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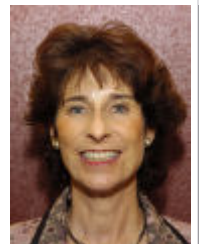
Meetings: Tuesday mornings, 7:30 a.m., Lakeside Restaurant, Ocean Ave

August 12th, 2008

Welcome Today's Speaker

LUCY W. RECKSEIT

Lucy W. Reckseit, director of outreach and alliance development, [MicroCredit Enterprises](#), a nonprofit, tax-exempt organization committed to alleviating poverty by mobilizing private investment capital to finance micro-businesses of poor families throughout the developing world. MicroCredit Enterprises gears its entrepreneurial results to produce jobs, sustain micro-businesses and improve human lives. MicroCredit Enterprises is guarantor-based, rather than donor-based, and is staffed primarily with pro bono professionals around the country. The lending focus is on those microfinance institutions that on-lend microloans to families living in extreme poverty (that is, those living on \$1.00 per day or less) and, thus, promoting sustainable economic development.



Lucy Reckseit is a corporate attorney with extensive experience counseling mid-stage to late-stage emerging growth companies, and she was a pioneer of the "fractional" or part-time general counsel model, which is now embraced by many companies to meet their in-house legal needs. Among her "extracurricular" activities, Lucy serves on the advisory boards for both the [VC Task Force](#) and [Astia](#) (formerly, the Women's Technology Cluster). Lucy is also on the board of directors, and serves as secretary for the [San Francisco Bay Area Chapter of the Association of Corporate Counsel](#) and is treasurer of the [Northern California chapter of Women Advancing Microfinance](#). Lucy received her B.S. degree in psychology from Vassar College, an interdisciplinary M.S. degree in education and developmental psychology from Tulane University and her J.D. degree from the University of California, Hastings College of the Law.

FAMILY FUN FEST FAST APPROCHES

SEE FLYER ATTACHED.... AND SIGN-UP NOW

DON'T FORGET TO VOLUNTEER AT GLIDE ON THE 23rd... JOANNA SAYS SO !!

Hey All - we're gearing up to help serve lunch at Glide Memorial as our local service project for August!!! I know it's VERY SOON, but if your schedule is anything like mine, your weekends get booked fast. It's going to be a fulfilling two hours (8/23, 11:30am-1:30pm), where we help serve food to people in need, and interact with them as well. It is a great opportunity to get involved in our community where help from volunteers is truly needed.

A bit from the volunteer coordinator at Glide: Your presence at Glide sends a powerful message to the hungry persons who eat in our Daily Free Meals Program, it says that you care and that they are worth of your time and energy. The diverse population who regularly utilize Glide's Daily Free Meals Program include those who are homeless or near homeless, those whose lives have been impacted by the use of drugs and alcohol and/or mental illness, elders and low-income families or individuals.

There are only 14 possible spots, so please be sure to sign up early to make sure you can volunteer at this event. Feel free

to e-mail (emily.sfrotaract@gmail.com) or call with questions.

NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKER TO BE ANNOUNCED