



This month's spotlight is on
Roxie Peterson

This month's spotlight is always ready to go! Roxie Peterson, owner of Rushmore Travel, enjoys networking both her latest trip and upcoming vacations. In fact, she's just begging you to "ask about Hawaii in January!"

In the almost 10 years since she purchased Rushmore Travel on August 1, 1994, Roxie says she's learned a lot. "How time flies. We went from 1 1/2 agents {I was the 1/2 an agent in the beginning but have learned and experienced a great deal in 10 years} in 1994 to the present with 5 full time travel planners."

In addition to Roxie, Barb Bom is the manager and corporate travel planner; Bobbi Swenson holds a degree in travel and excels in family and honeymoon travel; Lisa Hastings was formerly with Casto Travel and is an expert in European travel, Hawaii and the Caribbean; while Rhonda Janis was formerly with Travel World and comes highly trained in all areas of travel.

It's that experience that makes Rushmore Travel a success.

"With web sites offering deals to good to be true to the terror attack of 9-11 and what many thought would be the end of travel agencies we find we are in more demand than ever," she says. "Rushmore Travel continues to be the source to sort out 'deals too good to be true' and truly be able to offer our expert advice on many travel related subjects."

Newlyweds hold a special place in the team's hearts. Rushmore Travel has become a Honeymoon specialist offering a Honeymoon Registry for the couple needing only a magical getaway.

When not planning vacations for others, Roxie spends time with her own family.

"I have been married to Barry Peterson for 34 years. Our children Sherry Black {married to Kory}, Trina Pollard { married to Tim} and Luke Peterson {married to Melissa} are our best friends. We have 5 grandchildren, who we can't wait to spend time with whenever we can!"

THANKS FOR THE DOOR PRIZES!

Fay Swenson, Avon

✦ Glimmerstick Brow Definer (2), won by Peggy Verville and Linda Rausch

Deanna Forman, Colesce Couture

✦ Ivy Leaf Candle Holder, won by Carol Lawhun

Julia DeHaven, Tastefully Simple

✦ Gift Bag Variety of Tasty Treats, won by Evonne Culver

Carol Perrigo, Sentinel Federal Credit Union

✦ Memo Box with "World's Best" Ice Scraper, won by Fran Hatfield

Vesta Wells Johnson, CDR, Reliv and Ex-Husband

✦ 2 Volume Set of CD Christmas Music, won by Kathy Paulsen

Christi Kotschwar, Mary Kay Cosmetics

✦ Fall Gift Bag of Satin Hands Treatment(2), won by Kay Stambaugh and Sarah Strain

✦ Signature Product, won by Carol Perrigo

Fran Hatfield, Prudential Kahler Realtors

✦ A Gift Album from Quixtar, won by Beth Griggs

Teri Patterson, Body Systems

✦ Travel Set with Bath Salts, won by Lynny Schriock

✦ Soap with Soap Deck, won by Judy Fenske

Murielle M. Wesch, Therapeutic and Safe Touch Massage

✦ 1/2 Hour Reflexology, won by Laura Collins

Kathy Jones, National American University

✦ Thanksgiving Candle, won by Jo Prang

Beth Griggs, 7 Sisters Glass Company

✦ Stained Glass Angel, won by Bev Drabek

Heather Morijah, Sierra Club

✦ Lewis & Clark Books, T-Shirts and Map, won by Klara Parks

Debra Farrar, Frimerica Financial Services

✦ A Bag of Half-Dollar Chocolate Coins, Booklet "How Money Works" and a Pig Bank to Encourage Saving, won by Roberta Neely

Darlene Kermer, Kirk Funeral Home

✦ Candles from Bath and Body Works in Decorative Basket, won by Liz Benusis

CONGRATULATIONS

Debra Ann Farrar, winner of the January Spotlight and
Fran Hatfield, winner of \$24 in the November 50/50 drawing.



NEXT MEETING

December 10, 11:45 a.m.

The Radisson Hotel

PROGRAM

Holiday Program

MENU

Baked Ham or
Veggie Stir Fry

Guests are welcome to attend up to two meetings as non-members.
For reservations, please call 393-1657 by noon, Monday, Dec. 8.

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

FREE LUNCH — The Board will pick up the tab for your lunch at the December meeting. In order to take advantage of this amazing offer you *must* be a member of Women’s Network and **RSVP by noon Dec. 8**. If either of these don’t happen, you will have to pay the \$9.50 for lunch. Happy Holidays!

CONGRATULATIONS — Sandy Magnavito received the “Wind Beneath My Wings” Award for health and human services providers. Way to go, Sandy!

RSVP — Only members and guests who RSVP by noon the Monday before the meeting are guaranteed a meal. Anyone who does not RSVP, may not be able to eat the regular meal and will not get a vegetarian meal. Members who don’t receive a reply to their e-mails should assume that the reservation didn’t get made. For details on the reservation process, contact Mary Wilson at 787-4372.

PRIVILEGE — Formal networking is a member-only privilege. Guests are eligible to network only if they have submitted their membership application and payment prior to networking.

SOCK DRIVE: As a charity event, Women’s Network is sending special socks to people in Iraq. If you’d like to donate to the cost of the socks, or if you have someone you’d like a pair sent to, contact Kathy Jones or Vesta Wells Johnson at the December meeting.

NEXT BOARD MEETING
Wednesday, December 17, at noon
The Beanery at the Creamery Mall

Officers, Board & Committee Members
Kathy Jones (President).....343-7536
Vesta Wells Johnson (President-Elect).....(h/w)348-6963
Clare Paul (Secretary).....341-0837, (w) 3341-1845
Teresa Sethney Johnson (Treasurer).....342-1586, (w)718-5704
Jen Blake (Past-President).....393-1657, (w)877-526-7685

Hospitality Committee
Pam Snyder-Varns*.....(h)388-0365
Carol Lawhun (Guest Coordinator).....(w)343-5700
Fay Swenson (Guest Caller).....(h/w)341-5381
Roxie Peterson (Guest Caller).....342-7950, (w)341-0744

Newsletter & Public Relations Committee
Jo Prang*.....388-3622, (w)399-3747
Jennifer Blake (*Networker* Editor).....(w)877-526-7685

Program & Networking Committee
Bonnie Reese*.....(h/w)394-9765

Reservations & Membership Committee
Mary Wilson*.....(h)787-4372

* COMMITTEE CHAIRS WHO ARE ALSO VOTING MEMBERS OF THE BOARD
VISIT US ON THE WEB AT WWW.RCWOMENSNETWORK.ORG