



Savage Area Women of Today News Ripples

From the President

We are coming to the end of our first trimester and WOW! What a trimester it has been! For a small chapter, we are pretty mighty, and the numbers and calendar shows it, and we are not even done yet.

See the information below that shows what we've done by the numbers

I have to say we all make a great team, and without everyone participating in something we wouldn't accomplish as much. Keep bringing ideas for activities and events to our meetings or send them to our mailbox. So many great ideas already tried and more to come.

A big thank you to the board for being there, for being so supportive and for

doing all the work they have been doing. I would like to thank each and every one of them for all that they do.

I would like to challenge all members to consider taking a step up and chair or co-chair a project, plan an activity or event, and to keep posting those flyers in public for everyone to see. Feel free to bring ideas to the table at the meetings – if it is something that is near and dear to your heart, bring the event, activity or idea along with some thoughts as to how we'd make it work. You don't have to do it all yourself – if there is some idea or plan to start with, it is always easier to work out the remaining details. It takes all of us to make this work.

TRiVIA Night

January 9, 2016

As a reminder – we are still looking for someone to chair or co-chair the trivia night scheduled for January. If you are interested, please let me know. Annette has plenty of details in her book on what needs to be done, and I can share that with you.

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Special Points of Interest:

- Fall State Convention
- Women of Today Week
- ROCK Food packing starting in October
- Holiday Events
- M-Night Events
- Canterbury Downs & Bingo at the Savage Legion

First Trimester Numbers

Here's a snapshot:

- Started with 15 members
- 19 events
- 4 chapter meetings
- 4 board meetings
- 4 members up for renewal
- 1 member renewed
- 221 activity hours
- 100 of those actual service hours
- \$460 items donated to CAP
- 60 loads of soap
- 50 birthday bags
- 56 kids came to make cards
- 2 parks adopted
- Belly Dancing
- Pow-wow
- Coffee m-night

Happy Un-Birthday!

On Monday, August 10th the chapter celebrated their 5th birthday with a party at Cleary Lake Regional Park.

The tradition of the chapter to celebrate the birthday is to have an “un-birthday” party. These means items are collected and put together into bags do be donated to the CAP

Agency for kids who might not have the basic essentials to celebrate their birthday. Those items include cake mix, frosting, party plates and napkins, balloons and party favors.

Joining the six chapter members were Cathy Snyder from Eden Prairie, and Alisa Defoe. Donations were also

received from Savage Mayor Janet Williams and Kimberly Rowland from Eden Prairie.



From the—Joann, Membership VP

September 1st is the beginning of the second trimester, and that means that we have members up for renewal.

Early Bird Renewals due by November 15

Regular Renewals due by December 15

(Early bird renewals means the chapter receives success points if renewals are paid earlier in the trimester.)

Members up for renewal this trimester are:

- ◆ Brittney
- ◆ Cheryl
- ◆ Stacy

“You get in life what you have the courage to ask for.”

- Oprah Winfrey

Who is it? Do you know your fellow members?

Those attending the August chapter meeting were asked two questions—can you match the answers to the chapter members?

Members attending the meeting were:

- a) Beth b) Brittney
- c) Cheryl d) Erin
- e) Joann f) Julie
- g) Patty.

Question: If you could live anywhere, where would it be?

1. Dublin, Ireland
2. New Zealand—The Shire
3. Beach or Italy
4. Wherever hubby and kids are
5. Scotland
6. Pacific Northwest
7. By the ocean



Did you Know?

The Minnesota Women of Today by-laws define what a chapter is and the guidelines each chapter must follow.

ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP

Section 1— Member Chapters

F. Chapters must have a minimum of ten (10) new members in good standing, with a minimum of five (5) of them being under the age of 40....

Section 2—Members of Member Chapters

A. A member in good standing is any person at least eighteen (18) years of age when his/her state/national dues are paid.

D. A member in good standing in the Minnesota Women of Today is also a member of the United States Women of Today.



Upcoming Events

September

- 3—Buck Night - Canterbury Downs
- 8—Women of Today Proclamation—Savage City Hall
- 10—Chapter Meeting—Davanni's in Savage
- 14—Bingo—Savage Legion
- 18-20 Fall State Convention
- 21—Community Fest—Prior Lake High School
- 22—Service Activities—location TBD
- 23—Little Free Library Tour & Fill
- 24—PEP Course—location TBD
- 25—Happy Hour at Dangerfields

October

- 3—Park Clean-up
- 8—ROCK Packing & Chapter meeting—Davanni's
- 10—Night Nation Run—Shakopee
- 24—Savage Halloween Bash

See Facebook for details on the upcoming events.

November

- 10—Medical Supply Sorting—St Louis Park
- 12—ROCK Packing & Chapter meeting—Davanni's

December

- 10—ROCK Packing & Chapter meeting—Davanni's

I've learned that people will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel. —Maya Angelou



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The mission of the Minnesota Women of Today is to help women improve their own lives and the lives of the people in the communities around them. This organization shall be a place in which women are actively encouraged to become involved and hold positions of leadership.

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Mandarin Almond Salad

4T sugar divided
1/2 cup slivered almonds
1/4 cup vegetable oil
2T vinegar
1T minced fresh parsley
1/2 t. salt
1/8 t. pepper
1 bunch redleaf lettuce torn
1—1 1oz can mandarin oranges drained
1/2 small red onion sliced

Melt 3T sugar over low heat. Add almonds, stir until coated. Cool, break into small pieces and set aside. Mix oil, vinegar, parsley, salt, pepper and remaining sugar. Just before serving combine lettuce, oranges, onions and almonds in a salad bowl. Shake dressing, pour over salad and toss.

Serves 6 to 10

Apple Crisp

2 1/2 cup sifted flour
1 t. salt
1T sugar
1 cup Crisco
1 egg separated
2/3 cup crushed cornflakes
5 cups sliced apples
1 1/2 cup sugar
1 t. cinnamon
Milk

Glaze:

1 cup powdered sugar
2T lemon juice or vanilla

Sift together flour, sugar, salt and cut in Crisco. Put egg yolk into measuring cup. Add milk to make 2/3 cup and add to flour and Crisco mix. Mix enough so dough will form a ball.

Roll out 1/2 the dough to a 15 x 11" one inch high pan. Cover with cornflakes then apples. Mix sugar and cinnamon, sprinkle over apples. Roll out the remaining half of dough. Place over apples, pinch edges together. Beat egg whites until stiff. Spread over crust. Bake in a preheated oven at 400 degrees for 40 minutes. While hot, drizzle glaze over it.

