



# Corpus Christi Executives Association

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## March Presentation Of Programs

- 4<sup>th</sup>            **Jim Mokry**  
                  **Mokry Plumbing**
- 11<sup>th</sup>           **Norm Wilcox**  
                  **Carlisle Insurance**
- 18<sup>th</sup>           **Nathan Lindell**  
                  **Lindell Chiropractic**
- 25<sup>th</sup>           **Sarah Graham**  
                  **Group One Real Estate**

We urge everyone to give a Program. Please  
call Tony Montez  
@ 991-2214 to sign up.

## President's Message

By: Ann Skaro

Texas has been voted #1 best to weather the economic down turn. We are #1 in our nation for energy production, expanded manufacturing and have one of the very few offshore wind farms. Most states own 3 miles or less of land from their coast. However, Texas owns 6 miles out, eliminating need for federal intervention. So, the above facts are taught at my recent encounter with Texas government officials.

Our group, in my opinion, is the #1 best to weather the time. Think each day how you may refer to your fellow members. A commitment for one referral a week to any one member will benefit your business many times over.

Keep up your level of business integrity and commitment to CCEA.

C - Contribution to Business & Community

C- Caring for Business & Community

E – Endless Effort in Business & Community

A – And more of all the above

Thank you for allowing me to serve in any capacity.

Ann Skaro

## Board Officers

- President:**            Ann Skaro  
**Vice President:**    John Clonch  
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- George Clower            David Hebert  
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- Programs**            Tony Montez  
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**Classifications**  
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## Executive Secretary

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Opportunity knocks many times in our lives; however, so often we don't recognize it. Whataburger is relocating their headquarters to San Antonio. Group One Real Estate has been selected by Whataburger to assist in marketing a great number of homes for this move. The homes are all pre inspected – General Home Inspections, Termite Inspections, and pre appraised. It's a wonderful opportunity for a buyer because these are fee paid relocations and I'm finding that the homes are in exceptionally nice condition and are going on the market at excellent pricing. Those things coupled with the great interest rates we have available today and PERHAPS an incentive to homebuyers from the government's stimulus package to be forthcoming should have everyone calling GROUP ONE REAL ESTATE immediately to start looking for the perfect home. 991-9111.

Sarah Graham,  
BROKER/REALTOR/CRB/GRI  
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