



DYSON LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE NEWS

For students, members, clients, sponsors, advocates—and those who may value our services.
Keeping you informed on People, Progress, Plans to offer example and encouragement.

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- ♦ **Birmingham-Southern College/Dr. Byron Chew:** voted by students to receive the Teaching Excellence Award! He hosted David for a guest lecture to help students write professional mission and vision statements they can use to guide them to prepare in college and use with professional opportunities. We welcome advocacy to speak to students, parents, faculty, and administrators to help them PLAN and LEAD in LIFE, plus consult with educators on how to help students prepare better for life.
- ♦ **Covenant Bank/Hayes Parnell:** sponsoring a college intern, Heath Oliver, to develop further the Ethics Training Program to include seminars for board members and the communities they serve.
- ♦ **Forte' Computer Consulting/Glenn Phillips/Kyle Crider/Todd Hower:** maintain our computers and web site; advising on back up systems and technology for helping our long distance members attend seminars remotely.
- ♦ **Oakstone Publishing: Nancy McMeekin** boosting leadership development and performance training programs. **Andrew Thorne** sponsoring professional planning workshops and piloting planning and assessment seminars and tools. **Becky Gwarjanski** developing an improved performance assessment that communicates and rewards better desired actions and results.
- ♦ **Leave a Legacy Publishing:** Gifts for others and resources at www.PatriotismInAction.us and www.ProfessionalismUnderStress.com. We can deliver your books to our next program.

Life Leaders

- ♦ **Seminar and Summer Social:** Thursday, June 21. "Relationship Strategies in Marriage...."
- ♦ **Personal Leadership Association: Jonelle Leach** presented her vision statement for the 7 Areas of Life. **Stretch Dunn** presented his summary of goals for the 7 Areas. **Bonnie Scaro** has been using the Hierarchy of Motivating Values for her plan for life. For reservations or information: Association chairman: Bobby Watts, 205-383-0568; PersonalLeadership@DysonInstitute.org, or call 205-969-3976.
- ♦ **Plan for Life: Bobby Watts** will host a group of members wanting to write or improve plans for life. David has a workbook of planning pages in progress useful for workshops.
- ♦ **Professional Development and Golf: Dwight Wiggins/Concord Financial Group** planning the next program to include a professional development briefing and a golf outing that also encourages physical fitness and relationship building, hosted by **Simon Coulls/Limestone Springs**. Simon also is planning a junior golf academy to include helping students write plans for school and other areas of life.

KEEP AWAY [help if you can though minimize the negative impact] FROM PEOPLE
WHO TRY TO BELITTLE YOUR AMBITIONS.
SMALL PEOPLE ALWAYS DO THAT, BUT THE REALLY GREAT
MAKE YOU FEEL THAT YOU, TOO, CAN BECOME GREAT.

- MARK TWAIN -