

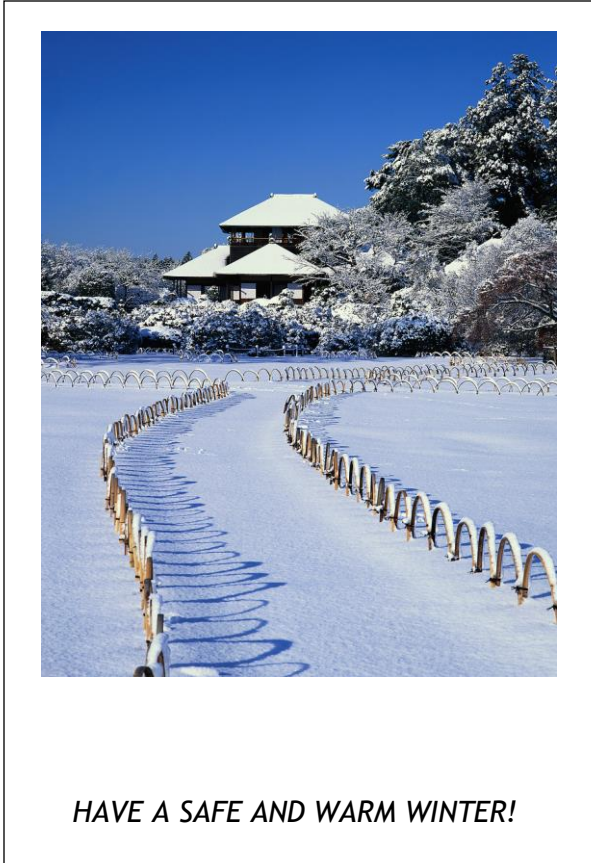
2008 - YOUR BEST YEAR!

Yes, it is that special time of year when you hear; new beginnings, lose weight, have big financial gains, get organized, etc and you all say YES! Ok, lets be honest, this lasts about a few weeks and then that great feeling of change goes away as reality sets in. I am here to say, no, it does NOT have to fade away, help is here!

First, be realistic about your goals. This is something I always tell my clients. Spread out the time line on when and how you work on your project. Don't think you will get that spare bedroom cleared out and organized in 1 hour after you have been storing things in that room for years.

Take 1 category to work and get organized. For example, sort and go through clothes in the room, or gift wrapping or craft items or books, etc. Whatever it may be, start with that and ONLY work on that category. Don't move on to the next category until you have that specific category completed or mostly done.

Always FINISH the current project that you are working on so you can feel the great accomplishment of the project being completed. No matter how big or small that may be. Also, the hardest step is always the first one. So let's start the New Year right! You will be a happy and relaxed person, and 2008 will be YOUR best year yet!



STORE SPECIALS - DO NOT MISS OUT!

TARGET STORE

Christmas bins and holiday organizing supplies on sale now.

CONTAINER STORE

Elfa® premier shelving and drawer system sale going on now. Save up to 30% on your home and office closet systems.

OFFICE MAX

Store sales on several office equipment and supplies to start off your New Year on the right track.

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I hope 2007 was a great year for you and I know that 2008 will be even better! So far, 2008 is starting off as gang busters for Organized To Perfection.

January is Get Organized Month (GO Month) established by NAPO (National Association of Professional Organizers). The Chicago Chapter of NAPO is sponsoring an organizing contest for a residential room and business office space.

I have been selected to be a judge for the GO Month residential contest. I am currently on the NAPO Chicago Chapter board of directors as secretary.

I will also continue my work on the Certification team for NAPO National for organizers to become certified. I received my certification in June 2007.

I hope in 2008 you are all healthy, happy and organized!



RESOURCE LIST SPECIALS:

Dennis Miller, DJM Travel

DJM Travel has rates competitive to the web or better. Personal concierge services. Ask for Organized To Perfection discount. www.djmtravel.com
630-761-1955

Mark Goering, Affordable Custom Closets

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www.affordablecustomclosets.com

ORGANIZING CALENDAR OF EVENTS:

January: Get Organized Month

February: Time Management Month

March: Organize your Home Office Day

ELIZABETH'S WINTER PRESENTATION SCHEDULE:

JANUARY 3RD: ST CHARLES KIWANIS CLUB
 JANUARY 16TH: FOX VALLEY NEWCOMERS AND NEIGHBORS
 JANUARY 23RD: VICTORY CENTRE OF BARTLETT
 FEBRUARY 14TH: NORTHLAKE WOMENS CLUB
 FEBRUARY 21ST: HELPMATES GROUP



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