

The Service Guild of Birmingham held its Annual May Luncheon in honor of the Class of 2003 at The Club on May 3, 2010. The Service Guild is a service organization dedicated to maximizing the potential of children, from birth to three years of age at risk for development delay, through the professional services of The Bell Center for Early Intervention Programs (BCEIP). The members have collectively contributed over 4,200 hours in the classroom this year working individually with the children enrolled in the programs of The Bell Center.

Awards were presented to outstanding members for the 2009-2010 year. Among those honored were Melissa Oliver, who was the recipient of the Dedication to BCEIP Award, Tracy Thornton, who was honored as Outstanding New Member, and Jennifer Andress, honored as Outstanding Member. The Betty Bell Service Award is presented to a member who goes above and beyond what is expected in their work with the children. This year's recipient was Suzanne Gurosky. The Garnet Deramus Award recipient, awarded to an exceptional member going past active, was Misti Weaver. Current President, Terri Yates, thanked the award recipients for their dedication and call to service.



The 2010-11 officers, installed by Past President Melanie Toranto, are Julie Cundiff, President; Pauline Scott, President-Elect; Jess Mason, Vice President-Communications; Libby Kellen, Vice President – BCEIP; Anna Colvin, Vice President – Membership; May Thomas-Brewer, Treasurer; Catherine Walker, Members at Large; Jen Dent, Secretary; and Ashley Johnson, Parliamentarian.



Members were reminded of the upcoming Low Country Crawfish Boil on May 15th at 6:30 pm at the home of Suzanne and Jeff Gurosky. Others enjoying the luncheon were Kara Myers, Laura DiFatta, Katie Thompson, Ashley Johnson, Marilyn Dixon, Elizabeth Croft, Julie Stewart, Misty Decker, Leah Knight, Katie Bolton, Julie Gillis, Jeanne Shannon, Mary Beth Dean, Alice Womack, Laura Promer, Laura Read, Adriane Morris, Caroline Sirkin, Melissa Huddleston, Mandy Prewett, Temple Alexander, Tracy Bragg, and Evelyn Graham.