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To: Members and Non-members of ACGM.

As President of the ACGM Association I want to bring you up to date as to what went on during the year of 2007. Several board members had a very busy year.

January 10, we had our quarterly board meeting in Columbia, MO.

February 7, The Eagles # 3934 in Springfield, MO. (Bob Garrison) hosted a mini seminar with Jane Bax and Rachel Farr from the Gaming Commission was there to answer many questions from those who attended.

February 8, Branson Hollister Lions Club (Dean Courtney) hosted a mini seminar in Branson, MO. again Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were there to answer questions from the audience.

March 28, a mini clinic was held at The Eagles Lodge #3770 hosted by Bingo Supply Center (Darry Miller) in Nevada, MO. Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were there to answer questions.

April 18, we had our quarterly board meeting in Columbia, Mo.

May 15, another mini clinic was held at the Dexter Elks Club hosted by Games Galore (Mike Masterson) in Dexter, MO. Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were there to answer questions for everyone.

May 16, a mini clinic was held at Bingo World it was hosted by the Cape Optimist Club in Cape Girardeau, MO. several people attended, Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were there to answer their questions.

June 13, we were in Kansas City, MO. the seminar was hosted by The Southside Optimist Bingo (Ralph How). Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were present to answer several questions that were asked by the audience. Have any question call Ralph @ 816-229-0045.

September 18, a mini seminar was hosted at the American Legion Post 253 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM, from there we went to the VFW Post 3944 were a second seminar was hosted by All American bingo. Jane Bax and Rachel Farr were there to answer questions that were asked by the audience.

As I stated at the 2006 convention ACGM has a new beginning, we will work as a team in order to earn the respect of all bingo organizations and distributors, numbers do count.

To justify having the Mini Clinic's (Seminars) in the future <u>we must enroll new members</u> in the Association. If your organization is not a member of ACGM at the present time, I certainly hope your bingo committee will consider becoming a member.

Don't forget our ACGM convention will be held <u>October 19 & 20</u> at the Lake of the Ozarks. Convention headquarters will be at Port Arrowhead.

<u>Gene McNary</u> the Executive Director of the Missouri Gaming Commission will be our guest speaker Saturday evening at the dinner. <u>He's a great speaker</u>. Please make plans to hear what he has to say about the future of charitable games of bingo.

You may now look at our new web site www.bingo-acgm.org have any questions go to officers click on my e-mail tou789@sbcglobal.net I will be happy to answer any questions you might have. You may call me at 636-227-5119 (home) or 314-393-3312 (cell).

All ACGM board members volunteer their time and efforts.

Tom Murphy, President ACGM