



GOLDNOTES

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WELCOME 2019

2019 has come and it is here with great variety. We have had warm and cold temperatures; rain and snow; wind and frost. Every day is a new experience. This is also how HCE starts its' new year. We have such a variety of Educational meetings. We will be having an Organ Transplant Recipient presentation, Take This Stuff and ? It, Upcycling and Recycling, Historical Barn Quilts and a surprise presentation that will be brought back from State Conference.

HCE has a variety of things that can be experienced by its' members. Anyone can go to the Spring District meeting. The Fall District Meeting is being held at our Extension office in Sheboygan. What a great opportunity for all to attend. Our WAHCE State Conference will be held in Manitowoc in September. Yeah...we can all go and still go home to sleep in our own beds or stay and enjoy the evening activities. Let's not forget our Rally Day and the judging of our great Cultural Arts. Let's have an overabundance of entries this year as the state conference location is so close. We also have the experience of Grandparents University at UW-Madison in July. I feel this has been forgotten but it is such a great opportunity for our members.

Please think about all the variety and experiences HCE offers us. With this in mind, please think of a neighbor, church member or relative that would also enjoy HCE and what it has to offer. Invite them to an Educational Meeting or to your club meeting as a guest.

May we have a great 2019 as a great HCE County.

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Sheboygan County HCE President

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2020 Goals!

As a lifelong learner; what subjects do you want to focus on in the year 2020? What's on your mind?

This is your organization. Please tell me what you want; give me your ideas along with a possible resource person if you know one, or why not you be the resource person?

We are in the planning stages of 2020 program year. Not to keep you "in the box" but here are a few suggestive categories':

Heritage Skills, Citizenship, Community Development, Cultural Arts, Family Life, Health, Safety, International, Environment, Cultural Venues.

Maybe you heard someone speak or walked through life with a purpose they would like to share?

Please email me your ideas at:

Email: kathibonde@gmail.com or;

Text me at: 920-946-7503 when you happen to think of an idea or;

Write me at: Kathi Bonde - Program of Work - W6063 Brady Lane Elkhart Lake, WI 53020

To have significant relevance in our HCE, your input would be appreciated any time!

Kathi Bonde
VP of Programming

On Saturday, September 8, 2018 Mental Health America (MHA) had their 13th Annual Suicide Awareness and Prevention Walk. Franklin HCE made five baskets and gave them to MHA. They were very appreciative to receive them and commented on how beautiful they looked. Special thank you to JoAnn Gadick for helping me assemble them and make them look so nice. Thank you to all the members of Franklin HCE with your contributions of money and items. They put two baskets on the silent auction table and three baskets on the raffle table. They told me they made \$100 on the two silent auction baskets and they sold one hundred tickets among our three baskets on the raffle table. This was the 13th year of the walk. They had the largest participation this year with over 500 people walking. My family and I were proud to walk with them for our fifth year. Thank you again ladies for your help and encouragement.

Sincerely, Joyce Hameister

New Contact Information

Please update Carolyn Dreier's phone number in your program books. You will no longer be able to reach her at the number listed.

The new contact number is 920-627-2739.

Member to Member
Monday, October 14, 2019
6:00 PM
Host - District IV
Theme - Thanksgiving

More information to follow



Town & County HCE made 24 leis for the Head Start children to accompany the Hawaii storybook: "Grandma calls me Beautiful"
Email from the teacher: "The kids had so much fun today! Some are still wearing their necklaces" (the hula dancing exhausted the readers!)

**SHEBOYGAN COUNTY HCE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
4:15 - 6:15 P.M. MONDAY, JANUARY 14, 2019
UW-EXTENSION MEETING ROOM 5024**



Call to order by President, Carolyn Dreier at 4:15 p.m. followed by Association Creed.

ROLL CALL: Carolyn Dreier, Kathi Bonde, Nancy Cherney, Julie Boedecker, Alice Walter, Ruth Limberg, Joyce Kuhlrow, Peggy Berchem, Marilyn Voskuil, Joan Walvoord, Elaine McGinley, Marilyn Grotebeck, Sharon Zimmermann.

Excused members: Kristine Miller and Jane Jensen (liaison).

Secretary's Report was read by Julie Boedecker. Correction to minutes - price for Rally Day will change. Motion made Sharon Zimmermann and seconded by Alice Walter to approve minutes with correction. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report was read by Nancy Cherney. Motion made by Julie Boedecker and seconded by Joyce Kuhlrow to approve report. Motion carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS & COMMITTEES:

Cultural & Textile Arts - Peggy Berchem reporting. Items for entry must be delivered to Wagon Wheel Restaurant between 1:30 and 3:00 p.m. Voting will take place 4:00-5:30 p.m. Special entry item theme is "Hattie's HCE Hat."

Stitches Of Love - Julie Boedecker reporting. Howards Grove Domestics collected money at their December meeting. Nancy Cherney made 25 pillbox hats.

Family & Community Life - Carolyn Dreier reporting. Carolyn will research a job description for this committee. Included in this will be the "on the move and in the groove" activity.

Wisconsin Bookworms - Ruth Limberg reporting. Class sizes vary (16-20 students) and have multiple nationalities. Stickers are given to good students. A Hawaiian student made leis for classmates. One activity included various size boxes being brought to class and students picked out a box. Using their imagination they needed to explain what they would use it for.

International - Alice Walter reporting. Alice has two suitcases full of supplies. One is being sent to "Ventures in Haiti" on Friday and the second one will go to Haiti with Lori Hellmer in June. Two fundraisers for Haiti will be a brat fry at Piggly Wiggly in Plymouth on February 16 and a chocolate event on February 17. This year's project is making a washable feminine hygiene pad. Alice will bring the pattern for making this.

Community Outreach - Carolyn Dreier reporting. Requests volunteer member to reach out to other organizations to recruit new members. Carolyn will go with that person to meetings.

Marketing & Membership - See above report.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2019 Sheboygan County Project -Open Door will be the project. A list of needed supplies will be obtained and an article written for next Goldnotes.

Thanks to Nancy for coordinating Holiday Social. Everyone had a good time.

Reports/Comments from WAHCE Southeast District Fall Meeting - no special report.

Goldnotes Committee Meeting Date - Articles to Ann by Tuesday, January 22, and proofreading on Tuesday, January 29 at 1:00 p.m.

NEW BUSINESS

2019 Budget - Reviewed by Nancy Cherney. Corrections were made. Motion made by Alice Walter to accept with changes and seconded by Joyce Kuhlow. Motion carried.

Person to audit financial books will be decided by Nancy Cherney.

Rally Day Committee - District II (Town & Country). Marilyn Grotebeck reporting. Menu will be chicken and another meat. Entertainment will be by Ryan Kautzer from 5-6 p.m. Motion made by Sharon Zimmermann and seconded by Nancy Cherney to approve \$100.00 donation for the entertainment. Motion carried. A complete article will be in Goldnotes regarding Rally Day.

Spring Southeast District Meeting on April 24, 2019 in Milwaukee, WI - the location is uncertain at this time.

WAHCE Annual Conference, September 16-18, 2019, Holiday Inn, Manitowoc - more information in the 2019 Communicator page 13. HCE Lights Up My Life is the theme.

Theme for Member to Member, October 14, 2019... Host - District IV - Franklin and Howards Grove Domestics. Tabled at this time.

March Board meeting Date - current date Monday, March 11 at 4:15 p.m. Board meeting changed to 1:00 p.m. on Monday, March 4 (after education meeting). Lunch provided by Alice Walter.

OTHER BUSINESS

Discussion on 2019 program book.

Meeting closed with the Association Prayer.

Adjournment at 6:20 p.m. Motion to adjourn by Alice Walter and seconded by Ruth Limberg. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,
Julie Boedecker and Joyce Kuhlow



**Spring Southeast
District Meeting
Tuesday, April 23, 2019
Brookfield Public Library,
1900 N Calhoun Rd,
Brookfield**

2019 HCE Special Project OPEN DOOR

817 N 8th St, Sheboygan, WI
920-783-6801

Hours - Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9-4

Monday would be a good day to bring a meal in for clients.

Wednesday - Clients are served bag lunches

Friday - Clients are provided snacks and they have a cooking class.

List of supplies

- Personal hygiene items - soap, shampoo, toothbrush and toothpaste, deodorant, floss, mouthwash, liquid hand soap, paper towels, toilet paper.
- Kitchen supplies - paper plates, plastic utensils, disposable cups, Ziploc bags (all sizes), napkins, condiments for sandwiches (ketchup, mayo, hot sauce, yellow mustard, spicy brown mustard, ranch), coffee, tea, hot chocolate (fall/winter), ice tea mix (spring/summer).
- Food -
 - *Nonperishable items for our emergency food supply kept in basement (canned veggies, canned fruits, canned tuna, canned chicken, mac & cheese, peanut butter, jelly, noodles, etc.)
 - *Items for monthly baking group/treat day (cake mix, frosting, brownie mix, etc.)
 - *Homemade treats or meals to serve for lunch or snacks (not needed on Wednesdays) i.e. cookies, casseroles, bars, pies, cakes, subs, etc.
- Snacks - variety of purchased snacks - individual or large volume containers (chips, pretzels, crackers, nutty bars, cereal bars, crackers with cheese, granola bars, etc.)
- Bottled water
- Clothing - Seasonal used or new items for our free clothing closet including shoes. Men's/women's. Typically in need of men's items.
- Office Supplies - printer paper, notebooks, sticky notes, thumbtacks, scotch tape, rubber bands, stamps.
- Bingo/Walking Group Prizes - gift cards, new items, stuff people would like to win!
- Bus tokens/passes
- Kleenex
- Disinfecting wipes
- Activity supplies - adult coloring books, crosswords, puzzle books, Sudoku, word search.

HCE Book Club News

Our next book we will be reading in *Mrs. Lincoln's Dressmaker*. It is a historical novel that unveils the private lives of Abraham and Mary Lincoln through the perspective of the First Lady's most trusted confidante and friend, her dressmaker Elizabeth Keckley. Elizabeth was born a slave but she earned her freedom by being a gifted seamstress. She won the friendship of Mrs. Lincoln by her devotion. It shows the extraordinary relationship the two women shared.

We will be meeting at **Glas (The Green Coffee House) at 924 N. 14th Street on Wednesday, February 13, at 11:30 a.m.** in the conference room. Please order your lunch as you come in. We ask that each of you think of a couple questions for the discussion of the book.

If anyone has suggestions for future books to read please bring your ideas to the discussion.

If you wish to join us for the discussions we are always happy to have additional participants.

Hope to see you there!

Nancy Wagner and JoAnn Gadicke



Upcycling

Creative Projects from Reclaimed Materials

Share your Ideas!

We are planning ahead for our Upcycling Fest:
Have you re-purposed your old jeans, cans, sweaters, plastic bags, bottles, t-shirts?
Bring an upcycled item to the April Meeting!

HCE Earth Month Celebration:
Education Meeting
Monday, April 8, 2019
7:00 p.m.



HAITI

Lori Hellmer of LESPWA International returned from Haiti in January. She was there with a group of people, at an orphanage, medical center, school and a prison helping people. She plans on returning again in June. Lori is planning two fundraisers in February - a brat fry at Piggly Wiggly in Plymouth, Saturday, February 16, also on Sunday, February 17 "A Taste of Chocolate" - 1:30-4:30 at Amore in Plymouth, 18 W. Mill Street. Sunday will be chocolate, baskets and handcrafted items from Haiti. HCE helped support Lori with items to take along. Lori was our past representative when this was the county project for Haiti several years ago.

Program Book Corrections

Corrections and additions to the program book were discussed at the January 2019 Board

We would like your help to make suggestions and changes before the 2020 booklet is printed in November. Send your ideas to Ann Herzog: ann.herzog@sheboygancounty.com or your board representative can bring any ideas/suggestions to the Executive Board meeting. We would like to get a working copy done by the April Board Meeting and have the final copy ready to present at the Fall Council Meeting.

Thank you for your help.

Elaine McGinley

Cultural Arts 2019

Our Cultural Arts entries are due on Tuesday, May 21st at Klemme's Wagon Wheel in Howards Grove, between 1:30-3:00 p.m. Membership voting from 4:00-5:30 p.m.

The bonus category is "Hattie's HCE Hat." You may use any media to construct your entry. Size restriction - base no larger than 10" x 10" with maximum height of 20". Have Fun.

There is one addition to the Categories Under No. 15 Painted Object "E. Ceramic/Kiln Fired" was added.

There is still time to start a project.

Please note projects due May 7, we always welcome written items Poem, Non-Fiction and Fiction. Have fun with the Bonus Category! Hattie's HCE Hat.

Peggy Berchem, Chairperson
Any questions, please call - 452-4757.

HCE Members

As most of you know, Jane Jensen is a very busy lady these days. Jane has become the caregiver for her husband Wade. At this time, after a discussion with Jane, please direct all concerns and questions to Ann Herzog. Please don't leave voicemail messages or emails for Jane. Ann will talk with Jane with issues as needed.

Jane thanks all for their thoughts, prayers and cards. Let's continue with our prayers and cards for Jane and her husband during this difficult time.

Thank you in advance.

Please contact either Ann Herzog or Carolyn Dreier while Jane supports Wade during his illness.

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Ann Herzog

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Carolyn Drier

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Carolyn Dreier,
Sheboygan County HCE
President



SAVE THE DATE

September 16-18, 2019 is the Wisconsin HCE Conference in Manitowoc, WI. This would be a great time to bring a friend for an afternoon or whatever time you would go and show what our organization is all about, plus it is very close!

Peggy Berchem, Chairperson

**Wisconsin Association for Home & Community Education, Inc.
Cultural Arts Show & Contest – 2019 Categories**

**1. Painting/Drawing**

Framed or Wrapped. If bringing an easel for your painting or drawing, securely tape a label with name, district and county.

- A. Oil
- B. Acrylic
- C. Water Color
- D. Alcohol Ink
- E. Other

2. Photography

Photograph must be 8" x 10", unmatted only, in 8½" x 11" plastic sleeve with a tag board or cardboard behind the photo. Framed photographs be disqualified.

- A. Color–Landscape
- B. Color– Waterscape
- C. Color – Plants
- D. Color – Animals/ Creatures
- E. Color – People
- F. Color – Skyscape
- G. Black and White
- H. Other

3. Sewing

- A. Children's Wear
- B. Adult Wear
- C. Original Design
- D. Wearable Art
- E. Useful Sewn Item
- F. Purse or Tote
- G. Pillow
- H. Sewn item made from recycled materials
- I. Wearable Accessory (apron, scarf, hat, etc.)
- J. Other

4. Knitting

- A. Wearable Item
- B. Afghan
- C. Other

5. Crocheting

- A. Wearable Item
- B. Doily/Dresser Scarf
- C. Afghan
- D. Other

6. Hand Stitching

- A. Plastic Canvas
- B. Embroidery
- C. Counted Cross Stitch
- D. Other

7. Craft

Six (6) Cards without envelopes MUST be mounted as a group on a flat sturdy display board no larger than 14" x 22".

- A. Cards–paper only-6
- B. Cards–mixed media-6
- C. Scrapbooking
- D. Craft made from recycled materials
- E. Handcrafted doll/toy
- F. Glass craft
- G. Other

8. Heritage Skill

- A. Hardanger
- B. Tatting
- C. Woodworking
- D. Basketry
- E. Spinning/Weaving
- F. Felting
- G. Swedish Weaving
- H. Rug Making
- I. Original published book
- J. Other

9. Bed Quilt

Larger than 60" x 80" or 4,800 sq inches

- A. Tied
- B. Hand quilted

Machine Quilted by You:

- C. Pieced
- D. Appliquéd
- E. Embroidered

Machine Quilted

Professionally:

- F. Pieced
- G. Appliquéd
- H. Embroidered
- I. Any other Bed Quilt

10. Lap/Baby Quilt

Smaller than 60" x 80" or 4,800 sq inches

- A. Tied
- B. Hand-quilted
- C. Pieced
- D. Appliquéd
- E. Embroidered

Machine Quilted By You

Professionally

- F. Pieced
- G. Appliquéd
- H. Embroidered
- I. Any other lap quilt

11. Quilted Wall

Hanging (with hanging sleeve, NO frame) – One (1) item only no longer than 50 inches

- A. Hand Quilted, fabric
- B. Machine Quilted, fabric
- C. Other i.e., - collage of assembled materials or mixed media

12. Table

Topper/Runner

- A. Hand Quilted
- B. Machine Quilted
- C. Other

13. Jewelry

- A. Bracelet
- B. Necklace
- C. Set
- D. Other

14. Constructed Original Item

- A. Clay/Pottery
- B. Wood
- C. Other

15. Painted Object

- A. China
- B. Glass
- C. Fabric
- D. Wood
- E. Ceramic/Kiln Fired
- F. Other

Poem, Non-Fiction, Fiction

Three copies, typed on plain paper with 12 point font, must accompany the registration forms. Entries must not be framed or in book form. Staple a cover sheet with the category/title which is to be centered on the entry. Name and county should appear on the back side. Do not count "a", "an", and "the" for either essays or short stories.

16. Poem**17. Non-Fiction**

Original, 1 topic; 250-500 words

18. Fiction

Original with beginning, middle and end 3,000 words or less

19. Bonus Category – "Hattie's HCE Hat"

The Fun Category

Limit of one entry per county. Create a display of your choice.

You may use any media to construct your entry

Size restriction - base no larger than 10"x10" with maximum height of 20"

Judging - those attending will vote for their favorite "Hattie's HCE Hat" entry

Have Fun!!!

**STATE REGISTRATIONS DUE BY:
AUGUST 1, 2019**

May 21, 2019 HCE Cultural Arts & Crafts Show
Send Entries to Peggy Berchem,
1811 Playbird Rd, Sheboygan, WI 53083
Entry Deadline May 7, 2019



Category: _____

Letter: ____ - _____

Name : _____

Phone Number : _____

Address: _____

City/Zip: _____

Club: _____

Title: _____

Description – written on back along with size

#

Box for Office Use Only

Upcycling - Creative Projects from Reclaimed Materials
Monday, April 8, 2019 - 7:00 PM

Club/Individual Name: _____

Names of Members Attending: _____

Names of Prospective/Family Members Attending: _____

Total number of packets required _____

Return to: UW-Extension Sheboygan County, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan, WI 53081

Or Call: 920-459-5902

Deadline: April 1, 2019

Take This Stuff and...and what? Yikes! Sell it? Give it? Donate it? Dump it? Save it?
Monday, March 4, 2019 - 10:00 AM

Club/Individual Name: _____

Names of Members Attending: _____

Names of Prospective/Family Members Attending: _____

Total number of packets required _____

Return to: UW-Extension Sheboygan County, 5 University Drive, Sheboygan, WI 53081

Or Call: 920-459-5902

Deadline: February 25, 2019

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