# Monticello Women of Today 2023-2024 Plan of Action



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# UNITED STATES WOMEN OF TODAY CREED

We, the United States Women of Today,
Are dedicated to our community and nation,
Are committed to strengthening our individual talents,
And stand united by our friendship and belief in the future.

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## MINNESOTA WOMEN OF TODAY CREED

We, the Women of Today, are service, growth, and fellowship.

We believe that through us great lessons can be learned, worthy deeds performed,

And a hand of fellowship extended to millions of women everywhere.

May we leave the world a better place because we lived and served within it.

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## Dear Monticello Women of Today Members,

Welcome to the 2023-2024 year! I am excited to be chapter president for my second time. (I was president in 2006-2007). My theme is, "Cheens to Volunteers". I look forward to the service, growth, and fellowship we will achieve this year. I hope everyone enjoys their year working on projects, attending activities, m-events, and socials. I challenge all of you to go outside your comfort zone and try something different, whether it be attending a new event, or coming up with a project for our chapter and community. Most importantly, take the opportunity to grow new friendships and sustain current ones. Be proud of your accomplishments, and raise your glass to each other, as we strive to better our community and nation.

Cheers to Volunteers!

Michelle Kocak Jones

Monticello Chapter President

Cheers

Volunteer

#### Officer List

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Monticello Women of Today Past Presidents & Themes				
<u>Year</u>	<u>President</u> <u>Theme</u>			
2022-2023	Barb Boeck	Untie the Knots - We Can, We Will, We Did		
2021-2022	Connie Fink	Friendship Multiplied Through Fellowship		
2020-2021	Sharon Scholl	TEAMWORK - Inspire - Believe - Achieve		
2019-2020	Rhonda Eckhart	A Bouquet of Service, Growth and Fellowship		
2018-2019	Arlis Thielke	Be Brave Enough to Fly		
2017-2018	Glorie Balfanz	Move It and Groove It		
2016-2017	Cathy Shuman	Cultivating Our Future		
2015-2016	Dawn Hendricks	Where There's Smoke, There's Fire!		
2014-2015	Illeana Miller	Live Laugh Bake		
2013-2014	Pam Peterson	A Cup of Fellowship		
2012-2013	Sarah Sundine	In a Garden of FriendsHappiness Grows		
2011-2012	Annette Schaufler	Coasting Along to Success		
2010-2011	Jennifer Lewis-Kannegieter	Songs About Me		
2009-2010	Pam Broekemeier	Doing it Flapper Style		
2008-2009	Laurel Ahsenmacher	Jungle Fever		
2007-2008	Cathy McGowan	Heart to Heart		
2006-2007	Michelle Kocak Jones	Shakin' Things Up		
2005-2006	Beth Osiek	Sunflower Power		
2004-2005	Arlis Thielke	Bear Necessities (Pawing New Paths in Service, Growth & Fellowship)		
2003-2004	Julie Kasa	If we BEElieve, we can Achieve. Let's BEElieve Together.		
2002-2003	Pat Daniel	You are the Key to our Success		
2001-2002	Kris Kleist & Lori Foecke	Friendship Love & Loyalty, Fills Our Pot O'Gold		
2000-2001	Barb McNabb	Sharing the Fruits of our Labor		
1999-2000	Barb Berndtson	Planting a Vision into the Millenium		
1998-1999	Jennifer Block (Pam Peterson)	We fit Together Like Pieces of a Puzzle		
1997-1998	Barb Berndtson (Pam Peterson)	Fishing for Fellowship		
1996-1997	Susan Mentzel	Take Time		
1995-1996	Lynne Tormoen	Patchwork of Friends		
1994-1995	Cathy Shuman	Just Cattin' Around		
1993-1994	LaRae Lymer	A Bounty of Friendship		
1992-1993	LuAnn Pelletier	Offering Our Hearts & Hands to Others		
1991-1992	Krista Zillmer	Together We Can Reach for the Stars		
1990-1991	Rhonda Thielen	Bee Somebody		
1989-1990	Cathy Cummings	Friendship Moo-ves the Heart		
1987-1989	Bev Larson	Our Hands Extend to Circle Our Friendship		

## 23-24 Chapter Meetings

## **Chapter general Meetings:**

First Thursday of each month
Social Hour - 6:30 pm; General Meeting - 7:00 pm
Location: Resurrection Lutheran Church

#### **Board Meetings:**

Third Thursday of each month 6:30 pm

Location: Meetings will be held at President Michelle's

residence

#### **IMPORTANT LINKS & INFORMATION**

#### **Chapter Forms & Information**

All Monticello Chapter Forms can be found at **Monticellowomenoftoday.org** under **Member** 

Resources/Forms <a href="http://www.monticellowomenoftoday.org/member-information/">http://www.monticellowomenoftoday.org/member-information/</a>

Expense Voucher Form Project Sign-up

Receipt Memo Project Report

Motion Slip LPM Trimester Report 2022-23 Shed

List

#### **Certification Forms**

MNWT Living & Learning -

https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/SW7bdp4cA7uw2BkZ7biJ

Wellness & Personal Development -

https://drive.google.com/file/d/0B7YhEH8ChX5gbkVOU2F2Y1I1Mlk/view?resourcekey=0-G\_7acdol2WennB4ka-fG-A

**Outstanding Achievement in Programming -**

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1urq9xHfDCeJ-4zEofzhZMlkdf5LQTgA/view

STEP I <a href="https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/42e4n20e0c1q2rv">https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/42e4n20e0c1q2rv</a>

STEP II <a href="https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/yg0Axe5XOzUw9kfji9b8">https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/yg0Axe5XOzUw9kfji9b8</a>

STEP III <a href="https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/8cGed8Jcap24o4BF0Vy">https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/8cGed8Jcap24o4BF0Vy</a>

STEP IV <a href="https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/f97i5W20Ph6cM58nfTLNu3As8">https://www.emailmeform.com/builder/form/f97i5W20Ph6cM58nfTLNu3As8</a>

Approved 6/1/23

KEY:	PURPLE - Chapter BLU	IE - Distr	rict RED - State GR	EEN – Nat	ional <b>BLACK</b> - Projects
AGD	MONTH	AGD	MONTH	AGD	MONTH
	<u>May, 2023</u>		<u>SEPTEMBER</u>		<u>FEBRUARY</u>
Mar	LOTS	Jul	Women of Today Week	Nov	Family Winter Bingo
Mar	Annual State Conv		(proclamation)	Nov	Family Winter Concessions
Apr	MHS Scholarship	Jul	Fall State Convention	Dec	Member/Partner
Apr	Future Glance	Aug	Shed Clean Up		Appreciation
Apr	<b>Budget Review</b>	Aug	Adopt A Highway		
		Aug	Monticello Magic Closet		
					<u>MARCH</u>
			<u>OCTOBER</u>	Nov	Spring Craft Show Booths
	<u>JUNE</u>	Aug	Halloween Downtown Event	Nov	Spring Craft Concessions
Apr	Walk & Roll	Aug	USWT Mid-Year Conv	Feb	Spring Membership Table
Apr	USWT Annual Convention	Sept	Tri 2 District Meeting	Feb	Tri 3 District Meeting
May	Adopt A Highway	Sep	Rivers of Hope Gala	Jan	Officer Elections
May	LPM Orientation			Feb	Area 2 Meeting
May	Bylaw Review (due Sept)		<u>NOVEMBER</u>		
May	Financial Audit (due Aug)	Oct	Chapter Birthday (1987)		
May	Tri 1 District Meeting	Aug	Fall Craft Show Booths		<u>APRIL</u>
		Sep	Fall Membership Table		
	<u> </u>	Oct	NH Tree Decorating	Feb	Year End Awards &
	<u>JULY</u>	Sep	Outstanding Awards		Banquet
May	Founders Day		i !	Mar	Crossover Board Training
May	Riverfest Talent Show		i !	Apr	Trimester 3 Ballots
May	Riverfest Duck Adoption		<u>DECEMBER</u>	•	Year End Ballots
May	Riverfest Dance Concessions	Oct	Christmas Mtg/Party	Mar	3rd Trimester Reports
May	Riverfest Parade Float	Nov	Cookie Exchange	Feb	Comm Conn Awards
		Dec	Mid-Year Evaluation	Feb	3rd Tri District Mtg/ Elections
		Dec	Trimester 1 Ballots		
		Dec	2nd Trimester Reports		
					MAY 2024
			JANUARY		
	AUGUST	Sept	Bundles of Love	Apr	Future Glance
Jun	Kids Week	•	Women's Day	Apr	Budget Review
Jul	1st Trimester Reports	Jan	Budget Review/Donations	-	LOTS
Aug	Trimester 2 Ballots	Nov	Nominating Committee	Mar	Annual State Conv
			Winter State Convention		
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Monthly Activities: Membership Coffee, Laundry Collections, Wellness Walk, Lucky Buck auctions Regular Trimester Activities: M-events, Socials, Certification Night/PEP Course

#### 2023-24 Budget

Fiscal Year: June 1st - May 31st

		INCOME Budget	EXPENSE Budget			INCOME Budget	<b>EXPENSE</b> Budget
100	President/Admin		425.00	187	USWT Donation		50.00
101	Plan of Action		75.00	188	US Founders Charities Donation		50.00
102	Speaker Gifts		50.00	189	Exec Council Registrations(MNJOTS/Mid-Yr)		500.00
103	Pres/SD Retreat		30.00	192	DD Christmas & Year End gifts		50.00
105	President's Banner		40.00	194	District Meeting Host	125.00	125.00
106	Year End Banquet/awards		400.00	198	Helping Hands		100.00
106A	Year End Banquet/food	500.00	500.00	199	Miscellaneous		80.00
106B	YE Banquet Reimb for Members		150.00		External		
107	Chapter Supplies		125.00	205	MHS Scholarship	1,000.00	1,000.00
110	Past President		40.00	210	Family/Winter Bingo Concessions - YT/	250.00	100.00
120	Programming VP (Local)		60.00	215	FamilyWinter Bingo - YT/CC	1,000.00	550.00
121	Funshine		75.00	220	Walk and Roll - CC		0.00
124	Newsletter Committee		10.00	225	Halloween Community Event - CC		150.00
125	Local Program Area Incentives (6X\$10)		60.00	230	Laundry Money Collections	200.00	200.00
126	Social Media/Marketing		100.00	235	Recipe Cookbook	500.00	0.00
128	Chapter Website		0.00	236	NH Christmas Tree - CC	1	0.00
130	Programming VP (State)		60.00	239	Adopt a Highway - CC		30.00
132	Women's Wellness event		200.00	240	Fall Craft Booths - CC	4,000.00	1,200.00
133	PEP Courses/Certifications (LL)		\$50.00	242	Spring Craft Booths - CC	4,000.00	1,200.00
135	State Program Area Incentives (5X\$10)		50.00	243	Spring Concessions - WM	500.00	325.00
140	State Delegate		125.00 `	244	Statewide Buckets of Sunshine-CC		50.00
141	Member Convention Incentives		90.00	245	Little Free Library (maint) - CC		50.00
141A	Member Conv Credits (coupons)		200.00	248	Crescent Cove Priority Area		100.00
142	1st Timer Convention Incentives		60.00	249	Let's Chalk	100.00	50.00
143	State Convention Registration		825.00	250	Riverfest Duck Adoptions - CC	500.00	0.00
144	LOTS Registration		150.00	251	Riverfest Float - PR		0.00
145	District Meeting Registration		60.00	252	Riverfest Talent Show - CC	1,000.00	0.00
145A	District Lucky Buck (\$20/tri)		60.00	253	Miss Congeniality - YT	,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	100.00
146	Convention Rooms		1,000.00	256	USWT Domestic Violence Awareness	1	100.00
147	USWT Convention Incentives		50.00	257	Winter State Honoree		150.00
148	Regional Meeting Registration		20.00	258	Key Woman Honoree		250.00
150	Treasurer		150.00		Internal		250.0
151	District Dues		100.00	300	Member/Partner Appreciation		150.00
152	Liability Insurance		250.00	301	Kids Week		50.00
153	Sales Tax		0.00	303	WT Week		50.00
155	Chapter Ways & Means	900.00	120.00	304	Founders Day	+	50.00
160	Secretary	300.00	15.00	306	Chapter Birthday Party		50.00
161	Chapter President Yr End Gift		50.00	307	Chapter Christmas Party	+	50.00
170	Membership VPs		100.00	308	Cookie Exchange		30.00
171	M-Events & Socials	0.00	400.00	315	Convention Hosting	0.00	0.00
172	Member Incentives	0.00	100.00	320	Convention Fundraisers	750.00	0.00
172A	New Member Incentives		100.00	322	Riverfest Dance Concessions	1,000.00	0.00
173	Member Dues	1,950.00	1,950.00	350	Chapter Shed Maintenance	1,000.00	100.00
173A	State Mbrshp Rebate	0.00	0.00	900	Miscellaneous Fundraisers/Donations	+	1,785.00
173A 174	·	0.00	100.00	900	Savings Interest	+	1,763.00
174	Nametags Meeting Room Pent	-	100.00	999	Change/Deposit Fund	+	190.00
175	Meeting Room Rent  Memsha Table Gift Rasket (2X\$50)	-		333		19.27E 00	18,375.00
1/0	Memshp Table Gift Basket (2X\$50)		100.00		Total Profit or Loss	18,375.00	18,375.00
100	District/MNWT/USWT	-	75.00		BUDGET ADJUSTMENTS - 2023-24		
180	Entry Fees		75.00				
181	State POA Donation		50.00				
184	State President Gift	400.00	10.00				
185	State Ways & Means Fundraiser	100.00	100.00				
185A	State Ways & Means Donation		150.00				
186	MNWT Foundation Donation	ļļ	150.00				
	Approved 6/1/23						

#### **Board Goals 2023-2024**

#### President: Michelle Kocak Jones "Cheers to Volunteers"

- Membership: Complete and mail, "we miss you" notes, including information for upcoming events, to members who have not attended a general meeting in 2-3 months.
- Programming: Encourage 75% of members to complete Living and Learning certifications by April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024.
- Meetings: Keep general meetings on track to conclude in 2 hours or less.
- 2 additional goals:
  - 1. Partner with the Monticello Lions Club for two community events during the 2023-2024 year.
  - 2. Accompany State Delegate to at least one chapter meeting or event of all chapters in District 6.

#### State Delegate: Sarah Sundine "Celebrating Together"

- Communicate information from the state, district and national level to all chapter members via email communication and reports at monthly chapter meetings.
- Complete one chapter visit per trimester with a minimum of two other chapter members in attendance.
- Attend all three District 6 meetings.
- Encourage members to attend state conventions by coordinating attendee convention plans.

#### Secretary: Nancy Flesch "Acknowledged in the Minutes"

- Attend chapter meetings to obtain reports. Transcribe and organize minutes within 2 weeks and email to membership for review and possible corrections.
- Provide accurate minutes to be presented at the next general meeting for approval.
- Educate members that minutes should be brief but detailed (who, what, where, when) and should not include discussion, opinions, or "fluff".
- Hold an incentive drawing once each trimester for members who submit reports prior to general meetings.

#### Treasurer: Sharon Scholl "Cheers to POUR-ing Financial Success"

- Provide finance reports for chapter savings and checking accounts prior to monthly meetings.
- Provide budget information monthly to chapter members to ensure budgeted expenses are not exceeded.
- Train members to utilize expense vouchers and deposit forms.
- Encourage members to participate in chapter, district and state fundraisers to benefit Ways & Means.

#### Programming: Mercedes "Pints for Points"

- Attend 9 out of 12 board and chapter meetings.
- Submit all three trimester reports by due dates.
- Encourage the Local Program Managers to review Chapter Information Packets each trimester.

#### Membership: Rhonda Eckhart/Sarah Johnson "Membership Mixers"

- Maintain retention with growth of +1 for year-end of 2023-2024.
- Maintain a prospective member list and email invitations to upcoming events.
- Host a chapter social and m-event in each trimester.

## **Chapter Bylaws and Policies**

This link will take you to the website where you can download copies of the Bylaws and the Policies:

http://www.monticellowomenoftoday.org/member-information/forms/

## District 6 Welcome Letter



District 6 Women of Today,

I am excited to be the District Director for the new District 6. Change is not always easy, but I am excited to meet new people and see what other chapters do for their projects and socials.

A little bit about me for those of you who do not know me. I live in Monticello with my husband, Tim, we have been here for 31 years and raised our three children here. We have one daughter who is married and has two sons. They live in Montrose. We also have two boys; one lives in Minneapolis and the other lives at home. We love to spend time together and get to see them often.

I joined Women of Today six years ago because I was looking for a way to get reconnected to the community. I had been working nights and weekends for a few years and since the kids where older I hadn't been too involved. I met a neighbor who was involved with Women of Today and she invited me to a meeting. Since I have joined, I have been on the board as Membership Team, President and Past President/Parliamentarian. I have also been DPM for the District and SPM for the State. Both were for the Priority Area. I enjoy volunteering and meeting new people.

My theme is "Beautiful Changes" with a butterfly. I chose that because like a caterpillar changing into a beautiful butterfly District 6 can also change into a fun and strong District. Change is good if we all stay positive and embrace the changes. My main goal this year is this help all the chapters adjust to the new District and have socials to get to know one another. I am available to help with whatever chapters need.

I hope you all will be willing to join me in making District 6 a fun and strong district!

"You do not just wake up and become the butterfly. Growth is a process." - Rupi Kaur

"Don't be afraid. Change is such a beautiful thing", said the Butterfly." – Sabrina Newby

Thank you,

Connie Fink

District 6 Director, 2023-2024

## District 6 Officers

#### District Director

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## District Chapters

#### Monticello Women of Today

(monticellowt@mnwt.org)

PO Box 1202, Monticello, MN 55362 Meet: 1st Thursday of the month

Location: Resurrection Lutheran Church

President: Michelle Kocak Jones

Secretary: Nancy Flesch

Membership VP: Rhonda Eckhart and Sarah Johnson

Programming VP: Mercedes Turner State Delegate: Sarah Sundine

Treasurer: Sharon Scholl

Past Pres/Parliamentarian: Barb Boeck

#### Elk River Area Women of Today

ElkRiverAreaWT@mnwt.org

PO Box 92, Elk River MN 55330

Meet: 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 7pm Location: Granite Shores

President: Lisa Fletcher

#### St Michael/Albertville Women of Today

PO Box 135, St Michael MN 55376 StMichaelAlbertvilleWT@mnwt.org

Meet: 2nd Tuesday at 7pm Location: Liberty Restaurant

President: Sherri Streff
Secretary: Chris Bacon
VP Membership: Jan Cera
State Delegate: Kathy Hansen
Parliamentarian: Michelle Skrypec
VP Programming: Patti Weber

Treasurer: Sara Caron

#### Hutchinson Area Women of Today

hutchinsonareawt@mnwt.org

PO Box 43, Hutchinson, MN 55350

Meet: 2nd Thursday at 6:30

Location: Hutchinson Area Chamber of Commerce and Tourism

President: Shirley Viesselman State Delegate: Donna Schwartz

Secretary: Janet Hall

Treasurer/Parliamentarian: Deb Froemming

#### Rogers/Otsego/Dayton Women of Today

rogersotsegodaytonwt@mnwt.org

PO Box 24, Dayton MN 55327 Meet: 3rd Tuesday at 6:30pm

Location: Varies

President: Holly Delgado Parliamentary: Deb Weiland

Secretary: Lisa Baker Treasurer: Jane Gangl Membership: Susan Smith VP Programs: Becky Allard VP Programs: Christina Haeg

#### Big Lake Women of Today

BigLakeWT@mnwt.org

PO Box 252, Big Lake MN 55309

Meet: 3rd Thursday at 7 pm Location: Big Lake City Hall

President: Natalie Bender

## District 6 2023-2024 Meetings and Events

#### Trimester One

District Bylaw/Polices/Budget Review Wednesday June 14, 2023, 6 pm District 6 Meeting STMA Chapter Thursday June 22, 2023, 6 pm District Social Wednesday, August 23, 2023 -Trivia Night at Nordic Brewpub, 6:30-8:30 pm, Monticello

#### Trimester Two

Fall State Convention – September 22 – 23, 2023 District Board Meeting Zoom- October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023, 7pm District 6 Meeting – October 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at 10 am Location TDB

#### Trimester Three

Winter State Convention - January 26 - 27, 2024 District Board Meeting by Zoom February 27<sup>th</sup>, 2024, 7pm District 6 Meeting - TBD

#### Trimester One

Annual Convention - May 17 - 19, 2024

### Minnesota Women of Today Welcome Letter



Amy Pumper MNWT State President 2023-2024 632 East Center Street #31 Rochester, MN 55904 507.206.1508 president@mnwt.org www.mnwt.org

Dear Minnesota Women of Today Members,

Thank you for the opportunity to serve as your 74th President of the Minnesota Women of Today. I am looking forward to sharing many successes with all of you this coming year, I look forward to assisting you and meeting many of you as I visit your district or chapter meetings or activities and at our state conventions.

I am excited to lead this organization that exemplifies its mission of service, growth, and fellowship. We are an organization that mentors women in leadership and community service by offering quality training and experience through many opportunities on all levels. I hope you will take advantage of these opportunities by participating in district and state events. Take an active role in the success of your chapter this year by holding a board position, being a local program manager or chairing a project. Make a difference in your chapter, district, and our organization by inviting another woman to join and share with her all that Women of Today has to offer. My staff is available and willing to help – please call on them when you need assistance. Reach out to your district director and other chapters and members in your district; they are a great resource for you. Think about inviting our state program panagers to your meeting to introduce your members to the information they are promoting.

In my caucus and regional meeting speeches, I shared that we are all part of a team, whether it is on the local, district, state, and national level. I invite each of you to join our Minnesota Women of Today team. I know we will enjoy many successes this year if we work together. I encourage you to try something new. Join one of our committees; Membership Management (MMC), Marketing, Future Directions, Finance, or Bylaw and Policy. These committees are an important part of our organization. There are also many sub-committees to be a part of. Remember Tanya Rothstein, our Executive Director and the Chapter Service Center are there to assist you, our members, and chapters. She is only a phone call or an email away with the answers to your questions.

This organization is strong because of our chapters and members and the work you do. The dedication that each of you puts toward your community and yourselves will continue to make an impact and make our organization stronger as we move forward evolving into the best of the best.

Join me this year as we create Visions of Success!

#### Amy

## Minnesota Women of Today

2023-2024

## Executive Council Directory

## State Staff

President – Amy Pumper ~ 632 East Center Street #31, Rochester, MN 55904 ~president@mnwt.org ~ 507.206.1508

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	Emphasis: Chapter Management (MN); Wellness & Personal Development (US);				
Jun-2023	Public Relations(US); STEP (US)				
9-10	USWT National Convention				
28	MNWT Trimester Webinar Night				
30	Chapter President reports due to DD				
30	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
	Emphasis: Community Connections-True Friends (MN); Public Relations (MN);				
Jul-2023	Extensions (US); Membership (US)				
1	USWT Founder's Day				
15	Early Bird Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center				
15	Chapter President Fast Start due to DD				
15	Secretary Fast Start due to State Secretary				
15	Treasurer Fast Start due to Financial Vice President				
15	Membership VP Fast Start due to MVP				
	LPM Fast Starts due to SPM and DD				
15	Programming VP Fast Start due to PVP				
15	State Delegate Fast Start due to AVP				
16-22	MNWT Membership Week				
27	MNWT Foundation meeting – Zoom				
29	State Committee Meetings (MMC, Marketing, Future Directions)				
	Chapter President reports due to DD				
31	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
	Emphasis: Ways & Means (MN); Youth of Today (MN); Public Relations (US);				
Aug-2023	Domestic Violence Awareness (US)				
1	Key Woman nominations for Fall State due to Key Woman President				
1	Cheryl L. Anderson scholarship applications due to MNWT Foundation				
1	National Night Out				
6	USWT Friendship Day				
5-6	President/State Delegate Retreat				
12	Finance Committee Meeting				
15	All Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center				
20-26	Kids Week				
19	Day at the Diamond - St Paul Saints				
30	1st Trimester Close Out				
31	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD				
31	State Delegate Reports due to AVP				
	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
31					
	Founder's Day Participation Forms due to PR Coordinator				
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1	State of MN Annual Registration due to Sec. of State's Office				
	990N filing due to IRS (first deadline, \$10 late fee assessed)				
	Project of the Trimester due to SPMs				
	Outstanding Program Manager nominations due to SPMs				
	1st Trimester Programming Reports due to PVP				
	Presidential Pin and Medallion Nominations due to State President				
	1st Trimester Success due to Success Coordinator (postmarked or emailed)				
	NEWSLET articles for Post Fall State Issue due to Newslet Editor				
	Impromptu Registration for Fall State due to Living and Learning SPM				
	Fall State Convention				
	Women of Today Week				
	NEWSLET Personals due to Newslet Editor				
	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD				
30	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
	Emphasis: Success (MN); MNWT Foundation (MN); Buckets of Sunshine (US);				
Oct-2023	Extensions (US); Domestic Violence Awareness (US)				
	990N filing due to IRS (\$40 late fee assessed)				
	USWT National Mid-Year Convention				
8-14	MNWT Membership Week				
	State Policy and Bylaw Review				
25	MNWT Trimester Webinar Night				
28	Make a Difference Day				
31	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD				
	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
Nov-2023	Emphasis: Women's Wellness (MN); Parliamentarian (US)				
	Women Who Impact, Outstanding Young Adult and Person with Determination				
1	nominations due EMAILED to Awards Committee Chair				
3	MNWT Foundation meeting - Zoom meeting				
15	Early Bird Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center				
30	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD				
30	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center				
Dec-2023	Emphasis: Membership (MN/US); Community Connections (US)				
1	Chapter Grant applications due to MNWT Foundation Chair				
1	Key Woman nominations for Winter State due to Key Woman President				
2	State Committee Meetings (MMC, Marketing, Future Directions)				
15	All Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center				
28	2nd Trimester Close Out				
30	State Delegate Reports due to AVP				
30	NMAs due IN HAND to CSC				
30	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD				
	L&L and US WPD Certifications due to Living & Learning SPM				
	STEP Certifications due to CMVP				
21	End 2nd Trimester				
31	End 2nd Trimester				
Jan-2024	Emphasis: Living and Learning (MN); Wellness & Personal Development (US)				

2	Project of the Trimester nominations due to SPM					
	2nd Trimester Programming Reports due to PVP					
	Presidential Pin and Medallion Nominations due to State President					
	Bidding SPM Plan of Action due to PVP					
	2nd Trimester Success due to Success Coordinator (postmarked or emailed)  NEWSLET articles due for Post Winter State Issue to Newslet Editor					
	ONTO Flower Orders due to COB for Winter State					
	Mid-Year Budget Review					
	Finance Committee Meeting					
	MNWT Foundation meeting					
	Winter State Convention					
	Cheryl L. Anderson Art Auction					
	NEWSLET Personals due to Newslet Editor for Post Winter State Issue					
	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD					
31	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center					
F. b. 2024	Emphasis: Priority Area (MN); NEWSLET (MN); Extensions (MN/US); Domestic					
	Violence Awareness (US)					
	MN State Sales Tax due to MN Dept of Revenue					
	March Planning Recommendations due to COB					
	MNWT Trimester Webinar Night					
	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD					
	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center					
Mar-2024	Emphasis: STEP (MN); Membership (MN/US); USWT Foundation (US)					
2	Presidential Pin and Medallion Nominations for Area Meetings due to State President					
2	March Planning					
5	NEWSLET articles/personals due to Editor for elections issue					
9	Finance Committee Meeting					
10-16	MNWT Membership Week					
15	Early Bird Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center					
16	State Committee Meetings (MMC, Marketing, Future Directions)					
23	Region 1 Meeting					
31	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD					
	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center					
	Emphasis: Volunteer Recognition/Public Relations (US); Outstanding					
Apr-2024	Achievement in Programming (US)					
1	Key Woman nominations for Annual due to Key Woman President					
6	Region 2 Meeting					
-	President Year End Gift Chapter/District donations due to PA					
	Chapter, District, SPM, and Staff photos due EMAILED to PA					
	MNWT Foundation meeting					
	National Volunteer Week					
	All Renewals due POSTMARKED to Chapter Service Center					
	Community Connections Award Nominations due to Community Connections SPM					
	3rd Trimester and Year-end Close Out					
	L&L and US WPD Certifications due to Living & Learning SPM					
	STEP Certifications due to CMVP					
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30	Chapter President monthly reports due to DD			
30	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center			
30	End of 3rd Trimester			
May-2024	Emphasis: Website (US); Parliamentarian (US); Community Connections (US)			
1	All US Certifications due to USWT			
1	Outstanding Achievement in Programming due to USWT Programming VP			
2	President Pin and Medallion Nominations due to State President			
2	3rd Trimester Programming Report due to PVP			
2	Project of the Trimester nominations due to SPMs			
2	Outstanding Program Manager nominations due to SPMs			
2	3rd Trimester Success due to Success Coordinator (postmarked or emailed)			
2	NEWSLET Articles for Post Annual Convention Issue due to Newslet Editor			
4	LOTS			
17-19	Annual Convention			
17	MNWT Foundation Meeting			
19	NEWSLET Personals due to Newslet Editor for Post Annual Issue			
23	Budget Review			
24	Finance Committee Meeting			
31	NMAs due IN HAND to Chapter Service Center			
	Emphasis: Chapter Management (MN); Wellness & Personal Development (US);			
Jun-2024	Public Relations(US); STEP (US)			
May 31-June 2	MNJOTS			
6-9	USWT National Year End Convention			
26	MNWT Trimester Webinar Night			



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