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# John G. Stumpf

Chairman, President and CEO, Wells Fargo & Company Friday, March 5, 2010 Naples Beach Hotel, Everglades Dining Room

John Stumpf became Chairman for Wells Fargo & Company in January 2010. He was named Chief Executive Officer in June 2007, elected to Wells Fargo's Board of Directors in June 2006, and has been President since August 2005.

A 27-year veteran of the company, he joined the former Norwest Corporation (predecessor of Wells Fargo) in 1982 in the loan administration department and then became senior vice president and chief credit officer for Norwest Bank, N.A., Minneapolis. He held a number of management positions at Norwest Bank Minneapolis and Norwest Bank Minnesota before assuming



responsibility for Norwest Bank Arizona in 1989. He was named regional president for Norwest Banks in Colorado/Arizona in 1991. From 1994 to 1998, he was regional president for Norwest Bank Texas. During his four years in that position, he led Norwest's acquisition of 30 Texas banks with total assets of more than \$13 billion.

In 1998, with the merger of Norwest Corporation and Wells Fargo & Company, he became head of the Southwestern Banking Group (Arizona, New Mexico and Texas). Two years later he became head of the new Western Banking Group (Arizona, Colorado, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming). In 2000, he led the integration of Wells Fargo's acquisition of the \$23 billion First Security Corporation, based in Salt Lake City. In May 2002, he was named Group EVP of Community Banking. In December 2008, he led one of the largest mergers in history with the purchase of Wachovia.

He serves on the Board of Directors for The Clearing House and the Financial Services Roundtable. He also serves on the Board of Trustees of the San Francisco Museum of Modern Art. A Minnesota native, he earned his bachelor's degree in finance from St. Cloud State University, St. Cloud, Minnesota and his MBA with an emphasis in finance

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from the University of Minnesota.

# **Guest Ticket Request for March 5, 2010**

# John G. Stumpf

To place a request for one guest ticket please submit to <u>email@theforumclub.org</u>. If guest tickets are available, requests are processed in order of receipt and must be received by

## February 26th.

They will be mailed by that date and you will be billed \$40, or notified if there is no space. Please remember, guests must be accompanied by a member.

## Tickets are Non-exchangeable and Non-refundable

# Michael B. Yanney

Chairman Emeritus, Burlington Capital Group, LLC Friday, March 19, 2010 Naples Beach Hotel, Everglades Dining Room

Michael Yanney is Chairman Emeritus of the Board of the Burlington Capital Group LLC, formerly America First Companies, which has managed public and private investment funds that have raised over \$16 billion. From 1977 until the organization of the first such fund in 1984, Mr. Yanney was principally engaged in the ownership and management of commercial banks. Mr. Yanney served as a director and member of the Executive Committee of FirsTier Financial, Inc., the largest bank holding company in Nebraska, from 1985 until his resignation in 1991. He has



done business in the former Soviet Union, Russia, Ukraine, Georgia, Kazakstan, Mali, and the Philippines since 1976.

Mr. Yanney is a member of the board of directors for the Burlington Capital Group LLC, America First Apartment Investors, Inc., Level 3 Communications, Inc., Tetrad, Omaha State Bank, and was formerly a director of Burlington Northern Santa Fe Corporation, Freddie Mac Advisory Board, Durham Resources, Inc., Freedom Communications, Inc., Forest Oil Corporation, MFS Communications, Inc., PKS Information Services, Inc., Omaha Steaks, and Telecom Technologies, Inc.

Mr. Yanney has chaired numerous fundraising drives and charities, both locally and nationally. His primary community interest is a youth mentoring program he founded in 1989 called All Our Kids, Inc. (AOK). AOK matches mentors with Omaha area students from junior high through high school. Upon completion of high school, AOK provides these students with scholarships for post-secondary education. He is also actively engaged as President of Building Bright Futures.

Mr. Yanney is a graduate of the University of Nebraska at Kearney, the American Institute of Banking (New York) - Graduate Degree, and the University of Wisconsin School of Banking - Commercial Banking Graduate Degree. He received the Horatio Alger award in 2005. He is married and has one daughter.

### 1994

John M. Passidomo 1995

Donald J. York

1996-1997

Raymond Mueller **1997-1998** 

R. James Harvey 1998-1999

Carol E. Girardin

1999-2000

Thomas E. Ingram

2000-2001

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2001-2002

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2002-2003

L. Lindsey Halstead

2003-2004

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2004-2005

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2006-2007

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2009-2010 Speaker Program

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**November 6, 2009** Former Speaker of the House

of Representatives

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## Michael B. Yanney

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## November 13, 2009

Governor of Minnesota

WILL WHITEHORN

**December 11, 2009** President, Virgin Galactic

## MARGARET SPELLINGS

January 8, 2010

Former U.S. Secretary of Education

# THOMAS M. HOENIG, Ph.D.

**January 15, 2010** President, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City

## DR. ROBERT A. LEVY

February 5, 2010

Chairman, CATO Institute

#### DR. PETER J. PRONOVOST

## February 19, 2010

Professor, Department of Anesthesiology and Critical Care Medicine, Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine and Medical Director, The Center for Innovations in Quality Patient Care

## JOHN G. STUMPF

March 5, 2010

President and CEO, Wells Fargo & Company

## MICHAEL B. YANNEY

#### March 19, 2010

Chairman, Burlington Capital Group, LLC (To be joined by a U.S. Russian Embassy member)

**CHARLES LEWIS** 

April 9, 2010

Executive Editor, Investigating



Students from Gulf Coast High School attended the luncheon on January 8, 2010 with former U.S. Secretary of Education, Margaret Spellings, and were sponsored by Ed Wollman.

# **MISSION STATEMENT**

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- Provide a congenial meeting atmosphere for members to enjoy prominent speakers in fields such as academia, business, economics, finance, government, health, international relations, media and the arts, science and technology
- *Promote the highest civic, moral and ethical standards*
- Share the "Forum Club Experience" with outstanding high school students in Collier County
- Provide scholarships to Collier County high school students

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