

Sauk Rapids Women of Today



Heartbeat



April 2008

SERVICE

GROWTH

FELLOWSHIP

NEXT GENERAL MEETING

Monday

April 21, 2008 6:30 pm

The Ace Bar & Grill

423 St. Germain St. E

St. Cloud, MN

Year
End
Banquet

Note Date
Change

NEXT BOARD MEETING

Monday

May 5, 2008 6:30 pm

Judy Weyer's

237 9 1/2 St. North

Sauk Rapids, MN

All outgoing
and incoming
Board
Members
"Taco In A
Bag" night

Lighting The Flame With Knowledge



President:

Judy Moldenhauer 292-2120

Chairman of the Board:

RoxAnn Gill 968-4751

State Delegate:

Fawn Widman 230-5935

Programming Vice President

Lisa Hahn 251-8852

Treasurer:

Margaret Edelbrock 240-9429

Membership Vice Presidents:

Judy Weyer 493-3877

Cindy Klinker 230-2776

Secretary:

Margaret Edelbrock, Editor
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Deadline:
2nd Tuesday of
the month

Letter From The President



Dear Fellow members,

The year is now ending for me and I have learned a great deal from all of you. Please come to the Ace Bar and Grill for the year-end banquet on the 21st at 6:30. We will be installing the officers for the coming year. I wish to thank all who have made it a special year for me. I have enjoyed the experiences of the past year.

This is the time to think about the LPM positions that you may be interested in for the coming year. This is the year when all the changes we have been going through the last 2 years with the streamlining of programs.

The Program Areas are: Community Connections, Jacob Wetterling (last year),
Women's Wellness, Youth of Today, Living and Learning,
Newslet, Public Relations, Records and Recognition,
and Ways and Means.

We will provide additional information about what each position entails when it becomes available.

A reminder that we will be changing districts again starting in May, we will again be in District 7 with St. Cloud, Foley, Becker and others.

The following months we have several chances for members to participate in events.

April

21st Year End Banquet at the Ace Bar and Grill on East St. Germain.

26th March for Babies

26th Bingo for residents at Ridgeview 1:30-3:00

May

12th Girl Scout Banquet

22nd Bridge Marathon

Introducing your Board for the year of 2008-2009

President.....Fawn Widman
Chairman of the Board.....Judy Moldenhauer
Membership Vice Presidents.....Sandy Trossen
&Sue Dingman
Programming Vice President...Margaret Edelbrock
Secretary.....Lisa Hahn
State Delegate.....Cheri Mayer
Treasurer.....Jean Schotl

"The Great Membership Blitz"

During the month of May we will be holding many events to help us get new members. Please try to attend at least one of these events and bring a prospective. Flyers will be handed out at the Awards Banquet for everyone to pass around. Thanks for all your help!

Saturday, May 10th – Coffee, Bagels and a Plant Exchange at SR City Hall 9:00 am-12:00

Wednesday, May 14th – Death By Chocolate SR City Hall 6:30-8:30 pm

Monday, May 19th – General Meeting Ridgeview Place 7:00 pm

Thursday, May 22nd – Appetizers Jimmy's Pour House 6:30-8:00 pm

Wednesday, May 28th – Muffins & Coffee SR Perkins (in the pines) 9:30-11:00 am

If you need flyers or have any questions, please call Janet Boelz or Judy Weyer.



Sauk Rapids Women of Today General Meeting March 17, 2008



Attendance: Judy M., Margaret, Lisa, Sue, Jean, Cheri, Sandy

Call to Order: Judy Moldenhauer 7:25pm

Invocation: Lisa H. – “Friends” by Donna M. Maroney

Pledge of Allegiance: Judy M.

Women of Today Creed: Jean Schotl

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.

Introduction of Guests: no guests

Welcome and Self-introduction: Favorite Easter activity

Past President/Parliamentarian: RoxAnn Gill -Quorum has not been established 7 of 22. We need 8 for a quorum.

Secretary: Approval of minutes. Approved

Treasurer: Margaret Edelbrock -

Checking Balance: \$841.73

Bridge Marathon: \$748.00

State Delegate: Fawn Widman -

1. Convention: May 16-18 at Treasure Island Casino- Judy W. will be attending
 2. Area Meeting: March 28th at St. Joe Fire Hall- We need to bring a salad. Lisa & Sandy attending
 3. District Meeting: April 28th in Holdingford
 4. District Board meeting Monday, March 24th in Holdingford- Lisa to attend
- There will be a Lucky Buck drawing at the April meeting

Membership VP’s Judy Weyer & Cindy Klinker – Written report from Judy W. and Cindy K. Held a membership night at JP’s on March 3rd before the board mtg. Sent out 10 invitations. Fawn, Lisa, Margaret, Judy W, Judy M and Roxann in attendance. We played the purse game. Handed out candy bars and other prizes.

Programming VP: Lisa Hahn –

1. CIP’s ready to be handed out.

Internal

Chaplin/Family: Lisa Hahn – “Family of the Year” nominations due April 1st. Remember your “Acts of Kindness”

Newsletter: Margaret Edelbrock – the March newsletter is available on our new website

Personal Enrichment: Lisa Hahn – I have Year-end State & National Effective Writing & Speaking forms.

Public Relations: Jean Schotl – “Pamper Me Day” info. to be put in paper along with a list of New Officers

R & R: No report

Ways and Means: Lisa Hahn – Sweatshirts and pants are still on sale. Plants are on sale this quarter. Let me know if you are interested.

External

Civic Awareness: Tammy Peck – No report

Jacob Wetterling: Cindy Klinker – No report

PDC: No report

Women’s Wellness: RoxAnn Gill – No report

Youth & Community: Karen Wolford - No report

Standing Chairmanships

Friendship Committee:

PALS Chapter:



Sunshine Lady: Fawn Widman

Girl Scouts: Lisa - Year-End Banquet is set for May 12th at the middle school. Let me know if you are able to help.

Set-up at 5:30

March of Dimes: March for Babies is set for April 26th. SCSU Field House. Registration @ 9am and walk @ 10am

New Business:

1. Donations to Tri City Graduation party. "I move we donate \$25 to the Tri City Grad Party" Motion by Lisa 2nd by Jean M/S/P
2. Donations to Sauk Rapids Graduation Party. "I move we donate \$25 to Sauk Rapids Grad Party" Motion by Lisa 2nd by Jean M/S/P

On Going Business:

1. Final Reports
 - a. Baby sitting clinic RoxAnn, Lisa & Jean. Went well 37 students attended.
 - b. Social at JP's Margaret/Judy W. Went well.
 - c. Meat Raffle @ JP's Did not do on March 14th
2. Cub food Receipts: Please hand in. Envelop on the Clipboard. Save January, February and March – due to Margaret by April 7th
3. Elections Committee: Voting on board for coming year.
4. Bridge Marathon **Chair** RoxAnn Gill/Lisa Hahn May 22 at Sauk Rapids VFW. Need to get letter out. Order ½ size sheet cake this year instead of full sheet cake. Mints, nuts, etc. as usual.
5. Meat Raffle at JP's on 3-4 people needed
March 28 **Chair:** Fawn Widman April 11 **Chair:** Fawn Widman
6. Bingo at Ridgeview for residence April 26th 1:30-3:30pm
7. Easter Basket for Kids at local restaurant Chair: Fawn & Cindy K @ Perkins
8. Hommerding party December
9. Santa's Secret Shop December 6th
10. March for Babies @ Hallenbeck April 26th 8:30 am. Lisa Please sign up to help at the registration table.
11. Girl Scout Banquet May 12, 6:00- 8:00pm. Set-up at 5:30pm.

Tabled Projects

1. SRWOT City Sign
2. Welcome Book

President's Report:

Good and Welfare: Let us in on good news in your life. Cheri is now a "Mother-in-law". Sue's mom is now at home. Judy M. has a new job.

Renewal Ceremony:

New Member Installation:

Next Board Meeting: April 7th @ Margaret's

Next General Meeting: Monday April 21st @ Jimmy's Annual Banquet (dinner at own expense)

US Women of Today Creed: Sandy Trossen

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

Meeting Adjourned: 8:25pm

Nominations for Officers:

President:	Fawn Widman	Secretary:	Lisa Hahn
State Delegate:	Cheri Mayer	Treasurer:	Jean Schotl
Membership VP:	Sandy Trossen & Sue Dingman	Newslet:	Margaret Edelbrock (May-July)
Programming VP:	Margaret Edelbrock		Judy Moldenhauer (August-April)

Sauk Rapids Women of Today Board Meeting/Social April 7, 2008

Attendance: Fawn Widman, Lisa Hahn, Judy Moldenhauer, Judy Weyer, Margaret Edelbrock, RoxAnn Gill, Sue Dingman, Tammy Peck, Cindy Piepkorn, Cindy Klinker, Jean Schotl, Janet Boelz, Jane Holmberg (guest)

Called To Order: 7:39 pm

Past President Parliamentarian: RoxAnn Gill n/r

Secretary: Roxann Gill n/r

Treasurer: Margaret Edelbrock

Checking Balance \$736.73

Bridge Marathon Balance \$748.00

State Delegate: Fawn Widman

Convention: May 16-18 at Treasure Island Casino

Area Meeting: Held March 28th at St. Joe Fire Hall

District Meeting: April 28th in Holdingford

LOTS (Local Officer Training) will be held in Albany on May 3rd from 8:30-3:15, flyers handed out



Membership VP: Judy Weyer & Cindy Klinker A Membership Blitz was discussed to be held in May with various events throughout the month. Suggested events are Bagels & Beauty, Plant Exchange/Gardening Tips, Death By Chocolate, Open Gym at Northcrest Gymnastics. More information will be in the newsletter.

President: Judy Moldenhauer: n/r

Final Reports:

1. Babysitting Clinic March 8th: Approximately 40 kids attended, Jean Shotl and Lisa Hahn worked - \$204.00 was raised from the Babysitting Clinics on Feb 26th, 26th, and March 8th
2. Spring Project: Easter basket drawing did not go well – discussed retrying the project in the summer

Ongoing Business:

1. Bridge Marathon: Banquet May 22 at Sauk Rapids VFW. Letters to be sent out to participants shortly
2. Bring soup labels to meetings – give to Judy Weyer before the next board meeting
3. Cub Food Receipts: Turn in to Margaret, collecting for Jan, Feb, March, turning in to Cub April 10th
4. Bingo at Ridgeview: April 26th 1:00-3:00, let Judy Moldenhauer know if able to help
5. Meat raffles at JP's: April 11th (contact Fawn Widman if you can help)
6. Graduation Partys: \$25.00 donation sent to Sauk Rapids-Rice; Judy M. will look for info on Tri-School (Apollo, Tech, Cathedral)-\$25.00 donation to be sent
7. Secret Santa Shop date 2008: December 6th at Sauk Rapids VFW
8. Year End Banquet: April 21st at Ace Bar & Grill in St. Cloud from 6:30-9:00
9. Elections: All board positions have been filled for 2008-2009, sign up for LPM positions
10. Pamper Day, May 10th: Discussed other options, will be revised and incorporated into a Membership Blitz throughout the month of May. See Membership VP section above.
11. Brat Sales: Waiting to hear from Coborn's, our name was not drawn for Cob Foods
12. Girl Scout Banquet: May 12th – more information at meeting

New Business: none

Next Board Meeting: May 5th at Judy Weyer's 6:30 pm – "Taco In A Bag" night for outgoing and incoming board members

Adjourned 8:08 pm

**Sauk Rapids Women of Today
Treasurer's Report
April 15, 2008**



Checking Account

Beginning Balance as of March 14, 2008 1,589.73

Income

4/4/08	Interest from Bremer Bank	0.19	
4/10/08	Dues (Peck)	33.00	
4/10/08	Bridge Marathon Dues	34.00	
4/10/08	ISD #47 (Babysitting clinics 2/26,2/28 & 3/8)	204.00	
<i>Total Income</i>			271.19

Expenses

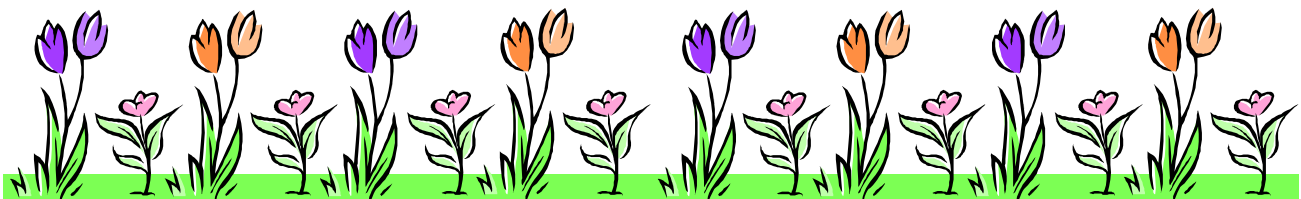
4/1/08	MMWT (Dues-S. Dingman, D. Williams)	(70.00)	
4/1/08	District 6 WOT (2nd half of 2007-2008 dues)	(35.00)	
4/7/08	American Heart Association (walk donation)	(25.00)	
4/10/08	MMWT (Dues-C. Short)	(35.00)	
4/10/08	SRRHS Graduation Committee (donation)	(25.00)	
4/10/08	MNWT Foundation (4th quarter donation)	(25.00)	
4/10/08	MNWT (4th quarter ways/means donation)	(25.00)	
4/10/08	Postmaster (100 Forever stamps-newsletter/treasurer)	(41.00)	
<i>Total Expenses</i>		(281.00)	

Checking Account Balance as of April 15, 2008 1,579.92



<u>Funds Set Aside For:</u>	
Bridge Marathon	782.00
Lucky Buck Balance	6.00
Known Expenses To Pay	183.00
Balance Available for Expenses	608.92

Pending deposits: 4th quarter member dues \$101.00 (waiting for funds to arrive)
 JP's meat raffle (2/29/08) (waiting for funds to arrive)
 Butter Braids (2 @ \$7.50 each) \$15.00 (waiting for funds to arrive)



Upcoming Events

Year End Banquet 6:30
Ace Bar & Grill April 21st



March For Babies (March of Dimes walk)
April 26th SCSU

Bingo for residents @ Ridgeview
April 26th 1:30-3:00

District Meeting - Holdingford
April 28th

LOTS (Local Officer Training)
May 3rd – Albany 8:30-3:15

Girl Scout Banquet
May 12th

Convention – Treasure Island Casino
May 16th-18th

Bridge Marathon Banquet SR VFW
May 22nd

National Convention
June 12-15th Rochester

Santa's Secret Shop SR VFW
December 6th



Membership Renewals – 4th Quarter

Sue Dingmann
Nancy Williams

Deb Williams
Caroline Short

Annual dues to be paid by March 17, 2008
(refer to project list in Aug 2007 newsletter to determine amount due)



Christy Hahn	April 13 th
Margaret Edelbrock	April 18 th
Deb Williams	April 21 st
Judy Weyer	April 22 nd
Jean Schotl	April 29 th

Membership News

Any member who signs a new member will receive
a \$15.00 gift card from wherever she chooses.

Thank you, Cindy K. and Judy W.



Would you like to receive this
monthly newsletter via E-Mail?

Just send a quick note to
medelbrock@charter.net and I
will get you on the email list.

Margaret

Meeting Reminders

Arrive on time = meeting starts on time

Turn cell phones off during the meetings

Bring Cub Foods receipts, Labels For Education, and Yoplait

Yogurt pink labels to meetings

Wear your name tags