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FROM THE EDITOR'S DESK

Amazing!

Amazing may not be a strong enough word to describe “Celebrate in ’08,” but since it is the way that Dennis Bloom described it in his closing remarks for the Saturday General Session, it is good enough for me. Those of us who have been around AmeriPlan for some time are in unanimous agreement that this was absolutely the best convention ever. The energy and enthusiasm were out of this world. The spirit and camaraderie were inspiring.

The feedback that we received from many of you indicated that you gained a great deal of knowledge from the workshops and learned numerous techniques on building your business from the General Sessions. The panel and panelists were extremely informative and the information communicated valuable. Special recognition should go to Jamie Jones and to Becky Blacka for the fine job that they did.

It is fortunate when an event has one memorable keynote speaker, but amazing when you have two of the quality of Jamie Clark and Jerry Clark. Jerry’s message of empowerment and that the control of your success is in your hands is very powerful. The tools that he offers to put on track for financial and personal success are the best there are.

What can one possibly say about the message that Jamie Clark delivered about perseverance and the power of the human spirit? And Jamie has to be the best story teller on the face of the planet, or Mt.Everest or even the most desolate of deserts. The entire audience travelled through each of his adventures with him as he painted these incredible word pictures to go along with some of the best photographs that you can imagine.

And did we ever have fun on Fun Night. The Motown theme brought out some of the most original and authentic outfits. The Magic Marvelous Four entertained for listening and dancing until everyone was just worn out. Dennis and Daniel Bloom got into the act so did so many others.

There were so many beaming faces crossing the stage during the convention, particularly at the Saturday Night Awards Dinner. New pin level recognition spotlighted those who have been promoted to a new level since last convention. AmeriPlan® Council of Eagles (ACE) winners were recognized and acknowledged. A new AmeriPlan® award was presented for the first time, and that was the Millionaires Club. There were twenty-one members inducted into the Charter Membership of this club that recognizes AmeriPlan® IBOs that have earned $1,000,000 or more during their AmeriPlan® career. A plaza is being placed in the corporate office lobby to recognize these ultimate achievers and each year the new members will be recognized.

A note of appreciation should be offered to those exhibitors, advertisers and sponsors who helped to support the tremendous effort that goes into presenting an event such as “Celebrate in ’08.” This goes to the IBOs who advertised in the program as well as the exhibitors that were

The official “Celebrate in ’08” goodie bag was such a big hit that we have decided to make it available for a limited time only. This beautiful and practical red and white canvas bag features the AmeriPlan logo in brilliant blue. It has a full zipper, and outside pocket as well as two sturdy handles to carry it with or to put over your shoulder.

Whether you want to use it to carry your AmeriPlan supplies or to go to the beach, it will enable you to get there in style and stand out in a crowd. With the AmeriPlan logo in full view, you will have people wanting to know who AmeriPlan is, and what a great opportunity that creates to tell your story.

These great bags are only available online at the AmeriPlan store and cannot be purchased with Bloom Bucks. Look for more information in IBO Support.
IN MEMORY

My Friend...  
Katie Roth  
November 1977 - April 29, 2008

~ An Incredible Woman That Will Be Missed ~

It all started back on May 14th of 2007... Katie Roth came into my life and into our amazing Freedom At Home Team. She was also 7 months pregnant with Jacob, her baby boy. I had never spoken with her before she enrolled, I just got up one morning and turned on my computer and there she was... I knew absolutely nothing about her... yet. I called her that day and we were good friends and team members from that day on. She was so pumped up and ready to go. She was my ACE?! She had so much excitement and spunk in her. She was so excited about business and just knew that it was going to work for her and her family. She wanted so badly to take the pressure off her husband Jake. He had to work so many hours to keep things going and they had another baby on the way. I knew she was flying to the top... she LOVED her business and really gave it her heart and soul. She knew what she had to do to get there and she went out and did it, enjoying every minute of it, and her family was behind her 100% !

But what made it really special was how we felt it off. From the first day she enrolled, we felt like we knew each other forever. We talked almost everyday and of course many emails throughout the day. She made me laugh and always kept me smiling. Even when I was down... she got me back up. Never thought about herself... always doing for others. "That is the kind of person Katie Roth was."

I did some reminiscing today... I went back to my first emails with Katie... she was a riot. I was even laughing today just reading them. We were always asking each other how our days were going and talked about everything going on in our day. Our Friendship was beginning...

As time went on, within a few months she became RSD and she was just so happy. Her team was growing and she just loved working with her team and I'm sure... making them laugh too! But there was another side of Katie, one that I really didn't find out about for a few months. There was more to her than lots of laughs and fun. I had asked her if she was going to be on some call one night and she said she couldn't because she was cooking for the homeless?! Kind of threw me off because I had never spoken with her before she enrolled and she had left behind two small children and she was just so saddened by that and she helped me get through that... she always said, "Why is it always the good people that die?" But she did help me through my grief, because she was so caring. She had lost her younger brother also a few years back so she knew what I was going through... but always there... never thought about herself. Even as sick as she was a few weeks ago, she wanted everyone to pray for Jake, her husband... not her, but Jake. And Jake, is an amazing man, they loved each other so much, they had the most incredible marriage. They had a big piece of property where they lived in California and everyday at 5am, while the kids were sleeping, they got up and jogged together for a while around their big yard and then did some quiet bible study before the kids got up. She had 3 little children to take care of and boy did she love those kids, along with their house, her husbands business, her business and the homeless... but she always found time, it was important to her. She had energy that I have never seen before in my life. She is truly an inspiration to me.

I miss her already. I have been missing her, we haven’t spoken in a long time. She had called me about 3 weeks ago, I wasn’t here and she left a message and I didn’t even recognize her voice. I cried. I never got to speak with her again.

Katie was NOT afraid of dying at all, but she didn’t want to leave her family; she knew that God had plans for her but she did the best she could to stay with her family... she gave a fight but that was NOT in the plans for Katie Roth. I know Katie is now out of pain and in an incredible place... but we still need to pray for her and her family. What a rough time they have ahead. I want to thank all of you for your kindness and prayers during all of this, everyone really stepped up and helped out, in anyway they could and that was so incredible to see.

Katie will always be my ACE and I will Never forget her... she will always be in my heart and I know someday we will meet again.

~ Kim Schilt

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We offer very special kudos to the National Vice Presidents for their involvement in making this a very special event. The coaches and cheerleaders were a wonderful touch and they really kept the spirit up for everyone during the entire convention. Let’s not forget everyone that was in attendance and who made the event what it was.

Last but definitely not least, an enormous hand for the entire staff of AmeriPlan® and the convention volunteers for their tireless efforts to assure that all in attendance had a perfect experience. To Dennis and Daniel Bloom the congratulations and heartfelt appreciation from everyone for their vision in making AmeriPlan® the wonderful organization that it is and to make these opportunities so very special.

Editors Note:
As you will see this is a special Convention issue of VISION. In order to bring you as much of the Convention excitement as possible, we are suspending several of our normal features until the next issue. Look for Testimonials, Support Our Troops, Featured Market, NVP Profile and Corporate Employee Profile in the next issue. Please keep sending your testimonials, human interest stories and troop recognition to editor@ameriplanusa.com.
Convention time is one of the most exciting events of the year for us at Corporate and we know that all who attended Celebrate '08 experienced one of our most exciting conventions. Every year many months are spent planning informative workshops and recognition of IBO leadership; engaging speakers who will take our IBOs to the next level of thinking; developing new marketing tools or products first seen and heard by the convention attendees; and creating a spectacular “fun” night to be enjoyed by all. While the Sales department and convention planning team is responsible for much of the convention content, the Provider Relations department also has a vested interest as a supporting team player and participates in various activities throughout the convention week. Thus, I am motivated to share my thoughts with you in this column about the excitement and knowledge IBOs took back home with them from this year’s convention.

Having participated in the very first AmeriPlan® convention in 1996, I have witnessed each successive year the increased value attendees derive from attending convention and this year was no different. Provider Relations is a bit selfish in our desire to have as many IBOs in attendance as possible, because we know our conference attendees:

~ return to their home markets better equipped to present AmeriPlan’s products. IBOs who attended this year’s convention received product knowledge and marketing techniques during workshops to help them successfully market AmeriPlan’s programs to potential members. The end result will be members who truly understand what they are buying and happy network providers who do not encounter problems due to uninformed or misinformed members.

~ are better prepared to educate their new IBOs, thus enhancing the success ratio. Many new IBOs become discouraged when they receive erroneous or minimal training from their up-line that hampers their success. Our convention workshops this year have armed the attendees with enhanced knowledge and skills they will relay to their new IBOs.

~ have an enlightened sense of how the Provider Relations department operates within the scope of AmeriPlan’s goals. The Provider Relations department has always utilized every opportunity to answer questions about our provider networks – how we recruit, contract and manage our growing proprietary networks. Managers from our department manned an exhibitor’s booth answering provider questions and receiving information from IBOs on certain areas that require network strengthening. Attendees had the unique opportunity to one-on-one contact with corporate employees enabling them to better assist us in the network development process and any issues that may arise with their members.

~ have a better understanding of how qualified IBOs fill a unique role as Provider Relations Representative. The real secret to the AmeriPlan® network is the tireless effort not only of the corporate staff, but the teams of qualified IBOs who have volunteered to be trained to recruit and contract network providers. Convention attendees had an opportunity to discuss the scope of this responsibility with attending Provider Relations Representatives and their Regional Directors who train and work with them on a daily basis.

~ return to with their down-lines with renewed motivation and energy. Why is this important to Provider Relations? When you have been the recipient of all the great things convention affords you, you are motivated to strongly encourage your IBOs to attend the next year’s convention. And the cycle goes on to educate and energize AmeriPlan’s IBOs for success.

So, to those who attended “Celebrate ‘08”, it was great seeing you and participating with you in the convention activities! And, for those who did not make it this year, we missed you and hope you are planning right now to attend next year’s convention.

DENTAL TIDBITS

Oral Health Top Priority?

Oral Health America in conjunction with Philips Sonicare completed a national survey in the US that found:

64% of adults believe that oral health is a top priority.

~ However, over 80% were unaware of the causes of tooth decay.

Tooth Mousse ~ What Next?

Researchers at the Cooperative Research Centre for Oral Health in Carlton, Victoria, Australia are developing Tooth Mousse Plus, which places high concentrations of fluoride on teeth.

www.crcoralhealthscience.org.au

For more information visit these websites:

www.oralhealthamerica.org
or www.sonicare.com

A Big Success for “Celebrate’08” ~ From the Provider Relation’s Perspective

Julia Baker
Senior Vice President
Provider Relations

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Join Countless IBOs Who Have Discovered this Simple, Powerful, Business Building “Secret Weapon!”

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A Special Invitation for NEW AmeriPlan® IBOs!

Take advantage of these special 6 month packages at www.opbspecialoffer.com:

The OurPerfectBusiness.com Basic System: plus toll-free prospecting number, 6 month bundle, normally costs $230.75
Special: Just $99 and 110 Dollars in Bloom Bucks.

The OurPerfectBusiness.com Executive System: plus an additional toll-free number, 6 month bundle, normally costs $435.75
Special: Just $199 and 200 Dollars in Bloom Bucks.

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AmeriPlan’s Prescription Drug Program just got better!

August 1, 2008 is the official rollover date for AmeriPlan’s new prescription drug program administered through HealthTrans. New members as of this date will receive membership cards with the HealthTrans logo. All other members will be able to continue using their current cards with a transparent transfer to HealthTrans.

If a member is presently using the Medco mail order program, they will receive a HealthTrans mail order form for submitting their prescriptions to the HealthTrans mail order service. Should a member have need of the mail order service in the future, they may call member service and a form will be sent to them.

Here is what you can expect with the new prescription program:

• 56,000 retail pharmacy locations nationwide
• 10% - 85% discount on most brand name and generic prescription drugs at the retail level and through mail order
• Online pricing available in the IBO back office and on the AmeriPlan® website

At Convention AmeriPlan® launched effective new tools designed to help IBOs market specific products to specific prospects. Each of the four types of AmeriPlan® “memberships” now has its own distinctive brochure! Whether it’s Dental Plus, Basic Health, Total Health or Total Health Plus, AmeriPlan® now offers a marketing tool to meet every consumer need. For those of you who enjoy the convenience of a single brochure for all products, AmeriPlan® continues to offer the easy-to-use “combo” brochure.

But that’s not all! AmeriPlan® has added the individual Dental Plus membership to its array of products. Priced at $14.95 per month, the popular individual Dental Plus membership provides exceptional value to those who want to personally save on dental, vision, prescription and chiropractic services, but don’t require the plan for their household.

Stock up now on these great marketing tools!

Five New Proprietary Medical Network States Emerge in the Month of May!

AmeriPlan Health® now has a total of twenty-nine (29) states, primarily in the major markets, utilizing the proprietary AmeriPlan Health® network. The BeechStreet network may still be utilized in a few rural zip codes in some states. Your continued support of sending in referrals will assist us in expanding our proprietary networks in all states.

Arkansas
Arizona
California
Colorado
Connecticut
Delaware
District of Columbia
Florida
Georgia
Hawaii
(Island of Oahu)
Illinois
Indiana
Kansas
Louisiana
Maine
Maryland
Michigan
Minnesota
Missouri
Nevada
New Jersey
New York
Ohio
Oklahoma
Oregon
Pennsylvania
Tennessee
Texas
Virginia
Washington

The winner of Primary Residential’s $50 American Express gift card drawing is Terry Graves from Fort Worth, Texas! Congratulations!
As we had expected when introducing the Trainer Option Program (TOP), new standards of success and income would be established, and so it is. Those AmeriPlan IBOs that have embraced the incredible dynamics of this up-front, here and now money machine are already reaping the rewards. The TOP moves the six-figure earnings plateau from three to four years to as little as twelve to eighteen months. You can see very significant immediate money through the three new sources of income:

1. Quick Start Bonus (QSB)
2. Membership Acquisition Bonus (MAB) and

These bonuses add considerably to the speed and volume of the earning capacity of the AmeriPlan business opportunity, while enhancing the current residual income earning potential. It is no secret that since its inception AmeriPlan has established itself as the most credible long-term residual income compensation model in the entire network marketing industry. All that one needs to do is to look at the incredible residual incomes that have been built over the years by some of AmeriPlan’s top earners. Six figure residual incomes are quite commonplace and seven figures have also been achieved. The essence of this residual income is that AmeriPlan members stay on the books year after year and the income keeps on building with new monies being piled on top of the old monies in a compounding fashion.

AmeriPlan Founder’s Dennis and Daniel Bloom have invested the past several years studying various ways to enhance the compensation plan without in any way disrupting the tried and proven formula for back-end residual income. Well, the time is now for a new complementary front-end compensation component to work hand-in-hand with the established residual compensation.

Make sure that you take every chance that is offered to you to participate in a TOP Training, TOP Webinar and to avail yourselves of the online resources that have been created to enable you to get into some serious money with TOP. Visit www.7corecommitments.com to tie in with a PowerPoint webinar presentation that will get you on track to make a difference. You will be doing yourself and all of those IBOs on your team a great disservice if TOP is not on the tip of your tongue when looking at the best way to achieve financial freedom with AmeriPlan.
“Convention 2006 was so positive and exciting and I’m now ready to go for NVP. My advice is, ‘just do it!’”

“Convention made it a lot easier to shake all the nervousness out of me, whether it is in my personal life or my current job. I will quit my job soon! The convention proved to me there is another way, it has given me such a euphoria. The corporate world is not worth the nervous tension, hassle and anxiety and stress. I am a giving and giving to me there is another way, it has given me such a euphoria. The corporate world is not worth the nervous tension, hassle and anxiety and stress. I am a giving and

For me, the convention actually started Wednesday Night at Dale & Donna Brooks' Suite. There was no question that was a 'breakthrough' moment in my life. What is so amazing to me is that I went away from the event feeling that ‘I was truly part of the Big Family!’ It just seemed that everyone was so energized. Everyone was BIG winners so high we could just float home. Everyone were BIG winners just by being there!”

“CELEBRATE IN ‘08!”

“AmeriPlan convention of 2008, ‘Celebrate 08’, was an event full of unity and was immersed in the spirit of sharing. New IDOS, seasoned veterans, and Rising Stars, all shared ideas and techniques that have helped grow their AmeriPlan businesses. Because of this renewed vigor, we came away from this event with an unbridled excitement for the future of our AmeriPlan business.”

“2008 was the best convention of my AmeriPlan career. I was emotionally tied to the leaders being promoted. Knowing that I could do the same thing excited me!”

“‘It went by so fast. It was intense. I’ve never seen Dennis and Daniel look better. Everything was so energized. Seeing the results and the waves of new young leaders set a fire under us all that attended.’”

“We enjoyed the convention to the utmost and will remind everyone forever & ever, we’re as a happy company. We look forward to each & every Convention it was everything. We thought & expected thanks also for the great leadership in our South FL Work Office & we will see you at the top. My husband Charles Brown had never been to a Convention, meeting people first hand like Kersey & Lorenzo Watkins, Jerome & Debra Scott, Patina Epps. This was a great experience!!”

“Thanks,” —Charles & Cynthia Brown, ESD, Ft. Worth, TX

“We were very excited to see Dennis and Daniel because I know they are there for us. Also, seeing the up and coming leaders makes it more exciting for next year. One of the most exciting things is to see the new leaders recognized.”

“Thank you, Goodman Knight, ESD Poplin, CO

“We have had every company event, since the beginning. This was the best convention I ever attended except for the one Dennis & Daniel gave away coupon, and, I won! Ha Ha! At this years convention, so one needed a car, since we were all flying so high we could just float home. Everyone were BIG winners just by being there!” —James Bank, NSD, Founders Millionaires Club

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New Executive Sales Directors

Charles Johnson Jr – NJ
Allan Grogan – IN
Diane Esrey - KY
Susan & Bob Dickinson – FL
Altamont Cooper - NY
Zyykirrah Cassado – NJ
Bonnie & Walter Arnold - TX
Seija & Mark Anderson - CA
Michael & Valerie Acker - GA
Bobbie Powell – MI
Denise Porter - GA
Corina Pinkney - NY
Gretchen Neighbors - TX
Deanne Manchester – NY
Bobbie Powell – MI
Cheryl & James Sexton – IN
Barbara Sorey – MO
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New $25,000 President’s Club
Steven Burnett - FL
Marjorie Butler - TX
Debbi Carroll - NC
Sherry Gilbreath - GA
Susan & Justin Goodknight - CO
Torianno Johnson - VA
Paige & Domenic Lombardi - CA
Rebecca Lomis-Stephan - WI
Tina Sarnicola - NY
Maria Simott - VA
Kristie Wooten - FL

New $50,000 President’s Club
Anita Houser - GA

New $100,000 Founders’ Ring Club
Becky & Kelly Blacka - FL
Arnold & Diane Gonzales - TX
Roger & Margaret Campbell - TX

New $300,000 Founders’ Ring Club
Mike & Verna McDonald - TX

New $350,000 Founders’ Signature Club
Mike & Verna McDonald - TX

New $400,000 Founders’ Ring Club
Mike & Verna McDonald - TX

CELEBRATE IN ’08!
Rising Stars & Markets of the Year

Southeast Division, Jim Hardin, DVP
Rising Star - Kathleen Strooband
Market of the Year - Atlanta

Western Division, Derric Farruya, DVP
Rising Stars - Susan & Justin Goodknight
Market of the Year - Colorado Springs

Southwestern Division, Brent Goodwin, DVP
Rising Star - Marjorie Butler
Market of the Year - Fort Worth

Midwest Division, Todd Wilson, DVP
Rising Star - Rebecca Lomis-Stephan
Market of the Year - Detroit

Northeast Division, Linda Rowden, DVP
Rising Star - Debbi Carroll
Market of the Year - Newark
Millionaires Club

2007 ~ 2008

Dale & Donna Brooks, NVP
$5,553,662.92
Roger & Margaret Campbell, NSD
$2,165,690.76
Jerome & Debera Scott, NVP
$1,994,305.30
Mike & Verna McDonald, NVP
$1,822,942.77
Lorene & Kenny Watkins, NVP
$1,802,218.10
John & Denise Kash, NSD
$1,758,477.10
Sandra Gudmundsdson, NSD
$1,746,101.29
Ed & Doris Wootton, NSD
$1,198,968.89
Ash & Flor Sahib, NSD
$1,065,125.90
Fatima Epson, NVP
$1,026,829.10
Mark Ellis, NSD
$1,014,607.96
Martin Corta, NSD
$1,012,572.00
Lynn Deer, NSD
$1,013,565.47
Ross Curtis, NSD
$1,014,552.77

New Senior Executive Sales Directors

Wanda & Roderick Bowers - FL
Duane Collins – TN
Michelle Dawodi – TX
Torianno Johnson – VA
LeAnn Keyes - NJ
Carol Moore – GA
Dennis Montal – MN
Lenox Powell - CO
Wanda & Roderick Bowers - FL

2008 Spirit Award

~ All of the AmeriPlan® National Vice Presidents ~
New National Sales Directors

Rose Allison - OH
Joan Chastain – GA
Colleen Gazto - IL
Delores Holman – OH
Tia Johng – DC
Judy Miller - NJ
Sherr & Marty Mudd – OR
John Myers - GA
Peter Palko – TX
Carol Phillipe – LA
Randy Pollack – AZ
Lenox Powell – CO

Note: We regret that we do not have photographs to publish for everyone being recognized in this issue of VISION, but if you do not have a picture we cannot include it. Since this is a special recognition issue we are listing the names of those without pictures on file, but in the future if we have not received a suitable photograph, we will not include the information on that promotion. Don’t get left out! Please send your photos in as soon as possible.

Photographs can be mailed to: AmeriPlan® Creative Services, Attn: Karen Spieler, 5700 Democracy Dr., Plano, TX 75024.
Digital photos can be emailed to: KarenSpi@ameriplanusa.com

* photos unavailable
### April Production

**TOP 10 MARKETS**
1. Dallas
2. Atlanta
3. Houston
4. Newark
5. Detroit
6. Orlando
7. Los Angeles
8. Colorado Springs
9. Philadelphia/South Jersey
10. Washington DC

**TOP 10 IBOs ~ Signing Up Members**
1. Bill Bertha - CO
2. Valerie & John Duncan - OH
3. Tapera Chirawu - DC
4. Pat Hall - CO
5. Sarah Brooks - MO
6. Carol Willems - CO
7. Kenneth Kowalsky - NJ
8. Matt Kaluza & Sandra Cheng - CA
9. Jim Martinez - CO
10. Jeff Higgins - KS

**TOP 10 IBOs ~ Signing Up IBOs**
1. Amy Letts - FL
2. Cheryl Forest - NJ
3. Pennie & Adam Berk - TX
4. Kathleen Strooband - FL
5. Amy Blizzard - CA
6. Janie & Michael Jones - TX
7. Steven Goodloe - FL
8. Kim Schilt - NY
9. Laurel Dowdle - NY
10. Shashikalarao Dudi - MD

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6. Kristen Wooten - FL
7. Marjorie Butler - TX
8. Laurel Dowdle - NY
9. Bobbi Prim - IL
10. Kelly & Garrett Fuller - PA
11. Maria Rappa - NY
12. Christina Wiler - IN

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2. Cheryl Forest – NJ
3. Pennie & Adam Berk – TX
4. Kathleen Strooband – FL
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6. Janie & Michael Jones – TX
7. Steven Goodloe – FL
8. Kim Schilt – NY
9. Laurel Dowdle – NY
10. Shashikalarao Dudi – MD

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3. Kim Schilt – NY
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7. Reginald Stinson – TN
8. Antonio Janelle – GA
9. Melinda Beaver – TX
10. Pennie & Adam Berk – TX
11. Antoineik Green – GA

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1. Amy Letts – FL
2. Jennifer May – NM
3. Kathleen Strooband – FL
4. Cheryl Forest – NJ
5. Kim Schilt – NY
6. Kristie Wooten – FL
7. Lauren Dowdle – NY
8. Bobbi Prim – IL
9. Kelly & Garrett Fuller – PA
10. Maria Rappa – NY
11. Christina Wiler – IN

New $350,000 Founders’ Signature Club and New $400,000 Founders’ Ring Club

April Production

May Production

June Production

Congratulations!

Mike & Verna McDonald, NVP - TX

New "AmeriPlan® Stars" SPOTLIGHT

April, May & June 2008

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New National Sales Directors

Rose Allison – OH
Joan Chastain – GA
Colleen Gazto – IL

Delores Holman – OH
Tia Johng – DC
Judy Miller – NJ
Sherri & Marty Mudd – OR
John Myers – GA

Peter Palko – TX
Carol Phillipe – LA
Randy Pollack – AZ
Lenox Powell – CO

Jeff & Heather Osness – UT
Lakesha Trusty – GA

Anne Bankhead – FL
Elizabeth Carter – WV
Vicki Crabtree – GA
Michael Denney – NY
Harriet Epksen – FL
Kathy Kortegaard – CA
Shawna Maltz – FL
Wesley Moore – IN
Renell Smith – IL
Deborah Tuley – CA

* photos unavailable

Note: We regret that we do not have photographs to publish for everyone being recognized in this issue of VISION, but if you do not have a picture we cannot include it. Since this is a special recognition issue we are listing the names of those without pictures on file, but in the future if we have not received a suitable photograph, we will not include the information on that promotion. Don’t get left out! Please send your photos in as soon as possible.

Photographs can be mailed to: AmeriPlan® Creative Services, Attn: Karen Spieler, 5700 Democracy Dr., Plano, TX 75024.

Digital photos can be emailed to: KarenSpi@ameriplanusa.com
2008 AmeriPlan® National Convention

Millionaires Club 2007 ~ 2008

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Duane Collins – TN
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2008 Spirit Award ~ All of the AmeriPlan® National Vice Presidents ~

Robert Dalessandro – PA
Laurel Dowdle – NY
Rudolph Edwards – NY
Joe Garcia – TX
Jin Young Kim – DC

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New Executive Sales Directors

- Charles Johnson Jr - NJ
- Allan Grogan - IN
- Diane Esrey - KY
- Susan & Bob Dickinson - FL
- Altamont Cooper - NY
- Zyykirrah Cassado - NJ
- Bonnie & Walter Arnold - TX
- Seija & Mark Anderson - CA
- Michael & Valerie Acker - GA
- Bobbie Powell - MI
- Denise & Porter - GA
- Carin Pinkney - NY
- Corina Pinkney - NY
- Kathy Glenn - IN
- Michelle Lenn - SC
- Elvina Carrington - CA
- Roy Burnsides - OR
- Gary Carter - AZ
- James Fini - TX

New $25,000 President’s Club
- Steven Burnett - FL
- Marjorie Butler - TX
- Debbi Carroll - NC
- Sherry Gilbreath - GA
- Susan & Justin Goodknight - CO
- Toriannon Johnson - VA
- Paige & Domenic Lombardi - CA
- Rebecca Lomis-Stephan - WI
- Tina Sarnicola - NY
- Maria Simott - VA
- Kristie Wooten - FL

New $50,000 President’s Club
- Anita Housser - GA

New $100,000 Founders’ Ring Club
- Becky & Kelly Black - FL
- Arnold & Diane Gonzales - TX

New $300,000 Founders’ Ring Club
- Roger & Margaret Campbell - TX

New $350,000 Founders’ Signature Club
- Mike & Verna McDonald - TX

New $400,000 Founders’ Ring Club
- Mike & Verna McDonald - TX

CELEBRATE IN ’08!

Rising Stars & Markets of the Year

Southeast Division, Jim Hardin, DVP
- Rising Star - Kathleen Strooband
- Market of the Year - Atlanta

Western Division, Derric Farruya, DVP
- Rising Stars - Susan & Justin Goodknight
- Market of the Year - Colorado Springs

Southwestern Division, Brent Goodwin, DVP
- Rising Star - Marjorie Butler
- Market of the Year - Fort Worth

Midwest Division, Todd Wilson, DVP
- Rising Star - Rebecca Lomis-Stephan
- Market of the Year - Detroit

Northeast Division, Linda Rowden, DVP
- Rising Star - Debbi Carroll
- Market of the Year - Newark
~ New 2007 - 2008 ~

National Sales Directors

Randy Pollack - AZ
Bernice Rhinehart - GA
Larry Rivera - CO
Kelly Roberts - IA
Karl Ryans - NJ
Renell Smith - IL
Kathleen Strooband - FL
Lilly Trest - TX
Deborah Tuley - CA
Kristie Wooten - FL

Tia Johing - VA
Kathy Kortegaard - CA
Deborah Traylor - WI
Todd Lowell - CA
Shawn Malitz - FL
Deloris McCants - NJ
Judy Miller - NJ
Weasley Moore - IN
Sherron Mudd - OR
John Meyers - GA
Jeff Oness - UT
Peter Palko - TX
Carol Phillippe - LA
Kelly Pina - CA

~ New 2007 - 2008 ~

ACE Member Council

Calvin Cheng, SRSB
Bill Simms, SRSB
Dennis Morstad, SED
Michele & Scott Cunyngham, SED
Lowell & Donna Anderson, SED
Kenneth Kowalsky, ESD
Elaine Hamilton, RSD
Tapera Chirawu, RSD
Arthur Bryden, IBO
Ben Pollard, Jr, RSD
Sherry Gilbreath, RSD

~ New 2007 - 2008 ~

ACE IBO Council

Janie & Michael Jones, NVP
Laurel Dowdle, SED
Kristie Wooten, SED
Patti Tripplett, RSD

Amy Jacobs, NVP
DeBora Petrov, NPSD
Regina Morris, NPSD
Jennifer May, RSD

~ New 2007 - 2008 ~

New Regional Sales Directors

Linda Carpenter - TX
Francis Carriere - MO
Eric Casky - MO
Christina Cogmagron - CA
Marian Charlo - TX
Lilly Chen - CA
Dominique Cheveron - WI
Tapera Chirawu - DC
Robin Claudson - TN
Wanda Clark - FL
John Clark - CA
Gwendolyn Clinton - FL
Robert Cofield - AL
Barbara Cole - MO
Vernia Cole - CA
Brenda Coleman - MI
Lloyd Coleman - TX
Suzaite A-Coyle - NY
Dorothy Collins - AL
Carole Brooks - OH
Kathleen & Earl Brooks - NJ
Shorna Brown - TX
Selena Brown - CA
Regina Bryant - FL
Lauren Kridge - TX
Dung Bai - TX
Albert Barks - GA
Antionette Barrows - NY
Helen Butler - TX
Nichola Cahfers - CA
Melissa Campbell - WI
Jaqubren Carter - CA
Stacey Carpenter - CA

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The AmeriPlan convention of 2008, “Celebrate ‘08”, was an event full of unity and was immersed in the spirit of sharing. New IDOS, seasoned veterans, and Rising Stars, all shared ideas and techniques that have helped grow their AmeriPlan businesses. Because of this Rooney vigor, we came away from this event with an unbridled excitement for the future of our AmeriPlan business!

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As we had expected when introducing the Trainer Option Program (TOP), new standards of success and income would be established, and so it is. Those AmeriPlan IBOs that have embraced the incredible dynamics of this up-front, here and now money machine are already reaping the rewards. The TOP moves the six-figure earnings plateau from three to four years to as little as twelve to eighteen months. You can see very significant immediate money through the three new sources of income:

1. Quick Start Bonus (QSB)
2. Membership Acquisition Bonus (MAB)

These bonuses add considerably to the speed and volume of the earning capacity of the AmeriPlan business opportunity, while enhancing the current residual income earning potential. It is no secret that since its inception AmeriPlan has established itself as the most credible long-term residual income compensation model in the entire network marketing industry. All that one needs to do is to look at the incredible residual incomes that have been built over the years by some of AmeriPlan’s top earners. Six figure residual incomes are quite commonplace and seven figures have also been achieved. The essence of this residual income is that AmeriPlan members stay on the books year after year and the income keeps on building with new monies being piled on top of the old monies in a compounding fashion.

AmeriPlan Founder's Dennis and Daniel Bloom have invested the past several years studying various ways to enhance the compensation plan without in any way disrupting the tried and proven formula for back-end residual income. Well, the time is now for a new complementary front-end compensation component to work hand-in-hand with the established residual compensation.

Make sure that you take every chance that is offered to you to participate in a TOP Training, TOP Webinar and to avail yourselves of the online resources that have been created to enable you to get into some serious money with TOP. Visit www.7corecommitments.com to tie in with a PowerPoint webinar presentation that will get you on track to make a difference. You will be doing yourself and all of those IBOs on your team a great disservice if TOP is not on the tip of your tongue when looking at the best way to achieve Financial freedom with AmeriPlan.

The AmeriPlan® National Convention is all about you and all about recognition.

With that in mind, in this issue of VISION we are going to recognize everyone that was recognized at the convention. This will include:

- New NSD pin level promotions, since the last convention
- Ace Award winners – Top Ten for both Member & IBO Councils.
- New President’s Club Members
- New Founder’s Club Members
- Charter Members in the New Millionaires Club
- Market(s) of the Year Winners
- Rising Star(s) Awards
- Spirit Award

Congratulations to each and every winner in these categories, but remember you are all Winners with AmeriPlan®!
AmeriPlan®’s Prescription Drug Program just got better!

August 1, 2008 is the official rollover date for AmeriPlan’s new prescription drug program administered through HealthTrans. New members as of this date will receive membership cards with the HealthTrans logo. All other members will be able to continue using their current cards with a transparent transfer to HealthTrans.

If a member is presently using the Medco mail order program, they will receive a HealthTrans mail order form for submitting their prescriptions to the HealthTrans mail order service. Should a member have need of the mail order service in the future, they may call member service and a form will be sent to them.

Here is what you can expect with the new prescription program:

• 56,000 retail pharmacy locations nationwide
• 10% - 85% discount on most brand name and generic prescription drugs at the retail level and through mail order
• Online pricing available in the IBO back office and on the AmeriPlan® website

To learn more, call HealthTrans at 800-675-1823.

At Convention, AmeriPlan® launched effective new tools designed to help IBOs market specific products to specific prospects. Each of the four types of AmeriPlan® “memberships” now has its own distinctive brochure! Whether it’s Dental Plus, Basic Health, Total Health or Total Health Plus, AmeriPlan® now offers a marketing tool to meet every consumer need. For those of you who enjoy the convenience of a single brochure for all products, AmeriPlan® continues to offer the easy-to-use “combo” brochure.

But that’s not all! AmeriPlan® has added the individual Dental Plus membership to its array of products. Priced at $14.95 per month, the popular individual Dental Plus membership provides exceptional value to those who want to personally save on dental, vision, prescription and chiropractic services, but don’t require the plan for their household.

Stock up now on these great marketing tools!
PROVIDER RELATIONS

A Big Success for “Celebrate’08”
~ From the Provider Relations’ Perspective

Convention time is one of the most exciting events of the year for us at Corporate and we know that all who attended Celebrate ‘08 experienced one of our most exciting conventions. Every year many months are spent planning informative workshops and recognition of IBO leadership; engaging speakers who will take our IBOs to the next level of thinking, developing new marketing tools or products first seen and heard by the convention attendees, and creating a spectacular “fun” night to be enjoyed by all. While the Sales department and convention planning team is responsible for much of the convention content, the Provider Relations department also has a vested interest as a supporting team player and participates in various activities throughout the convention week. Thus, I am motivated to share my thoughts with you in this column about the excitement and knowledge IBOs took back home with them from this year’s convention.

Having participated in the very first AmeriPlan® convention in 1996, I have witnessed each successive year the increased value attendees derive from attending convention and this year was no different. Provider Relations is a bit selfish in our desire to have as many IBOs in attendance as possible, because we know our conference attendees:

~ return to their home markets better equipped to present AmeriPlan’s products. IBOs who attended this year’s convention received product knowledge and marketing techniques during workshops to help them successfully market AmeriPlan’s programs to potential members. The end result will be members who truly understand what they are buying and happy network providers who do not encounter problems due to uninformed or misinformed members.

~ are better prepared to educate their new IBOs, thus enhancing the success ratio. Many new IBOs become discouraged when they receive erroneous or minimal training from their up-line that hampers their success. Our convention workshops this year have armed the attendees with enhanced knowledge and skills they will relay to their new IBOs.

~ have an enlightened sense of how the Provider Relations department operates within the scope of AmeriPlan’s goals. The Provider Relations department has always utilized every opportunity to answer questions about our provider networks – how we recruit, contract and manage our growing proprietary networks. Managers from our department manned an exhibitor’s booth answering provider questions and receiving information from IBOs on certain areas that require network strengthening. Attendees had the unique opportunity to one-on-one contact with corporate employees enabling them to better assist us in the network development process and any issues that may arise with their members.

~ have a better understanding of how qualified IBOs fill a unique role as Provider Relations Representatives. The real secret to the AmeriPlan® network is the tireless effort not only of the corporate staff, but the teams of qualified IBOs who have volunteered to be trained to recruit and contract network providers. Convention attendees had an opportunity to discuss the scope of this responsibility with attending Provider Relations Representatives and their Regional Directors who train and work with them on a daily basis.

~ return to work with their down-lines with renewed motivation and energy.

Why is this important to Provider Relations? When you have been the recipient of all the great things convention affords you, you are motivated to strongly encourage your IBOs to attend the next year’s convention. And the cycle goes on to educate and energize AmeriPlan’s IBOs for success.

So, to those who attended “Celebrate’08”, it was great seeing you and participating with you in the convention activities! And, for those who did not make it this year, we missed you and hope you are planning right now to attend next year’s convention.

DENTAL TIDBITS

Oral Health Top Priority?

Oral Health America in conjunction with Philips Sonicare completed a national survey in the US that found:

64% of adults believe that oral health is a top priority.

~ However, over 80% were unaware of the causes of tooth decay.

For more information visit these websites:

www.oralhealthamerica.org or www.sonicare.com

Tooth Mousse ~ What Next?

Researchers at the Cooperative Research Centre for Oral Health in Carlton, Victoria, Australia are developing Tooth Mousse Plus, which places high concentrations of fluoride on teeth. www.crcoralhealthscience.org.au

A Special Invitation for NEW
AmeriPlan® IBOs!

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Simple, Powerful, Business Building “Secret Weapon”

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IN MEMORY

My Friend....

Katie Roth
November 1977 - April 29, 2008

~ An Incredible Woman That Will Be Missed ~

It all started back on May 14th of 2007.... Katie Roth came into my life and into our amazing Freedom At Home Team. She was also 7 months pregnant with Jacob... her baby boy. I had never spoken with her before she enrolled, I just got up one morning and turned on my computer and there she was... I knew absolutely nothing about her... yet. I called her that day and we were good friends and team members from that day on. She was so pumped up and ready to go. She was my ACE ?? She had so much excitement and spunk in her. She was so excited about business and just knew that it was going to work for her and her family. She wanted so badly to take the pressure off her husband Jake. He had to work so many hours to keep things going and they had another baby on the way. I knew she was flying to the top.... she LOVED her business and really gave it her heart and soul. She knew what she had to do to get there and she went out and did it, enjoying every minute of it, and her family was behind her 100% !

But what made it really special was how we hit it off. From the first day she enrolled, we felt like we knew each other forever. We talked almost everyday and of course many emails throughout the day. She made me laugh and always kept me smiling. Even when I was down... she got me back up. Never thought about herself... always doing for others. That is the kind of person Katie Roth was.

I did some remembering today.... I went back to my first emails with Katie... she was a riot. I was even laughing today just reading them. We were always asking each other how our days were going and talked about everything going on in our day. Our Friendship was beginning...

As time went on, within a few months she became RSD and she was just so happy. Her team was growing and she just loved working with her team and I'm sure... making them laugh too !

But there was another side of Katie, one that I really didn't find out about for a few months. There was more to her than lots of laughs and fun. I had asked her if she was going to be on some call one night and she said she couldn't because she was cooking for the homeless ?? Kind of threw me off because on some call one night and she said she couldn't because she was cooking for the homeless. And she cooked for the homeless 3 times a week and brought all the food down to the mission by her in come to find out... she cooked for the homeless 3 times a week and on Sunday's... which I thought was absolutely wonderful... but I never really saw that side of her... but it started to emerge. We talked about God and different things. I had told her about my younger brother passing away in 2006, right before I started AmeriPlan and how young he was and he had left behind two small children and she was just so saddened by that and she helped me get through that.... she always said, why is it always the good people that die? But she did help me through my grief, because she was so caring. She had lost her younger brother also a few years back so she knew what I was going through... but always there... never thought about herself. Even as sick as she was a few weeks ago, she wanted everyone to pray for Jake, her husband... not her, but Jake. And Jake, is an amazing man, they loved each other so much, they had the most incredible marriage. They had a big piece of property where they lived in California and everyday at 5am, while the kids were sleeping, they got up and jogged together for a while around their big yard and then did some quiet bible study before the kids got up. She had 3 little children to take care of and boy did she love those kids, along with their house, her husbands business, her business and the homeless... but she always found time... it was important to her. She had energy that I have never seen before in my life. She is truly an inspiration to me.

I miss her already. I have been missing her, we haven't spoken in a long time. She had called me about 3 weeks ago, I wasn't here and she left a message and I didn't even recognize her voice. I cried. I never got to speak with her again.

Katie was NOT afraid of dying at all, but she didn't want to leave her family, she knew that God had plans for her but she did the best she could to stay with her family... she gave a fight but that was NOT in the plans for Katie Roth. I know Katie is now out of pain and in an incredible place... but we still need to pray for her and her family. What a rough time they have ahead. I want to thank all of you for your kindness and prayers during all of this, everyone really stepped up and helped out, in anyway they could and that was so incredible to see.

Katie will always be my ACE and I will Never forget her... she will always be in my heart and I know someday we will meet again.

~ Kim Schilt

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Katie will always be my ACE and I will Never forget her... she will always be in my heart and I know someday we will meet again.

~ Kim Schilt

Editors Note:

As you will see this is a special Convention issue of VISION. In order to bring you as much of the Convention excitement as possible, we are suspending several of our normal features until the next issue. Look for Testimonials, Support Our Troops, Featured Market, MVP Profile and Corporate Employee Profile in the next issue. Please keep sending your testimonials, human interest stories and troop recognition to editor@ameriplanusa.com.
FROM THE EDITOR’S DESK

Amazing!

Amazing may not be a strong enough word to describe “Celebrate in ’08”, but since it is the way that Dennis Bloom described it in his closing remarks for the Saturday General Session, it is good enough for me. Those of us who have been around AmeriPlan for some time are in unanimous agreement that this was absolutely the best convention ever. The energy and enthusiasm were out of this world. The spirit and camaraderie were inspiring.

The feedback that we received from many of you indicated that you gained a great deal of knowledge from the workshops and learned numerous techniques on building your business from the General Sessions. The panel and panels were extremely informative and the information communicated valuable. Special recognition should go to Jamie Jones and to Becky Blacka for the fine job that they did.

It is fortunate when an event has one memorable keynote speaker, but amazing when you have two of the quality of Jamie Clark and Jerry Clark. Jerry’s message of empowerment and that the control of your success is in your hands is very powerful. The tools that he offers to put you on track for financial and personal success are the best there are.

What can one possibly say about the message that Jamie Clark delivered about perseverance and the power of the human spirit? And Jamie has to be the best story teller on the face of the planet, or Mt.Everest or even the most desolate of deserts. The entire audience travelled through each of his adventures with him as he painted these incredible word pictures to go along with some of the best photographs that you can imagine.

And did we ever have fun on Fun Night. The Motown theme brought out some of the most original and authentic groups. The Magic Marvelous Four entertained for listening and dancing until everyone was just worn out. Dennis and Daniel Bloom got into the act as did so many others.

There were so many beaming faces crossing the stage during the convention, particularly at the Saturday Night Awards Dinner. New pin level recognition spotlighted those who have been promoted to a new pin level since last convention. AmeriPlan Council of Eagles (ACE) winners were recognized and acknowledged. A new AmeriPlan award was presented for the first time, and that was the Millionaires Club. There were twenty-one members inducted into the Charter Membership of this club that recognizes AmeriPlan IBOs that have earned $1,000,000 or more during their AmeriPlan career. A plaque is being placed in the corporate office lobby to recognize these ultimate achievers and each year the new members will be recognized.

A note of appreciation should be offered to those exhibitors, advertisers and sponsors who helped to support the tremendous effort that goes into presenting an event such as “Celebrate in ’08”. The official “Celebrate in ’08” goodie bag was such a big hit that we have decided to make it available for a limited time only. This beautiful and practical red and white canvas bag features the AmeriPlan logo in brilliant blue. It has a full zipper, and outside pocket as well as two sturdy handles to carry it with or to put over your shoulder.

Whether you want to use it to carry your AmeriPlan supplies or to go to the beach, it will enable you to get there in style and stand out in a crowd. With the AmeriPlan logo in full view, you will have people wanting to know who AmeriPlan is, and what a great opportunity that creates to tell your story.

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