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MEETINGS

Everyone welcome - Members, spouses, friends, non-members, subscribers, IRS & CDOR personnel, and any other interested individuals!!



Your Board wants to see you!!! This month and in future months at our regularly scheduled dinner meetings. They are one of the best places to meet new members, share your ideas, learn new resources, and actually have fun while earning CPE credits.

Reservations may be called to Jack Rogers at 303-708-8078 or e-mail to taxprepJR@msn.com no later than the Thursday before the meeting at 5:00 p.m. No shows will be billed for cost of the meal if a reservation is made.

DINNER MEETINGS

MARCH 2007

NO MEETING

APRIL 2007

Board Meeting

Date: Tuesday, April 24, 2007

Time: 5:30 PM Board Meeting
6:00 PM Dinner
6:30 PM Program

Place: Holiday Inn
4849 Bannock St.
at I-25 and I-70
Directions on page 2

Program: Colorado Dept. of Revenue
- Employment Issue

Speaker: Tentative

Cost for Dinner & Program:

Members	\$20.00
Non-members	\$25.00
Program Only	\$10.00



“No March Meeting”

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Happy end of February, just think only 48 days left until T-day. I don’t know about any of you but, it sure seems like it got busier sooner this year than last year. I just think that everyone is interested in the BIG money the IRS is giving back for the excise tax. Everyone I have seen has asked about that money. Oh well we just need to keep them happy that’s all.

NAEA has sent me some press releases if any of you would like them for your local papers please let me know. Just email me at c_a_s_i@msn.com. I will forward the releases to you. They are written by Gigi Jarvis the director of communications at NAEA.

Well it is back to the grind stone, and trying to find the top of my desk. Have a GREAT tax season and I hope to see you at the monthly meetings.

Jo Ann Drago EA

MEETING LOCATION

by Mildred A. Cassai, EA

Our meeting site is at the Holiday Inn at the Mousetrap. The address is 4849 Bannock Street, located northwest of the intersection of 1-25 and 1-70. Here’s how to get there:

Going east on 1-70: exit onto Pecos, go left (north) over the freeway to 48th Ave. Go right (east) to Bannock, turn left to 4849 Bannock.

Going west on 1-70: exit onto Pecos, turn right (north) to 48th, turn right (east) to Bannock, go left.

From 1-25: exit at 58th Ave., go west to 2nd light west of freeway, at Bannock, turn left (south).

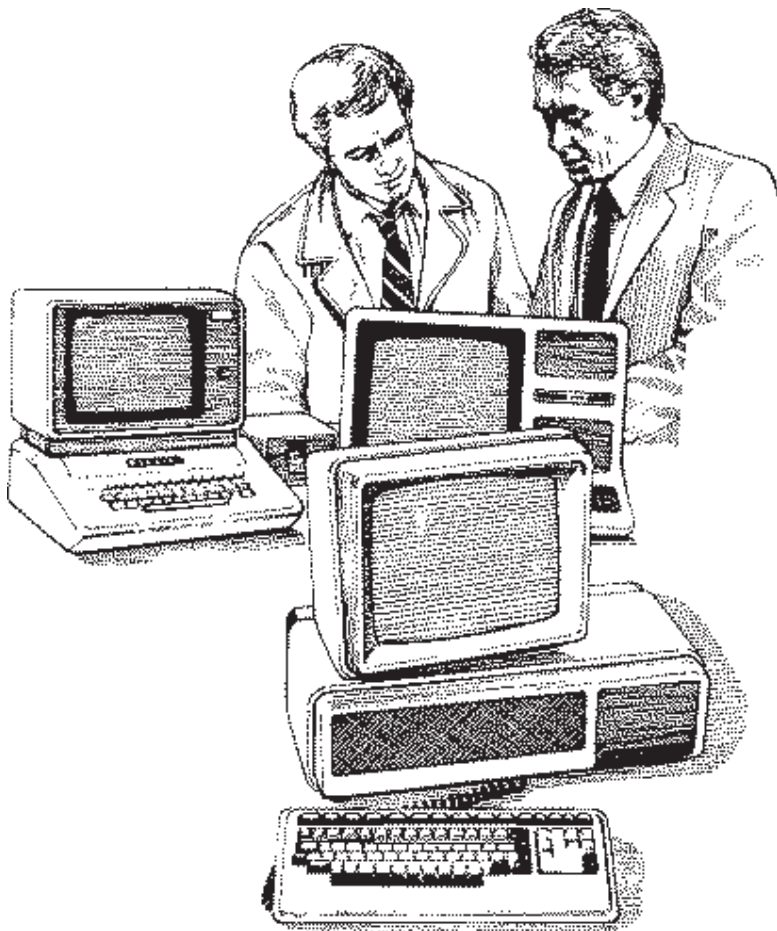
Mike's Musings & Other Stuff

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I hope you all are having a great filing season. I am hearing a lot of preparers saying they have been busier this year in the earlier part of the filing season. Maybe with the bad weather, people have stayed home and worked on their taxes so they have them done earlier this year. No matter what the reason, just enjoy it while it lasts.

Linda Ward has been working hard for COSEA. She has been lining up programs for this year, and also has gone through the By-Laws, and with the boards input, has made changes to the By-Laws that the membership has approved. A copy of these will be forwarded to NAEA for their records as well as our records.

Jo Ann Drago will be going to Washington, DC to attend a meeting for NAEA. The board approved her expenses for the trip to represent COSEA.

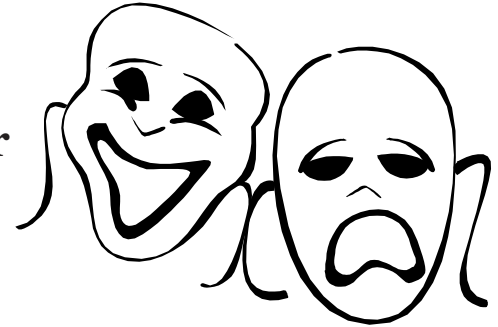


*“The End
is in Sight”*



Get ready for the meeting

A Touch Of Humor



The Half-wit

A man owned a small ranch in Colorado... The Colorado Wage & Hour Dept. claimed he was not paying proper wages to his help and sent an agent out to interview him.

“I need a list of your employees and how much you pay them” demanded the agent.

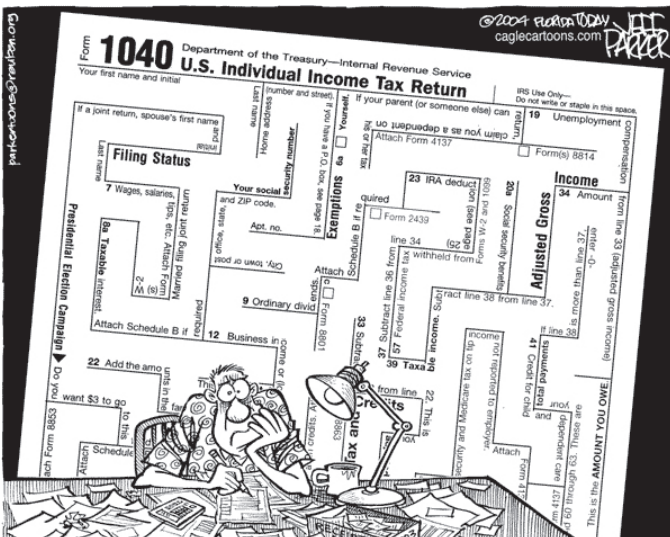
“Well” replied the rancher, “There’s my ranch hand who’s been with me for 3 years. I pay him \$600 a week plus room and board.

The cook has been here for 18 months, and I pay her \$500 per week plus free room and board.

Then there’s the half-wit who works about 18 hours every day and does about 90% of all the work around here. He makes about \$10 per week, pays his own room and board and I buy him a bottle of bourbon every Saturday night”.....

“That’s the guy I want to talk to, the half-wit” says the agent.

“That would be me”, replied the rancher.....





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Coming Events

March 2007	NO MONTHLY MEETING
April 24, 2007	Tentative <i>Colorado Department of Revenue - Employment Issue</i>
May 22, 2007	Charles Parnell, Esq. <i>Offers in Compromise & Bankruptcy</i>
June 26, 2007	Tentative <i>IRS Military Issues</i>
July 24, 2007	<i>IRS Pension Plans</i>
August 28, 2007	Steve Owens, Esq. <i>Elder Law & Special Needs</i>
September 25, 2007	Ethics 2 Hours <i>Meeting to be held at Johnson's Corner</i>
October 23, 2007	Tentative <i>IRS Tax Update</i>
November 13, 2007	Tentative <i>Colorado Update</i> Note - Change in normal 4th Tuesday date
December, 2007	Holiday Party, Play or Whatever

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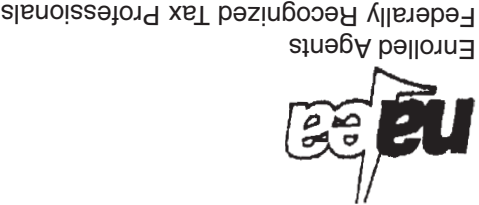
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