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President Cat

Hello Members & Friends!

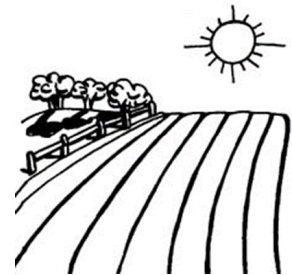
What a busy weekend it was with Monticello Riverfest! Our beautiful float in the parade was a good way of “Cultivating Our Future” – a big thank you to Linda and Dawn for chairing that and to those that walked the route. A special thank you to Miss Monticello Mady Turner and candidate Kayla Kleinstein for representing our community and making our chapter proud to have you as members. Kudos to Dawn Hendricks and Mercedes Turner for chairing the Riverfest Dance Concessions, to Kay Schroden for chairing duck adoptions, and to Trina Hedquist and Torrey Brown for chairing the parade water.

A huge welcome to Danna Bromaghin, who joined our chapter at the July meeting. And thank you to all the guests that attended our meeting: Monticello Royalty and candidates, guest speaker Kari Green (and her mom), Cindy Umland, Rhonda Eckhart, Ashley Blaha (who will be joining soon), and Caitlyn’s friend, Zoe Luna.

Barb – thanks for hosting the Lucky Buck for July and raising \$65. Congrats to new member Danna who won the wine basket. Thanks to meeting greeter, Lauren; hostesses, Michelle, Sara R, and Cat; and Trista and Lauren for the invocation and benediction.

A motion was approved to hold a garage sale fundraiser with proceeds to be used toward a “Free Little Library.” Dawn has more information in the newsletter about this new project.

Debby reported that \$100.57 was collected from the well for Coins for a Cause. The advertising campaign for this project is now underway.



Upcoming Events you
don't want to miss:

Fall District Meeting,
Monticello – August 18th

Fall State Convention,
Cragun's – September 16
-18th

State Fair on a Stick M-
event – August 29th

World's Finest Chocolate
fundraiser – 2nd tri-
mester

Black Sheep Mystery
Tour – October 21-24

Fall Convention

**Will be held at Craguns Resort in Brainerd.
Come join us for a fiesta.
September 16th -18th.**

State Delegate

District Orientation

District orientation was held on June 30th and was attended by: Trina, Cat, and Sara R. We left MCC around 5:30 to start our journey up to Sartell with the thoughts of Ice cream sundaes dancing in our heads. We were able to meet our new district board and receive training for our chapter board positions. It was a great evening.

Fall District Meeting

Will be held on August 18th at the Monticello Resurrection Church. Registration starts at 6:15. If you come you get to meet the new head coach of our district Barb Zeroth as we enjoy great food, company and what's going on in our district.



**SILENT
AUCTION**

Fall Convention Art Auction!

There will be an Art Auction at fall convention. For example if you have any paintings, pottery, mosaics etc. please see me and I will bring it to state to be auctioned off if you wish to donate. I do believe the money raised goes towards the State.

EXTRA!

EXTRA!

READ ALL ABOUT IT!!!

PLEASE READ THIS ARTICLE

PLEASE LOOK FOR THE SERVICE HOUR BOOK AT MEETING CHECK IN – then you won't be sidetracked during the meeting (yeah).

Service hours are the main go to for the state to know how many our chapter is racking up (and we do – kudos!!) But we pass the book and say we'll fill it in later but don't (myself included). I have seen big projects with 4 hours logged and that is it....how do we fix that you ask?? I am open to suggestions.

One thing we are going to try is including a Log Sheet in with the project file that gets handed out to the chair person. The log sheet is to be taken to the event/project and the chair makes sure all involved are on the sheet with hours to include all members/family/guests (anyone helping).

When you look at the service hour book please, please just look at the cover for what all is a service hours.

They are:

Passing out information/educating

Giving all reports

Baking

Set up

Fund raising

Phone calling/emailing

Committee work/planning

Thank you cards

Writing an article

Shopping

The actual project

Clean up

You probably underestimate what you have done.....give yourself some credit for all the wonderful things you do for others!!! And thank youJ Barb

RIVERFEST

STREET DANCE CONCESSIONS!

On Saturday, July 16th we enjoyed an evening at the Riverfest Street Dance Concessions. The weather was doing great but ended up raining. We compacted our sales area and with the help of the Riverfest Committee Chairs we were able to put up 2 canopies and keep selling! It was cut a bit short when the lightning moved in, but it was a great time! Members, family and PALS who helped were;

Illeana, Sarah S., Erik S., Lauren, Debby, Joel, Shelly, Cindy, Rose, Cathy, Nancy, Glorie, Arlis, Pam B., Bonita, Trina, Pam P., Cassie, Dawn, Mike, Lynzie, Mercedes, Tom, Myranda, Kenzie, and our PALS from Anoka; Angela T., Stephanie R., and Bonnie W.

That is a total of 27 people who helped make this project a success!

Total Hours worked are 125!

PIE EATING CONTEST!

The weather didn't cooperate on Thursday evening, so the pie eating contest was moved to Saturday During the Street Dance Concessions.



RIVERFEST PARADE!!!



MEMBERSHIP

The following members are up for renewal for 1st Trimester.

Please submit your renewal dues to Nancy or Glorie as soon as possible. We need your payment no later than the July general meeting to allow us time to meet the Early Bird Renewal deadline.

Melanie, Barb B., Pam B., Caitlyn, Torrey, Linda, Maribel, Lauren,
Bonita, Kayla, Sara R., Kay, and Lori.

(Names in Green have paid their dues, THANK YOU!)



STATE FAIR FOOD ON A STICK!

We're planning a State Fair on a Stick M-Event on Monday, August 29th. We're asking members to bring food on a stick. We'll have a few state fair-like games - for example bean bags, throw ping pong balls in the Solo cup, etc. - to win chances at \$5 off membership certificates. If you want to help us plan this fun event, let us know.

More details will be at the August meeting.

Out & About was Tuesday, July 12th. Monticello Women of Today participated by attending Judging Night for the Riverfest Royalty program. Members attending included Mercedes, Mady, Illeanna, Danielle, Michelle, Kayla, Annette and Nancy.



Treasurer/Secretary

Treasurer Report

July, 2016

Checking balance as of June 30, 2016 \$869.23.

Savings balance as of June 30, 2016 \$3636.29.

Treasurer has check requisition forms and receipt forms available if needed. There are copies on the website also. On website go to member info, then to forms for members.

Dues may be paid in installments with the full payment due by the member's anniversary date.

The treasurer is unable to reimburse over the budget written in the approved 2016-2017 budget.

Anyone turning in a check requisition forms please turn it into the chairman of the project before turning it into the treasurer. Please have all forms filled out completely.



Growing by the Minutes: Michelle

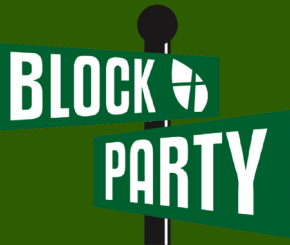
This is a big thank you to those who emailed reports to me before the meeting or submitted them on the NEW forms at the meeting. It is a tremendous help when it comes time to recording the minutes. With so much information, and my distractibility, I need all the help I can get.

EXTERNAL PROGRAMMING



Hygiene Products

Please bring women's hygiene products to the August meeting to be donated at fall convention for Breaking Free. Examples are: shampoo, conditioner, soap, shower gel, razors, deodorant, toothbrushes, toothpaste, and lotion.



Monticello Downtown Block Party was held on Wednesday, July 13th. The Chamber of Commerce had asked us for volunteers to help with the Cake Walk. Dawn and Kay helped from 4:00-7:00. It was a fun evening for kids and adults with a variety of activities.

(Nancy was also there, representing the company she works for.)

The Walk-N-Roll was held on June 11th and was attended by: Trina, Pam B., Caitlyn and Sara R. It was a hot sunny day but we managed to have a blast listening to 80's music, playing bean bag toss with the kiddos, handing out candy and fliers.

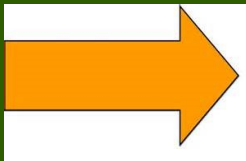
All in all it was a great day.

EXTERNAL PROGRAMMING

Women's Self Defense Night

CANCELED.

Glorie is looking into finding a new date!



Breaking Free

This is our 3 year Priority Project. I am looking forward to adding some fun things in the newsletter, pertaining to this area! For now here is a bit about what Breaking Free is....

Breaking Free was established in October 1996, by Vednita Carter, Founder and President, as a non-profit organization serving women involved in systems of abuse, exploitation, and

Chapter Garage Sale!

The chapter will be having a garage sale August 18-20th, at Dawn's house.

This is a fundraiser to purchase a Little Free Library to put next to our bench at Otter Creek Park.

If you have items you are willing to part with to raise money for this project please make sure they are **CLEAN, PRICED, READY TO SELL** items. If you would like to take items back that don't sell please pick them up on Saturday, or make other plans with Dawn for pick up. All other unsold items will be packed up and donated to Goodwill.

We will be needing; tables, boxes, members to man the sale.

More information at the August meeting!

TIE-BLANKET SOCIAL



A social will be held on Wednesday, August 10th at 6:30 pm at Kayla's house (2320 Eastwood Circle) We will be making 6-8 tie blankets to be donated to the Breaking Free project at fall convention. If you plan to attend, please consider bringing fabric scissors if you have them. Lemonade and snacks will be served. Come join us for a fun evening! A sign up sheet will be passed around at the August meeting.

INTERNAL PROGRAMMING



Kayla-24



Please take
some time to
check out our
new chapter
website!

BLACK SHEEP MYSTERY TOUR

OCT 21, 22, 23, & 24

Keep in mind this **IS NOT THE 3RD WKND**

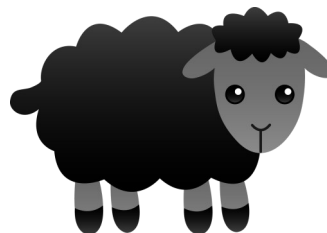
BUT THE 4TH WKND OF OCT.

A sign up sheet will be passed at the August general meeting. Here is a quick run down of the new set up.

A non-refundable check/deposit for 1/2 the price (\$40.00) has guaranteed your spot on the sign up sheet. If ewe have a change of plans & can find someone to take your 'spot' they will pay ewe the 40.

*It is MEA weekend so think about leaving early Friday-
last year 12 of us left 9am.

*If ewe wish to stay over Sunday night too, please do.
Check out Mon 11 am.



INTERNAL PROGRAMMING

THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSERS!

- Schlenner Wenner & Co.
- State Farm Insurance—Dan Olson
- Linda Buchmann—Coldwell Banker Burnet
- Live Laugh & Bloom Floral
- AmericInn Motel
- Alive Lutheran Church
- Steven T. Exsted, OD



COINS FOR A CAUSE

\$100.57 was deposited from the well this month. As well as \$100 for advertising!

The Herbs Health and You Personal Enrichment Series continues with

"A Step Outside Your Door"

On Wednesday, August 17th

Location - TBD

Registration - 6:45 to 7:00

The Presentation will start promptly at 7PM

Do you:

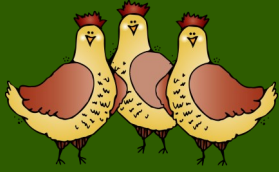
- * Go for walks
- * Work in the garden
- * Go for hikes
- * Help with Adopt-a-Hwy
 - * Camp
 - * Own a yard
 - * Do yard work
- * Have interest in homeopathic remedies
- * Enjoy socializing with WT
- * Like trying new foods
- * Have a thirst for unique knowledge

If you can answer yes to one or more areas on this list,

then this PEP Course is for you!!

You are going to be pleasantly surprised at what you will find by taking "A Step Outside Your Door"!!!

Please RSVP to Pam P. by Aug 14th.



Hen Party Happenings

Barb B.-Thank you for presenting the Lucky Buck for me at the meeting, I had fun visiting my daughter in Colorado-Bonita

Pam B, Caitlyn, Trina: Great job at the walk-n-roll! I had a blast volunteering with you guys!-Sara R.

Trina, Cat: I had a great time with you guys at district orientation.-Sara R.

Dawn: I love your newsletters keep up the great work!-Sara R.

Cat S.: I had a great time with you at the President State Delegate retreat!-Sara R.

Great job to all who volunteered at Riverfest!-Sara R.

Mike and Dawn - Thanks for coming to the rescue! -Debby

Dawn and Linda - Thanks for co-chairing the Riverfest Parade-Debby

Sarah S and Sara W - Thanks for pulling the wagons and walking in the parade-Debby

Kayla - Believe in yourself! Life isn't always fair but duress makes you a stronger person-Debby

* Trina and Torrey - Great job on handing out the parade water. It was fun to work with you! - Pam P

* Mercy and Dawn - A job well done on the street dance concessions!! Bummer it got rained out, huh? - Pam P

* Cat - It was nice to chat with you outside the shed the other day. Need to stay in touch more. - Pam P

* Rose - I have a bookmark you made of a bird that reminds me of a Phoenix. Every time I use it I am so impressed by it. I just love it. You are one talented lady!! And thanks for your generosity in making them for the chapter members. - Pam P

* Maribel - I feel like I am always seeing you - but it is only your picture - It's all over!! Business must be good. Nice float!!! - Pam P

* Linda - Creative idea on the chapter float! It looked very elegant with all the plants and the ladies riding in it. - Pam P

* Tammy - So glad I saw the beast pulling into the Target parking lot and you were able to come and join us. It was great to see you. Hope your finger is MUCH better!! - Pam P

* Rylee - It was really good to see you over the fourth. I loved seeing all of the 'unknown' attractions that the locals know about. Looking forward to seeing you in a couple weeks. Love Mom

* Pam B - So glad to be working on the PEP course with you again. This might be our best one yet! Which would be tough because you did such an awesome job on the 1st two!! - Pam P PS - almost forgot! Congrats on the new job!!!

* Barb - Neighbors, eh? What a fun thought. We just need to get together more to feel like neighbors! - Pam P

* Mady - You looked beautiful at the parade and coronation. I am sure it was very bittersweet to give up your reign. - Pam P

* Caitlyn - So glad to be chairing the Shed Clean Up with you and Barb. Now for the weather to cooperate :/ - Pam P

* Nancy/Pam B - It was fun to serve up Sloppy Joes with you at the dance concessions. A little damp - but fun! - Pam P

* Glorie, Pam B, Ille, Dawn & Tammy - So glad that you all stopped by Caribou the other day. I really enjoyed see-



Hen Party Happenings

* Sarah - So, so, so looking forward to working on the Silly Supper with you and Dawn. Thanks for deciding we should do one. - Pam P

* Shelly - It was nice to chat with you at the dance concessions. I'm glad you enjoyed the project - I think that is a fun one, too. - Pam P

* Sara - Sara? Sarrraaa? Where are you? I glimpsed you at the parade, but haven't had the chance to chat in a while. Actually, it is probably more Pam? Paaaamm? Where are you? I think I have been the one MIA. Hope to see you soon. - Pam P

* Nancy - So glad that I saw you at the park - it was so fun to sit by you and chat. - Pam P

Dawn, great job co-chairing the concessions at Riverfest. Very organized and fun –Mercedes

Cat- I am impressed by your pie eating skills –Mercedes

Concession volunteers- even though we had a second shift rain out it was a great night and a lot of hard work made easier by good attitudes and smiles –Mercedes

Cindy thanks for bringing your smile :) –Mercedes

Sara squared thank you for a great 5k run. Congrats on your PR Sara ! –Mercedes

Danielle and Ille good luck at Global United –Mercedes

Kayla you are a beautiful lady and I wish you the best on your next endeavor –Mercedes

Lauren-t was so much fun to be able to work with you at Riverfest. I don't really get to to talk to you much. The meetings are so busy-Rose

Dawn-Had a great time working with Lynzie. She really is a Gem, and helped me out so much-Rose

Cat-Sorry I missed your pie eating contest, but I had to man the food booth. Were you too full to have a riverdog-Rose

Everyone-Thank you for your prayers, my surgery went great and I am pretty much all healed up!-Dawn

Lauren-I miss you....and CONGRATS on your Presidential Pin!!!-Dawn

Kayla-Hold your head high!-Dawn

Dance Concession Volunteers-Thank you for all your hard work!-Dawn

Mercedes-I think we should co-chair the Dance Concessions again next year!-Dawn

Sarah-Looking forward to the Silly Supper! *mental note* Wear an old shirt! lol-Dawn

Torrey and Barb-Can't wait to do the District meeting dinner with you ladies!-Dawn

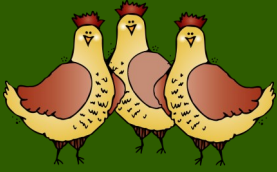
Pam B-It has been nice to see you lately!-Dawn

Tammy-I hope your big finger isn't so big anymore.-Dawn

Danna-WELCOME! Excited to get to know you.-Dawn

Kay and Rose-Thank you for helping with our PALS in Anoka.-Dawn

Sara-3 more months! FREEDOM!!!!!!! :) -Dawn



Hen Party Happenings

Danna – Welcome to the Monticello chapter. So glad you decided to seek us out and join our group! Look forward to getting to know you better. (Cat)

All Members – Have you been thinking about the Black Sheep Mystery Tour? Save the dates: October 21st-24th. Brochures available at the August meeting. (Cat)

Tammy – I've been missing you. Hope things have been going well with your catering and with your family. Please stop in and visit at a meeting or one of our events. (Cat)

Mercedes & Dawn – Excellent job chairing the Riverfest Dance Concessions. Way to hang in there through the rainy evening! (Cat)

Trina & Torrey – Sure appreciate the work you did organizing and handing out water at the end of the parade. (Cat)

Linda & Dawn – Can't thank you enough for taking on the parade float. You came up with a great theme and it looked awesome with all the flowers! (Cat)

Melanie – Hope all went well with the fair and good luck with upcoming horse shows. Thanks for keeping in touch. (Cat)

Ashley – Hope you are enjoying your vacation. Look forward to seeing you again soon and having you join our chapter. (Cat)

MONTICELLO WOMEN OF TODAY GENERAL MEETING – Thursday, July 7, 2016 at Methodist Church

Members present: Kayla Kleinsteuber, Sara Rocksted, Nancy Flesch, Torrey Brown, Kay Schroeden, Mercedes Turner, Arlis Thielke, Sharon Scholl, Cathy Shuman, Michelle Kocak Jones, Rose Goettl, Krisie Garvin, Illeanna Miller, Danielle Enberg, Karla Brandt, Shelly Garvey, Julie Marchand, Glorie Balfanz, Barb Berndtson, Dawn Hendricks, Lauren Henderson, Linda Buchmann, Caitlyn Broekemeier, Annette Schaufler, Lisa Waterworth, Trista Kleinsteuber

Call to Order: 7:03 pm by President Cathy Shuman

Invocation: Trista

Pledge: Sharon

MNWT Creed: Ille

Guest(s): Ashley Blaha, Danna Bromaghin, Cindy Umland, Zoe Luna, Mikara Mitchell, Jade Ye, Brenda Skime, Karen Nodorft, Kari Green, Rhonda Eckhart, Tara Eckhart

Orders of the Day/Quorum: Ille Dawn – 26 out of 42 members/Quorum established

Icebreaker: Lisa- "What is your best memory this summer so far?"

On Time Drawing: Trista

Guest Speakers: Kari Green- MMS Book Read, Royalty and Candidates

Pass Service Hours Book- Barb

SECRETARY: Michelle Kocak Jones "Growing by the Minutes"

Minutes Approval: June minutes were approved.

Thank you notes received: Friends of the Monticello Library

Bd. Mtg. Motions: none

TREASURER: Linda Buchmann "We Reap What We Sow"

Checking balance: \$ 869.23

Savings balance: \$ 3636.29

Reminders given for dues installment option, check requisitions/receipts, reimbursements and transmittals. Budgets and forms are available at general mtgs. Will be emailed in the future.

Financial Audit- done by August. Committee: Linda, Jennifer, Lauren, (Glorie)

PAST PRESIDENT: Dawn Hendricks "Out to Pasture"

Bylaw review- 7/25, 6:30, Caribou by Target- email Dawn suggestions prior to meeting date

Parli Trivia/POA Challenge- game held at monthly mtgs-"When is fiscal year?"

ONTO shirts- \$13 for SM-XL, \$15 2XL-5XL-men's sizes, Orders due 8/31-can order at Aug. mtg.

PRESIDENT: Cathy Shuman "Cultivating Our Future"

Member of the Month: June-Trina, July-Kayla

Board Member of the Month: June-Dawn, July-Barb

Next meeting: 8/4 6:30 social, 7:00 general meeting at United Methodist Church

Board meeting: THUR 7/21 6:30 at Linda's

Fun on the Farm game "The Price of Rice and Everything Nice"

STATE DELEGATE: Sara Rocksted "Let's Go Cow Tippin"

District Orientation: FR-6/30 in Sartell at Boy Scout Office, made sundaes and training held for presidents, state delegates, and program managers, Attended by-Trina, Cat, Sara R

Fall District Mtg- 8/18 at RLC, 6:15 reg., 6:30-meal, 7:00-mtg. Baseball theme- flyer with details passed at meeting. Hosts: Barb, Dawn, Torrey

Nat'l Conv.-6/9-12 in Lincoln NE-Cat attended, Prism of Light Award for CUMC- use of bldg. for chapter mtgs., 1st place certificate awarded for Project Recognition-W&M Lucky Buck monthly fundraiser

Flyers Concessions-Pam B-6/25, Volunteers- Cat, Lisa, Cassie & John Carlson, Pam B, Income: \$114.50, Exp. \$109.33, Profit: \$5.17- due to first event supplies being purchased that will not need to occur again this year, may not do next June. Next event is 7/16.

Fall State Conv/Art Auction-9/16-18, Cragun's in Brainerd- flyer passed, taking art item donations for scholarship fund

Lauren presented with Presidential Pin from Annual

MEMBERSHIP: Nancy Flesch, Glorie Balfanz "Welcome to the Funny Farm"

June Caribou M-event- FR 6/18- Members attending: Nancy, Cat, Debby, Glorie, Trina, Jennifer, 3 prospects including Danna, former St. Cloud member, and Ashley

July Caribou social- 7/23, 10 AM

Mama Mia Movie Memorial Social-Pam, Barb- NR

Downtown Block Party- 7/13, 4-9:30, Chamber looking for volunteers w/games, sign up passed

Tri 1 M-event- State Fair on a Stick, 8/29- Impact Membership Monday-members bring food on a stick to share, games to win \$5 off membership, details at August meeting.

Out & About- 7/12, Red Carpet Gala/Judging Night at 6:30, River City, wear WT shirt/nametag

Tri 1 Social-Sarah S- 7/29- Silly Supper@ Sarah's, RSVP by 7/25

1st TRIMESTER RENEWALS: Melanie, Barb B, Pam B, Caitlyn, Torrey, Linda, Maribel, Lauren, Bonita, Kayla, Sara R, Kay, Lori EARLY BIRD DEADLINE is July 15th

NEW BUSINESS: Kid's Week- 8/14-20, Michelle will write up recognition for Kid's Kitchen

MOTIONS:

M/S/P (Dawn/Ille) I move the Monticello chapter hold a garage sale to raise money to purchase a "Little Free Library" to be placed by our bench near Otter Creek Park (Committee: Nancy, Dawn, Sara R)

M/S/P (Linda/Ille) I move the Monticello chapter increase the budget for the new laptop for the treasurer by \$68.43-making it a total of \$268.43

July Emphasis Month: CC (MN), PR (MN), Extensions (US), Membership (US)

EXTERNAL PROGRAMMING: Barb Berndtson "The Coop"- reminders of Fast Starts due 8/1, Trimester reports due 8/22, refer to LPM folders for more info

Community Connections: Caitlyn Broekemeier "It's Time for a Barn Raising!"

Domestic Violence Awareness-Trina- NR

USWT BOS Friendship Home DVA-Cat-Thanks to Arlis and Jennifer for donations

Riverfest Dance Concessions- Mercy/Dawn- 7/16, help needed for 2nd shift, non-members, age 12+ may help

Riverfest Duck Adoptions-Kay-sign-up will be emailed for Walmart, Runnings, Cub and Highway Liquor locations for additional volunteers

Riverfest Parade Water-Trina/Torrey- Have 3 volunteers, need 3 additional

Walk N Roll- FR- Sara R/Trina- held 6/11, 9-noon along pathway on River Street. Sara R, Trina, Pam B, Caitlyn handed out candy/flyers

Cancer Center Garden-Michelle- Article and photos re-submitted to Times. Eurette Sorenson at Centra Care can be reached at 763-271-2800 if interested in maintaining garden throughout summer

Farmers Mkt booth-Sara/Lisa/Torrey/Trina/(Cat)-NR

Women's Wellness: Torrey Brown "Out of the Briar Patch"

Silver Platters/Sneakers-Barb B-Platters: did not meet in June, Sneakers: meeting 7/22, 11:45 for lunch at MCC Senior Center, RSVP 24 hrs. ahead

Focus(Vit. D)/vegetables(bell pepper)-Torrey

Women's Self Defense Class-Glorie-7/28, 6pm, Glorie's house

Youth of Today: Melanie Aucapina

2016-17 MHS Scholarship-Michelle-(committee: Michelle, Kayla, Ille, Trina)- NR

Kid's Kitchen-Michelle-Michelle will send out volunteer reminders for July/Aug. Location: MHS loading dock area, door 11. If unable to fill commitment please find a replacement.

Mental Health Community Involvement FR-Michelle/Mercy- Monticello Strong, 6/29 fun night for grades 8-12, 100 signed up, 60 showed up, 15 walk-ups, Another event will be in Oct., Ch 5 News covered event

All Night Grad Party-FR-Trina, Cindy (no report)

Red Carpet Gala- Ille/Michelle/Danielle/Mercy- 7/12, River City Extreme, 4:30-hosting, 6:30-judging event begins

Breaking Free: Kayla Kleinsteuber "Heading to the Stable"

Blanket making Social-Kayla- 8/10, 6:30, Kayla's house, bring fabric scissors if you have them

Hygiene Products-Kayla- Collecting at July and August meetings to be donated at Fall Convention (in place of food shelf bags). Thank you to Lana and Sharon for their donations

INTERNAL PROGRAMMING: Debby Manthei "Y'All Come Back Now, Y'hear!"

Living & Learning: Lisa Waterworth "Grow Where You are Planted"

The View-Cindy- "Still Alice" -canceled

PEP course-Pam P/Pam B-Herbs Health: NR

Certifications-date in August

Funshine: Torrey Brown "Down by the Creek"

Birthdays: Kayla- 24th

Birthday Secret Sis-Torrey-July gifts

PALS- Anoka Chapter need help with their Riverfest on 7/9, walking taco concessions

Newsletter: Dawn Hendricks "I Hear You Cluckin' Big Chicken"

Deadline: submit articles, pics, & Hen Happenings to Dawn by 7/15- June submissions- Cat, Sarah S, Michelle, Kayla, Nancy, Glorie, Pam P, Pam B, Lana, Mercy, Rose, Kay, Trina, Linda, Arlis, Lauren, Debby

Newsletter Challenge drawing-June participants-Sarah S, Debby, Arlis, Lauren, Kayla, Michelle, Barb, Pam P, Pam B—winner was Sarah S

Records & Recognition: Pam Peterson "Manure Happens...So Let's Record it!"

Project folders-Pam P-NR

Shed Cleanup-Barb, Pam P, Caitlyn-7/20 at 10am

Public Relations: Trina Hedquist "Guess What, Chicken Butt"

Website-Cat/Pam B-site has been updated, email sent to members

Riverfest Parade Float-Linda/Dawn- need helpers

Chapter shirts bids-Ille- Committee- Ille, Sharon, Rose, Nancy- more info to come

Membership Mondays on FB-Trina-NR

Park bench update-Cat-plaque received, Cat may contact Times for article. \$50 to Parks Dept. for landscaping materials will be sent this month

Ways & Means: Lauren Henderson "Cash Cow"

Coins for a Cause-Debby-Deposit to First MN Bank - change: \$100.57, check from Dan Olson-advertising: \$100.00, annual mailing for advertisers sent 6/21. Nancy, Cat, Glorie, Trina-stuffed envelopes, Nancy-printed flyers/envelopes at a cost of \$61.24, 321 mailed.

Lucky Buck-July-Barb, raised \$65, winner-Danna, August-Sarah S

Car Flags Fundraiser- Pam P- NR

MNWT Fun Pasta promotional-Cat-runs through 8/27, orders can be placed online, 20% profit comes to our chapter

Helping Hands: Michelle ©, Kayla Barb B.-no requests

Good & Welfare

Thank You Hosts: Cat, Michelle, Sara R

Thank You Greeter: Lauren

July Hosts: Nancy, Lana, Glorie

Benediction: Lauren

USWT Creed: Caitlyn

Adjourn at 9:18 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Michelle Kocak Jones, Secretary