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To: Blackstone Club Members
From: Barbara K. Knutsen
Date: April 1, 2008
Re: **BLACKSTONE CLUB FORMAT, DAY AND TIME CHANGE**

We know that many of our Blackstone club members try to attend the meetings but simply cannot because of other commitments in the evenings. **And because we know that many of you would like to take advantage of the benefits of membership and the social time together, we are changing the format, day and times beginning in April. ALL MEETINGS WILL BEGIN WITH HAPPY HOUR FROM 4:30 TO 5:30 P.M. The presentations will now start at 5:30 p.m. Meetings will be held on the last Friday of April, June, August and October (The Christmas event will remain on the 2nd Thursday in December).**

With this new change, you can either stay/socialize and drink more after the presentation since TGIF (THANK GOD - it's FRIDAY), or leave for another event you might have planned for the evening.

Note: MARK YOUR CALENDARS TODAY - The following names were chosen on a random basis for making presentations in 2008 for the remainder of the bi-monthly evening meetings:

April 25, 2008 (Fri)

Paul Orr

June 27, 2008 (Fri)

Ron Kasserian

August 29, 2008 (Fri)

Debra Hull

October 24, 2008 (Fri.)

Bill Watson

December 11, 2008 (Thurs.)

Best of the Blackstone event

(The requirement is that members must agree to prepare and deliver an oral presentation on a general interest subject, or arrange for someone to make a presentation on your behalf, in the order that your name is chosen on a random, rotating basis. Times may be traded, but it will be the member's responsibility whose name is next up to trade time with another member, or to make suitable arrangements for a substitute presentation.)

***THANKS - Hope to see you on April 25th
LET'S CELEBRATE SPRING!!***