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OF GREATER WICHITA**



Cox Communications, the third-largest cable television provider in the United States and seventh-largest telephone carrier in the country, has worked hard for decades to provide apartment communities with the highest level of service and accessibility.

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Our local representative, Emily Telfer, joined the Cox team in April of 2012 and hit the ground running. Immediately after starting, Sheila Tasker, the current AAGW President, invited her to join the AAGW and won her over by informing her there was free food! Who doesn't love a free and delicious meal? A few months later, Emily learned what the AAGW was all about and has been involved ever since.



Emily Telfer of Cox Communications

The Cox mission is to use their time and technology to strengthen communities, Emily told us that the favorite part about the job is being able to reward those who go the extra mile to promote their services. She stated she feels like Santa Claus all year round! If you would like to know more about how Emily and Cox can benefit your community you can call her at (316) 260-7328 or email to emily.telfer@cox.com.

Member of the Month

By Rhiannon Giffin, Regal Plaza & Cottages, Conquest Homes

Post-It Notes, penicillin, the microwave oven, and Maggie Brown, some of the best things are discovered by accident. Maggie was looking for a place to live and came across an assistant manager's job and has worked for Mennonite Housing ever since.

What she loves most about the apartment industry is how no two days are ever the same, "There is always a new challenge waiting for me and something new to learn", Maggie said.

The desire to keep challenging herself brought her to the board as she wanted to meet the other amazing people in the industry while also helping others.

Her huge heart is why her favorite committee is the Give Back event each December. "Watching colleagues assist those in our area who need a bit of help has been my best experience so far with the AAGW." We are thankful to have you Maggie and all your hard work!



Maggie Brown
MacArthur Manor



The Grapevine

SAYING HELLO

By Ryan Farrell, Association Executive, AAGW

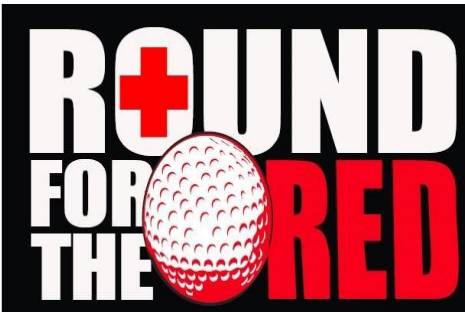
Leasing Agent, Assistant Property Manager, Property Manager, Board of Directors Member, Committee Co-Chair, and now Association Executive of the AAGW. In one sentence that has been my 13 year path leading to this new opportunity. I could not be more excited to introduce myself to all the members and begin this next chapter working with all of you. So to make it official, Hello! My name is Ryan Farrell.

I moved to Wichita from Minnesota in 1993 and attended Goddard High School. While at Kansas State University I met my wife Lisa and we married shortly afterwards. We have since had three children, Madison (11), Kinsley (7) and Parker (2). If we have not met before I look forward to meeting you at one of the great upcoming events for the AAGW. Of course you are always welcome to give the office a call or email, or even stop by if you are in the neighborhood.



Round for the Red-May 26th

By Rhiannon Giffin, Regal Plaza & Cottages, Conquest Homes

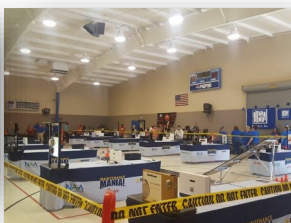


AAGW is looking for volunteers for this year's Round for the Red Golf Tournament, to be held on Friday, May 26th. This event is always a great time and for a great cause! Over the past 14 years, members have helped raise over \$250,00 for the Red Cross. What better recipient than those that rush to assist our tenants in the unfortunate event of a fire or natural disaster?!

If you are interested in volunteering, please contact a board member as soon as possible to choose from a wide variety of jobs for that day. We need help in all areas, from setting up early, to cleaning up when the tournament ends. Your help is always appreciated, and a fun way to support this great cause.



Trade Show, Maintenance Mania & Seminars a Success!



Looking to get more involved with the AAGW?

We are currently seeking members to join the current Board of Directors as well as nominations for the 2017-18 Board this August. If interested, please email admin@myaagw.com!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Register Today at myaagw.com!

Thursday, May 11, 11:30 am - 1 pm

Furniture Options
Board of Directors Meeting

Friday, May 12, 4:00 pm - 7 pm

The Pump House
Tisha Cannizzo Farewell Party

Wednesday, May 17, Noon - 1 pm

Furniture Options
Suppliers Council Meeting

Friday, May 26, 8 am

Tallgrass Country Club
Round for the Red Golf Tournament

Thursday, June 8, 11:30 am – 1 pm

Furniture Options
Board of Directors Meeting

Wednesday, June 14, Noon–1 pm

Furniture Options
Suppliers Council Meeting

Thursday, June 15, 7:00 pm–8:30 pm

Abode Venue, \$25/member
Membership Meeting, Fashion Show



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When you refer a new member, invite them to the next monthly meeting with you. At the meeting you will get to pop a balloon with the chance to win a prize of \$25 - \$100 value. Additionally, the person with the most referrals at the end of the year will be recognized at the annual meeting for helping the AAGW grow.

Please help us welcome our new members!

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