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### October Tar Heel Woman

**Members** - check your email for  
the current Tar Heel Woman,  
published by BPW/NC.

Non-members may view this  
edition and archives on the  
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### Dinner Menu

Brier Creek Country Club [Map  
& Directions](#)

#### Menu:

All dinners are Chef's Choice  
and will include an entrée that  
will either be beef, pork or  
chicken.

The vegetarian option must be  
reserved in advance during the

### Dear BPW/Raleigh Site Visitor,

We are honored to have Film & Television Director Joan Darling share her story with us during October's dinner meeting. She will be inspiring us all to dare to achieve; to build our skill-sets and make the connections needed to succeed in any career we choose.

#### You ready to do some Googling?

We will honor Ms. Darling by utilizing all her TV and Film accomplishments during the networking game. Google her; come prepared to win a prize! It should be a fun and inspiring evening for all!

**What:** BPW Award Presentation and Dinner Meeting

**When:** Tuesday, October 26

**Topic:** Dinner with Joan Darling

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Thank you to the following businesses for sponsoring November's WEE event. If you are interested in sponsorship opportunities, click [here](#).

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Club President

### BPW Dinner Meeting - October 26, 2010

### Celebrating National Business Women's Week

**FEATURED SPEAKER:** [Joan Darling](#)

**Pioneering Director of TV and Film**

**Date:** Tuesday, October 26

**Time:** 5:30pm - Registration & Networking

6:15pm - Dinner and Program

**Venue:** Brier Creek Country Club, Raleigh ([map](#))

**Fee (includes dinner):**

Early Bird Member fee \$22 (before Oct. 17)

Regular Member fee \$25

Non Member fee \$30

**Registration:** [www.BPW.Raleigh.org](#)

**Deadline to Register:** Friday, October 22, noon

**NOTE:** You must register and pay in advance of the meeting in order to attend.

registration process.  
Vegetarian option: Grilled red peppers stuffed with spinach, sundried tomatoes, caramelized onions, and fresh mozzarella cheese.

**Reservations Deadline:**  
**Friday, October 22, 12pm**

**REGISTER NOW!**

## Upcoming



**Don't miss upcoming programs and events!**

### Upcoming BPW Events

**Oct 26: Directors Guild and Emmy Award-winner, Joan Darling**, will help us celebrate **National Business Women's Week**. An actress and one of the first female directors in film and TV, Joan is regarded as one of the nation's most outstanding creative talents.

**Nov 12-14:** The BPW/Raleigh Club is honored to host **Women Empowered and Enlightened: Building Powerful Women**- an event filled with expert speakers and networking opportunities.

### Upcoming Business Events

**Oct 19:** [Green Awards Expo](#)

**Nov 17-18:** [Internet Summit 10 - Raleigh, NC](#)

### Announcements From The Board

- We've been able to raise the \$1000 funds for the Lois E. Frazier scholarship! This allows us to offer the Mary Fox scholarship this year too! Way to go ladies!!
- New website and registration process to launch late October!
- Next BPW business meeting will be held Wednesday, Nov. 3. See details below.

### Birthday Bonus

Members, when it is your birthday month, please bring in a gift valued at no more than \$15 to be raffled off for our scholarship fund. This is an easy way for us to raise money, and a fun way for you to share your birthday with someone else. Thank you for helping out with Scholarship!

## Promote Your Business Through BPW Raleigh



### **We need your help to recruit sponsors for November's WEE!**

In November ~50 business and professional women from across the state of North Carolina will be in Raleigh to partake in our Women Empowered and Enlightened (WEE) speaker event. As BPW is a nonprofit that is managed and operated by volunteers, all funding for BPW initiatives comes from ticket sales, fundraising and sponsorship efforts. Our successes would not be achievable without the generous contributions from our members, guests, and sponsors.

We need your help in securing sponsors! A limited number of sponsorship opportunities are available starting at **only \$100**. [Click here](#) for options and how YOU can help! We are asking each of you to please contact at

least 5 businesses ([Click here for sample letter](#)). This is an **outstanding networking and brand-building opportunity!** Act today so sponsors get the biggest benefit from sponsorship!

**Sponsorship Opportunities for BPW/Raleigh's Monthly Dinner Meetings Get in Front of Your Target Audience! Build your brand. Cultivate relationships.** We invite members and friends to sponsor a BPW/Raleigh dinner meeting or event. As a sponsor, you are entitled to exclusive access to our community, recognition benefits, and opportunities to connect and better distinguish your firm or company with our members and guests. Sponsorships start at only \$100! We will promote your business on our website and in our eNewsletter. We will provide time and space for you to promote yourself at our events.

To know more about all of our Sponsorship opportunities, check with our President Elect: Michelle Evans([President-Elect@bpwraleigh.org](mailto:President-Elect@bpwraleigh.org)).

## Membership News



**Mary Ellen Randall** has been invited to speak at the [2011 IEEE Women In Science & Engineering Conference](#). She will be travelling to Australia in March for the event.

Mary Ellen, a past BPW/Raleigh President, is founder and CEO of [Ascot Technologies, Inc.](#), a company which develops application software for cell phones, wireless devices, and the web.

### Morrisville Chamber of Commerce

All BPW/Raleigh members are also members of the Morrisville Chamber of Commerce and therefore, welcome to attend any Chamber events. [Visit their Web site](#) for details.

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### Monthly Business Meeting

First Wednesday of each month  
[Earth Fare](#), 10341 Moncreiffe Rd, Raleigh NC  
6:15 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.  
Open to all BPW/Raleigh members