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Those Who Laugh, Last

March 28, 2024

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Spring is just around the corner, and so is our March 28, 2024 MPI Heartland Chapter meeting! Join us for an exciting service project at 9:00am, where we will be packing period kits for Access Period who's mission it is to end period poverty in Nebraska. Chapter meeting begins at 11:00am with valuable networking opportunities, engaging conversations, and actionable insights to kickstart your spring season on the right foot!

Don't miss out – register today to secure your spot!

Register Now

Registration Deadline:
March 20, 2024



Meet the Speaker
Juli Burney

Book your hotel room

9:00 a.m. Access Period CRM

10:30 a.m. Registration Opens

11:00 a.m. Chapter Meeting

12:15 p.m. Lunch served

1:15 p.m. Chapter Meeting

2:00 p.m. Event concludes

Thank you to the Omaha Marriott Downtown at the Capitol District for donating a prize to our raffle!

Juli Burney is an award winning teacher, entertainer and author, Juli makes an amazing connection with her audiences. She is able to entertain with the ability of a headlining comedian while either motivating or instructing with the ease of a topnotch motivational speaker. Juli has been recognized by her state as Artist of the Year, because of her ability to help improve people's lives through humor and effective use of communication tools. She has worked in all 48 continental United States and Canada and has been commissioned by a variety of associations from the National Endowment of the Arts to Fortune 500 companies to develop training programs that stick. She has filmed for Showtime and HBO, along with making several guest appearances on radio and television programs. Her humor is delightful, universal, and enlightening with whatever topic she presents. Represented by Midwest Speakers Bureau, Inc.

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Anniversaries

Janaury, February, March

16 years
Gina Swackhammer

12 years
Brenda Boeck Tellier

8 years
Cory Carlson
Belinda Hanson
Emily Schumacher

7 years
Becky Bales

4 years
Sherri Rosener
Jamie Beyer

3 years
Teresa Cox

2 years
Jessie Brokowski
Teresa Chamley
Katrina Davis
Sarah Focke
Stacey Houseman
Sarah Kouba
Meghan Powers-Risdal
Julie Stow
Holli Vesely
Sarah Warren

1 year
Nicholas Arnold
Lisa Caudle
Kristi Franz
Allison Hoflen
Heidi Hora
Annie Lallier
Amber Mattis
Paul Richey
Christie Shull-Wendell
Sharon Skinner
Carolyn Starr
Alicia Vanderhart
Jacque Warren

Welcome!

New Members
Bonnie Alley
Erin Cox
Debbie Hoge
Newton Kam

As a way to celebrate our membership, MPI Heartland Chapter is doing a regular Member Spotlight post on our social media. If this is something you are willing to do, please complete the survey below.

Please contact membership@mpi-heartland.org with any questions!

Begin Survey

WE NEED YOU!

The MPI Heartland Chapter is growing right along with MPI Global. With this growth, we are looking for you to step up to be more involved in our association. Here are just a few ways you can do that!

Committee Volunteer

Help us with planning the Annual Meeting or one of our Chapter Meetings; proof the newsletter; the list goes on!

Membership Recruitment

You know the value of being a MPI member, help us continue to spread the word (and get paid to do so!)

Message from the President



Brenda Boeck Tellier
Event Planning Manager, Scooter's Coffee
MPI Heartland President 2024

Welcome to 2024! With the new year, comes changes from MPI Global. We've restructured our fiscal year, installed new board members and achieved "Chapter of Excellence" What an amazing year! Special thanks to Julie Kronlage and Kelsey Packer for guiding us through these changes. Thank you Kelsey for your last few years in the Office of the President. We hope you enjoy your well-deserved downtime.

Thank you to all who participated in our November 2023 Annual Meeting. Such a great day hearing from our amazing speakers – Jonathan Howe, Dr. Lalia Rach and Maggie Thorne. Thank you to our sponsors. We greatly appreciate your support. For all those who joined us at the Magnolia Hotel in Omaha, we hope that you went home with some wonderful memories and some takeaways that you can use in your office.

I look forward to seeing you all on March 28th at our MPI Chapter Meeting. Juli Burney will be sharing her message of "Those Who Laugh, Last" and we will be doing an service project for Access Period. Please join us at the Omaha Marriott Downtown at the Capitol District.

Hope to see you at an upcoming MPI event soon.

Mark Your Calendars Now!



Membership Meeting

March 28, 2024

The Omaha Marriot Downtown at
the Capitol District
Omaha, NE

[Register here](#)

Global Meetings Industry Day

April 11, 2024

Virtual

[Register here](#)

World Education Congress

May 20, 2024

Louisville, KY

[Register here](#)



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When a NEW MEMBER uses an existing member's number as a referral during their registration:

New Member has \$50 Application Fee **WAIVED**

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Referring Member gets \$50 CASH





A special offer for our members! The Kansas City, Chicago Area, Indiana, St. Louis, Heartland (Nebraska/Iowa) and Oklahoma Chapters of MPI are partnering on a promotion to offer [Affiliate memberships at our chapters for a discount!](#)

This gives you access to each chapters' education events, social events, and member databases to name a few!

We're always looking for ways to provide the support and resources you need to advance your career.

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Thank you to Our Annual Partners!



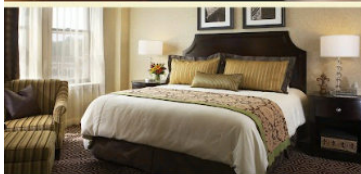




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