTORS® Political Action Committee
- NOMAR and MLS Membership and Orientation Procedures, Terminations and Transfer
- NOMAR/GSREIN Annual dues billing and statement review
- On-Line dues payment procedures
- MLS Rules and Regulations
- MLS Property Disclosure Mandate
- MLS REO/Third Party field requirement
- Virtual Office Websites (VOW)
- NOMAR Awards Program
- New MLS statistical feature “Stats Pro”
- LREC Advertising Guidelines

These administrators left today with lots of information and tools to assist them in their day to day responsibilities. Thank you to all of you who attended. We appreciate you all for the fantastic job that you do!

NOMAR & GSREIN Election Meeting Friday, October 16th

Last chance voting and the announcement of the winners of the election for the 2010 Boards of Directors will take place at the October 16th meeting. Michael Hecht, President and CEO of GNO, Inc. is our guest speaker. Fabulous door prizes will be given away and there is an after party at Social City. Join us!

Click on link below

[Election Meeting](#)

<http://www.nomar.org/pdfs/Events/Election%20Flyer.pdf>

EVENTS

Upcoming Lake Area REALTORS® United Meeting

There will be a meeting of the LARU group on Wednesday, October 7th. This meeting will be at the Gulf Coast Bank on Harrison Avenue on the 2nd Floor.

Ruthie Frierson of the Citizens for One Greater New Orleans and Janice Lemle, candidate for Assessor, will be speakers at the meeting to discuss the upcoming Assessors' Race

WCR Hosts "Pretty in Pink"

Please join the WCR for an event benefitting breast cancer research on **Wednesday, Oct. 14th** from 6-10:00 p.m. at Southport Hall. Tickets are \$35 and include an open bar and buffet, plus live entertainment by "Yeah You Right". **Contact Joanne Schneller for tickets, 452-2622.**

NOMAR Affiliates Present Christmas In October!!!



The last REALTOR® Mixer will be at Copeland's Social City on Friday, **October 16th** from 5:00-7:00pm. We are asking all who attend to bring a gift for an ill patient at Children's Hospital. For more details click <http://www.nomar.org/pdfs/Events/CHRISTMAS%20IN%20OCTOBER.pdf>. If you cannot access this link, copy and paste the entire URL into your browser.

CCIM Symposium is November 6th

Great up to date commercial real estate information and forecasts, plus 4 hours of CE credit. For information and registration click <http://chapters.ccim.com/attachments/documents/public/088950181769.pdf>

Spirit of Giving Gala

The Prudential Gardner Mandeville office is hosting the *Spirit of Giving Gala* in honor of Deborah Macholl, a co-worker who is in need of a kidney transplant. The Gala will be **Saturday, November 21st from 7p.m.-11p.m. in Mandeville.** The purpose is to raise awareness on becoming an organ donor and to raise funds to cover medical expenses for Deborah. All proceeds go to the National Transplant Assistance Fund, a non profit 501(c)(301), in honor of Deborah Macholl. Tickets \$40 per person. Music by Bag of Donuts, silent auction, cash raffle, and food and drink are included. For tickets or sponsorship, call 985-674-8875 or email kidneyfund2009-gala@yahoo.com

EDUCATION

CRS 210 "Optimize Referral Opportunities in Any Market" October 5 & 6

(2 day course) 2 - CRS Units. Instructor: Ed Hatch. RAA Office Lafayette, Louisiana. *Registration Fee:* \$325. Email Kathy@RealtorAcadiana.com or call Kathy 337-233-0086 for additional information. [Click here](#) for Course Flyer.

CCIM CI 101 November 9-14 in New Orleans

click [HERE](#) for details and to register

NOMAR's CE Schedule

is emailed on Mondays. It is also posted weekly on www.nomar.org under "Education". Click here for the latest schedule <http://www.nomar.org/coned/2009/ceschedule.pdf> .

OTHER

Board Store Featured Item

Take One Flyer Box - \$21.75

NOMAR & GSREIN Board of Directors Election

To see the *Report of the Nominating Committee*, click

[http://www.nomar.org/2010%20Elections/2%20%20Report%20of%20Nominating%20Committee%20\(2\)%20\(2\).pdf](http://www.nomar.org/2010%20Elections/2%20%20Report%20of%20Nominating%20Committee%20(2)%20(2).pdf)

Candidate statements can be viewed at <http://www.nomar.org/2010%20Elections/2010%20Candidates.pdf>
Ballots will be mailed September 21-23.

Be a Part of Our Permanent History! The “Friends of NOMAR” House

Was created by a local artist and installed in the reception area of our new building. Your permanent advertising may display your name, company name, or may be a memorial in the name of a deceased member of our REALTOR® family. Information and offer prices on house components are on our home page at www.nomar.org.

Condolences

...to David Tastet of Dynamic Real Estate, Inc.and his family whose father Donald Tastet Sr. passed away on Tuesday September 29, 2009.

...to the family and friends of Shonda R. Lee, an agent with ABS Realty Group, Inc. in LaPlace, passed away last weekend.

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