

2007 Spring Seminar Review

On Thursday April 19, 2007, the Greater Des Moines LOMA Society held their Spring Seminar at the Wakonda Club in Des Moines. After a delicious buffet breakfast, the approximately 20 members in attendance were welcomed by Society president, Carol Gonzales. Carol conducted a short business meeting which included an opportunity to view the 2006 audit report and a preview of upcoming events on the Society calendar. The highlight of the business meeting was the presentation of the 2007 Greater Des Moines LOMA Society scholarship to fellow member, Lynn Steffen. Mike Wright, Society Vice President led a "get to know you" activity which was followed by our first speaker, Dave Hubler. Dave is affiliated with the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, Des Moines Chapter. He provided some background about leukemia & lymphoma and discussed his chapter's role in supporting the community. Our next speaker was Jenifer Moses from Principal Financial Group. Jenifer's presentation was titled "Making a Breakthrough Change! Understanding the Power of Processes" Jenifer's sense of humor combined with her extensive background and knowledge resulted in a very informative presentation. The final speaker was Susan Kerr from the Iowa Department of Insurance, Fraud Division. Her presentation titled "Identity Theft...Don't Let It Happen to You" was packed with very useful information about protecting your identity.



Twyla Niska from Farm Bureau enjoys the breakfast buffet.



Dave Hubler from the Leukemia & Lymphoma Society



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