

DECEMBER 2020 GOLDNOTES

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Sheboygan County HCE Webpage:

<https://sheboygan.extension.wisc.edu/home-community-education/>

WI Association HCE Webpage:

www.wahceinc.org

2020...A Trying Year and Good Bye 2021... Hello and Forward We March

2020 has been a trying year for all. We never knew what each day would bring...health, social contact and family concerns. Being that we are HCE members, we continue to march forward as a strong organization with strong members. We work together in all aspects of our lives. It is coming to an end. Thank goodness!!! Good Bye!!!

A lot of you wonder when we can get together again as a club or county. Patience and persistence is the secret. If you don't feel comfortable meeting face to face, please contact me and I will set up a Zoom meeting or a phone conference called Wisline. State HCE is willing to pay for these.

Our county meetings may also look different, but we will work it out. We may have the Extension open next year but until then, meetings may be Zoom or Wisline. Again, I ask for your patience.

Our program book will look a little different as we are not sure when and how we will be meeting for our Education and Executive Board meetings. I will keep all members informed through your club president and a direct email to all individual members. We will have an Education program just as we always have... presentation will be different. Again, I ask for your patience.

2021 Sheboygan County Association for Home & Community Education Officers

Carolyn Dreier
President

Kathi Bonde
Vice President (Program)

Julie Boedecker
Secretary

Nancy Cherney
Treasurer

Newsletter Edited By:

Carolyn Dreier & Jane Jensen

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I will be persistent with members to please keep in touch with your club members. Cards and phone calls are special. Keep all members and our leaders in your prayers these days. As I said before, **STAY STRONG!!!!**

Your Sheboygan County HCE President,

Carolyn Dreier

920-627-2739



Monday **Executive Board Meeting**
January 11 6:00 pm Virtual Meeting

Monday **Food—Myra Eischen**
February 8 6:00 pm Virtual Meeting

Safe Harbor Donations

Safe Harbor is doing things a bit differently in 2020 due to the pandemic and local health recommendations. We will be putting items wished for by our clients and their families in an online registry. Items can be purchased online and shipped directly to us or can be purchased in store. We're mindful that not everyone is comfortable shopping in person, so this is a great way to give without leaving home. We will be having an in-person drive by - drop off on **Dec. 9th from 8am to 5pm** at the Stayer Center (733 Broadway Ave, Sheboygan) for those who purchase items in-store. Here's the registry link:

<https://www.myregistry.com/organization/safe-harbor-of-sheboygan-sheboygan-wi/2567614/giftlist>

We are going to be adding more requests as the month goes on and as new clients need our services. There will not be families assigned to donors this year, as we want to be able to support as many clients as we can while allowing virtual giving. For a family, we are recommending purchasing 8-10 items. **Cash donations and gift cards are welcome as well to help fill in gaps.** There is still a big need for support this holiday season, it's just going to look a little different.

Needed: Breast Cancer Pillows

I have given away my last two breast cancer pillows. Does anyone have any to share?

Joyce Kuhlou
Individual Member

County International Report

There was a Wisline meeting in August connecting the State International person and the district international people. There are 4 cities that sew sanitary needs for "Days for Girls" project and each center receives a \$96.84 donation.

My husband and I have taken a truck load of items to Stevens Point for the country of Nicaragua. We have gone in May, June, July, August and now again in September. There was a list of items needed in the last "update". They have sewing, cooking, and hairdresser learning centers. We have taken sewing machines, ironing boards, sewing, knitting items, all kinds of dishes and bakeware, also sports items, bicycles, school supplies and even garden tools.

Another way to help is to order Kwik Trip gas cards in the amount of \$100.00. It is like script. The w/n partners gets a percent of every card. Give Amy or Lynn a call 715-346-4702 or email wmp@uwsp.edu. Any questions call me, Alice at 920-467-0493.

Note from Jane

Kudos to your Executive Board for leading your organization through amazing times!

Look for information from me to register for two upcoming series:

1. Aging Mastery
2. Creating Social Connections in Times of Social Isolation.

Stay Safe & Healthy,

Jane Jensen



Let's Take Care of Our Family and Community Life!

Covid 19 has take its toll on all of us! There is light at the end of the tunnel! We may be confined to our homes to keep Safe, but always remember there is always someone who has it worse! We can learn to visit shut ins outside with a mask for safety sake. As the weather becomes colder, we can ask a Nursing Home if there is a room we can use for visitation. Many times we receive note cards and writing pads from places asking for donations. I save these and send or give them to others that are alone.

Everyone enjoys MAIL! Do you know someone who loves to read? Recycle your books, magazines, and Newspapers. Do you enjoy cooking, but find yourself eating the same thing all week? Put some of your eats in disposable containers and share with single or handicap friends and or your neighbors. When chopping vegetables this summer, I broke my food chopper. So, I had to buy another. (I

think it felt like it was worked too hard) Many folks love to see you come over, just for the conversation alone. If you know someone who needs a ride to Dr. appointments and such, be that willing person to offer!

I take my cousin to and from her appointment most Fridays! We have a good time catching up on Family and other News!

Do you know someone who likes to knit or crochet? I buy yarn on sale, and make lap Granny Squares for people in Nursing Homes as well as a gift for others. Please think about making someone's Day by sending a simple note card, or any other item I may have mentioned. Perhaps you can share with HCE what you have been doing?

We can ALL PRAY for others and OUR COUNTRY, ESPECIALLY NOW!

Family and Community Life, Joyce Kuhlow

2021 Proposed Programs

Hello HCE Members!

Looking forward to seeing all of you in 2021! We have a fantastic year coming up with great seminars! We are even going to have a tour to Cedarburg!

I realize we are still in the COVID crisis but we will certainly take all necessary precautions. We may do things differently but fear not Sheboygan County HCE is alive and well!

- **January** - Heritage skills - Resource: Peggy Berchem - mailed to all members
- **February** - Food - Resource: Myra Eischen
- **March** - Environmental Lesson - Plants
- **April** - Organ Transplant Recipient - The Gift of Life - Resource: Sue Gabsch
- **May** - Rally & Recognition Day - District III
- **June** - Safe Harbor - Various months to help out our Community Outreach Project.

- **July** - Trip to Quilt Museum in Cedarburg - \$\$ View / lunch / make sample quilt
- **August / September** - Sheboygan County Fair.
- **September** - How & What can be Recycled. - Tentative: Advance Disposal - Many recycled items end up in the landfill! Why?
- **September** - WAHCE State Convention - Stevens Point - Possible Awards: Education, Club, Services of Love, Stitches of Love. Start thinking now! Also, Cultural Arts Bonus category.
- **October** - Member to Member - District I
- **November** - Essential Oils - Resource - Maureen Lueck
- **December** - Merry Christmas



HCE Book Club News- Nancy Wagner & JoAnn Gadicke

Looking back on our next book originally slated for discussion in April 2020 it seems like so long ago that we decided on this book to read. Titled "*The Good Neighbor*," Maxwell King reveals Fred Rogers (1928-2003), creator of Mister Rogers' Neighborhood, whose guiding principles of his Christian faith—kindness, acceptance, and unconditional love—underpinned every aspect of his professional and personal life. Arranged more or less chronologically, the story traces Rogers's development from an often sickly and overweight child, subjected to childhood bullying and an overprotective mother. His upbringing, while often socially isolating, provided a rich environment for the development of his creativity; he went on to study musical composition and become ordained as a Presbyterian minister. Neighborhood, which ran from 1968 to 2001, was radical for its time, covering war, death, divorce, and other controversial topics honestly and respectfully for children's understanding. Grown-up fans, pop culture enthusiasts, and anyone interested in the history of educational television and child development will be inspired.

After discussion and feedback from you we decided that a ZOOM meeting was not feasible as we only had 6 who would participate in that endeavor. We will tentatively attempt once again to meet in person and discuss the book *The Good Neighbor*, on Wednesday, February 10th, 2021. The time and place will need to be determined, as we get closer to the date. We will try to stay close to the time of day that we normally meet. We ask that each of you bring a couple of questions for the discussion of the book or any other information that you have gleaned about the book.

If anyone wishes to join the discussion we are always happy to have additional participants. There are also audio books available from the library if you would like to listen to the book rather than read it.

Hope to see you there!

Nancy has ordered our next book, titled "*Finding Chika; a little girl, an earthquake, and the making of a family*" by Mitch Albom. She will bring the books to the meeting. Think positive and hope for our February meeting to take place.

Accessing Zoom Meetings

You can attend the meeting on a computer, tablet, or phone that has audio and video capabilities. You will receive an email with a link to connect to the meeting from the HCE President.

You can also call into the meeting from a phone using the phone numbers provided in the email.

Accessing Wisline's

You will receive an email with the call in number for the Wisline meeting from the HCE President. Please call the number provided to join the meeting.



Follow the
**Extension Sheboygan
County** Facebook page.

Remembering Regina

Town & Country HCE Homemakers lost our beloved member, Regina Malon, on September 19, 2020. She belonged to Sheboygan Home and Community Education for 25 years.

Regina valued the educational experiences of the organization, contributed her time, and shared her resources. She was a willing volunteer as a Bookworm reader to Head Start children, she sewed many hats for cancer survivors, she helped at the HCE fair booth, and enjoyed sharing recipes and quilting ideas for our member meetings.

She enjoyed hosting the T&C group every year. Regina will always be remembered for her special plum kuchen and looked forward to plum season every year.

Regina Malon was a very enthusiastic member. She will be missed.

**SHEBOYGAN COUNTY HCE FALL ANNUAL COUNTY WIDE MEETING
MONDAY, OCTOBER 12 2020
6:00 PM VIA ZOOM**

Carolyn Dreier welcomed guests and members at 6:05 pm and followed with Pledge of Allegiance.

Call to order at 6:08 pm followed by Association Creed.

Roll call by club, individuals and guests.

Lakeview - 2 - Ellen McNeese and Phyllis Nyhof

Pretty Good Eggs - 2 - Kathi Bonder and Sharon Zimmermann

Franklin - 3 - Carolyn Dreier, Joanne Schroeder and Nancy Wagner

Howards Grove Domestics - 3 - Nancy Cherney, Peggy Berchem, Sharon Even

Individual members - 4 - Julie Boedecker, Alice Walter, Joyce Kuhlow, Myra Eischen

Jane Jensen, HCE Liaison

Guest Donna Zarovy, HCE State President

Excused member - Kris Miller

Please note that Town and Country Club has dropped membership as group. Two members continue in individual category.

Introduction of 2019-2020 Executive Board Members -

President - Carolyn Dreier

Vice President Programs - Kathi Bonde

Secretary - Julie Boedecker

Treasurer - Nancy Cherney

Historian/International - Alice Walter

Family and Community Life - Joyce Kuhlow

Stiches of Love - Julie Boedecker

Cultural and Textile Arts - Peggy Berchem

Programs - Kathi Bonde

Wisconsin Bookworms - Kristine Miller and Ruth Limberg

2019 Annual meeting Secretary's Minutes were read prior to meeting with mailing. Correction noted that Regina Malon was current member not former member. Motion made by Kathi Bonde and seconded by Alice Walter to approve. Motion carried.

2019-2020 Treasurer's report was read by Nancy Cherney. Motion by Sharon Zimmermann and seconded by Ellen McNeese to approve. Motion carried.

Standing committee reports

Historian/International - Alice Walter reporting. Alice and her husband delivered items to Stevens Point this summer for Wisconsin Nicaragua partners. They were items for the learning centers to assist in teaching a skill to the people of Nicaragua for sewing and cooking. Many items were from thrift shops and garage sales. Another way to donate is buying Kwik Trip gas cards and then the office gets a percentage of the sales like script from church. Contact Alice if interested in buying these cards.

The Days of Girls project is being done by 4 different centers in the state...Green Bay, Onalaska, Cumberland and Muskego. Each center received about \$95.00 from the state for their sewing needs.

Stiches of Love - Julie Boedecker reporting. There are 2 ladies and one group from Ebenezer church that make hats. One member is Nancy Cherney and the other is non-member Angie Hoftiezer. They make 3 different styles...pillbox, bucket and kerchief. 221 hats were completed this year. We also accept donations. The hats are given to the 2 cancer centers....Matthews oncology and Vince Lombardi. We received a \$100.00 donation from our district for material and supplies.

Cultural & Textile Arts - Peggy Berchem reporting. The committee lost member Mary Olson. Peggy is asking for someone to step forward to replace her. There were 10 entries this year for the cultural arts show. Members were reminded to bring their entries to next year's show. There was a workshop in March for painting bird houses. 20 members attended.

Programs - Kathi Bonde reporting. Proposed programs for 2021.

January - Heritage skills - Resource: Peggy Berchem - mailing.

February - Food - Resource: Myra Eischen - day meeting.

March - Environmental lesson - Plants: Lori Walker, Master Gardener.

April - Organ Transplant Recipient - The gift of Life - Resource: Sue Gabsch - night meeting.

May - Rally & Recognition day - District II - Pretty Good Eggs.

June - Safe Harbor - various months to help out our Community outreach project.

July - Trip to Quilt Museum in Cedarburg - \$\$\$view/lunch/make sample quilt.

August/September - Sheboygan County Fair - District III (Franklin and Howards Grove Domestic).

September - How and what can be recycled - tentative - Advance Disposal - Many recycled items end up in the landfill. Why?

September - WAHCE State Convention - Stevens Point - Possible awards: Education, Club, Services of Love, Stiches of Love. Start thinking now. Also, Cultural arts bonus category.

October - Member to Member - District I - Lakeview.

November - Essential Oils 101 - Maureen Lueck

December - Merry Christmas

Wisconsin Bookworms - Kris Miller. Report by Carolyn Dreier. HCE works with Headstart to offer the Wisconsin Bookworms program. Bookworm readers will not be allowed into the classroom during the Covid crisis. Kris is moving and will not be available next year so we will need someone to replace her. The Bookworm Coordinator role consists of working with Amy at Headstart. The number of books required is decided and then ordered. When delivered they need to be sorted and delivered/distributed to schools. Another role is finding readers for the program. Book labels are ordered in the beginning of the year.

Family & Community Life - Joyce Kuhlow reporting. Joyce offers these suggestions to get through this Covid 19 crisis.

Visit shut-ins or neighbors outside with a mask for safety.

Ask nursing home if there is a special room you can use for visitation.

Note pads and writing pads you receive in the mail for donations can be sent to others....everyone enjoys mail.

Recycle your books, magazines and newspapers.

Share any extra food you make with singles, handicaps or neighbors.

Offer to take elderly to doctor appointments.

If you knit or crochet, make lap granny squares for people in nursing homes or to others as gifts.

Just send someone a simple note card to let them know you're thinking of them.

Share with other HCE members what you've been doing to get through this troubling time.

NEW BUSINESS

County wide project for 2021 - We will continue with Safe Harbor from 2020 since the pandemic interfered with any activity. Motion made by Sharon Zimmermann and seconded by Joyce Kuhlow to stay with Safe Harbor for 2021. Carolyn Dreier reported that there will be a different background check form to be completed that will not ask for your social security number. Once we are able to get into building, suggestions are to make a meal and to take care of children there. Donations include first aid kits, sewing kits, blankets, pillows, quilts. They also need help- sorting through clothing donations that come in. Sharon Zimmermann made a motion to donate \$150.00 to Safe Harbor. Motion passed. Alice Walter will work on getting financial donation from an organization for supplies needed. Suggestions for county wide project for 2022 are Samaritan Hands, Sheboygan Food Bank, or a half-way house in Sheboygan for men and women.

Club representatives to the Executive Board for 2021 and changing of the districts. Note that Town and Country club did not rejoin but 2 of the members joined as Individual members - Alice Ackermann and Ann Meyer. Existing districts and representatives will be:

District I - Lakeview - Joan Walvoord and Marilyn Voskuil

District II - Pretty Good Eggs - Sharon Zimmermann

District III: - Howards Grove Domestics - Sharon Even
Franklin - Joanne Schroeder

Any changes in representatives after this meeting, please contact Carolyn Dreier or Tammy Zorn for program update.

Election of 2020-2021 officers - Ballot - Carolyn Dreier, president for 2 years; Julie Boedecker, Secretary for 1 year; and Nancy Cherney for treasurer for 2 years. Ballots closed by Joyce Kuhlow and seconded by Alice Walter. Motion carried.

The following will continue their existing chairmanship of committees for one-year terms.

Kathi Bonde - Program - but would like someone to help her.

Alice Walter - Historian/International.

Kris Miller - Needs to train someone to replace her for Wisconsin Bookworms.

Joyce Kuhlow - Family & Community Life.

Peggy Berchem - Cultural & Textile Arts - requests someone to replace Mary Olson.

Julie Boedecker - Stitches of Love.

2020 Southeast District meeting will be a zoom meeting on October 21, 2020, at 10:00 am. Contact Carolyn for zoom link.

District responsibilities for 2021 will be Member to Member, District 1 - Lakeview. Rally Day, District II - Pretty Good Eggs. Fair Booth - District III - Franklin and Howards Grove Domestics.

Carolyn thanked everyone for patience and cooperation during Covid. She encouraged group to continue to meet. Contact Carolyn for Wisline and Zoom information. Carolyn will email with date for November executive board meeting.

There was a moment of silence to honor deceased members and all firemen, police, health care workers and the nation.

Closed with Association prayer at 7:20 pm.

Motion to adjourn at 7:22 pm by Nancy Cherney and seconded by Ellen McNeese. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Julie Boedecker, Secretary

Addendum

Donna Zarovy, HCE State President - reports the state board is doing zoom meetings. She will assist any club to set up zoom meetings. Donna announced the state is working on guidelines to provide a yearly scholarship.

Jane Jensen summarized all the groups she has a part in teaching and they are virtual.

**SHEBOYGAN COUNTY HCE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
MONDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 2020, 6:00 - 7:20 P.M.
ZOOM MEETING**

Call to order by President Carolyn Dreier followed by the Association Creed read by Carolyn.

Welcome to guest Donna Zarovy, HCE State President.

Roll call, present: Carolyn Dreier, Kathi Bonde, Julie Boedecker, Nancy Cherney, Alice Walter, Joyce Kuhlow, Kristine Miller, Marilyn Voskuil, Sharon Zimmermann, Sharon Even, Nancy Wagner, Joanne Schroeder, Jane Jensen.

Excused: Peggy Berchem

Secretary's minutes were reviewed by members prior to meeting. Motion made by Nancy Cherney and seconded by Alice Walter to accept minutes. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report was read by Nancy Cherney. Motion made by Joyce Kulow and seconded by Alice Walter to accept minutes. Motion carried.

REPORTS OF OFFICERS & COMMITTEES:

Cultural & Textile Arts - Peggy Berchem absent. Carolyn Dreier reporting. Reminder that members can enter their 2020 projects in 2021 and any new projects. Theme for extra category is "Reaching for the Stars".

Stitches of Love - Julie Boedecker reporting. Activity since July, 2020, as follows: 78 bucket hats made by Ebenezer church group, 22 kerchief hats made by Nancy Cherney and Angie Hoftiezer, and 38 pillbox hats made by Nancy Cherney. All hats are divided equally between the 2 cancer centers.

Suggestion to check with cancer centers if they have a good supply.

Family & Community Life - Joyce Kuhlow reporting. Joyce takes person to Vince Lombardi for weekly chemo. They thanked her for breast pillows. Discussion followed. Kay Keyes is leader of making breast pillows and Kathi Bonde will contact her regarding making more. Joyce suggests contacting friends, relatives in nursing homes via cards and/or making bags of small tidbits, candy, notepads, cards, etc.

Wisconsin Bookworms - Kristine Miller reporting. Discussion on use of DVD. Will leave teachers to read books in classroom. Hopefully in April or May, 2021 school will resume to normal and readers can enter classrooms.

International - Alice Walter reporting. Nothing to report.

Community Outreach - Carolyn Dreier reporting. Safe Harbor will be the 2021 county project. You can drop off anything at Safe Harbor. Note suggestions in previous Goldnotes. Address will be in Goldnotes or use telephone book. There is a sign in front of the building, near 9-10th Ave and Niagara. Website also has suggested donations.

Marketing/membership - no report.

Vice President Programming - Kathi Bonde reporting. Any change to existing programs will be addressed in Goldnotes.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Wisconsin Bookworms - DVD proposal at SE Wisconsin meeting will not be used here.

Thank you to Sharon Zimmermann for writing article for UPDATE regarding Sheboygan County.

NEW BUSINESS

Officers for 2021 were reviewed by Carolyn. Same as 2020.

Safe Harbor will continue to be the 2021 County project. Refer to prior lists in Goldnotes for acceptable donations. If you plan on making meal only 1-2 people can enter building to provide food preparation/demonstration. Another person can provide child care. Carolyn will put newest background check for Safe Harbor form in Goldnotes.

History of Sheboygan County Homemakers. We received volumes of information from Elverta Reine-mann estate including 49 years of programs. Nancy Wagner has the paperwork. Carolyn Dreier gave a brief history. When HCE was started we did not have an agent and when we did get one she attended every club meeting. There were as many as 73 clubs and 800-1,200 members. Information was summa-rized and sent to Donna Zarovy to be put on the Sheboygan County website of WAHCE. Future meet-ings will be done via Zoom.

Review of 2021 program book. Educational meetings will continue to be on the second Monday and exec-utive board meetings will be on the third Monday of month. Board meetings in September will be can-celled due to excess activities that month. 2021 Member to Member will be recipes submitted for 2020, 4 ingredients or less. Recipes given out at 2021 Sheboygan County fair will be the Thanksgiving recipes prepared at 2019 Member to Member.

Tammy will send 2021 program books, 2020 recipe packets -4 items or less recipes, the January Herit-age arts instruction sheet and the Goldnotes all members.

NOTE: Sheboygan Extension is open by appointment. Jane Jensen reviewed all programs she is partici-pating in. She will email to Carolyn program of "Grief, Loss and New Traditions for Holidays". Update on club activity and ideas for future. Lakeview club continues to have scheduled meetings with masks and social distancing. NOTE: Donna Zarovy, HCE State President can set up zoom or WI Conference for club meetings.

OTHER BUSINESS

We will not have Holiday party in December.

Get Goldnotes articles to Tammy by Thanksgiving.

Next board meeting on January 11, 2021 at 6:00 pm via Zoom.

Closed with association prayer at 7:20 pm read by Carolyn.

Motion made by Nancy Cherney and seconded by Joyce Kuhlow to adjourn. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Julie Boedecker, Secretary



2021 Cultural Arts & Textile Update

I hope this finds everyone safe and healthy. The last months have been quite a change. Besides the pandemic, I and Pam Fiedler have lost a member of our Cultural Arts Committee, Mary Olson. We will miss her very much and her many quilted entries.

The following members registered their entries for the Cultural Arts Show at Rally Day in May of this year, this was cancelled until 2021. Please bring these entries next year.

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| 1. Nancy Wagner | 5 D | Crocheting - Baby Afghan |
| 2. Nancy Wagner | 6 C | Counted Cross Stitch |
| 3. Joyce Kuhlrow | 2 H | Photography - Other |
| 4. Carolyn Dreier | 7 F | Craft—Glass |
| 5. Ann Meyer | 6 A | Plastic Canvas |
| 6. Ann Meyer | 6 C | Counted cross Stitch |
| 7. Ann Meyer | 8 D | Basketry |
| 8. Ann Meyer | 9 G | Appliqued Bed Quilt |
| 9. Joyce Smies | 4 B | Accessory - Knitted |
| 10. Peggy Berchem | 15 A | Painted China Tray |



March 9, there was a Painting Bird House Workshop. Everyone had a good time picking out a bird house and colors and getting the least paint on themselves. When they were done the group decided to enter their houses in the Art Show in May. The following member registered:

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| Judy Diener | Elaine McGinley |
| Rosemary Anderson | Elverta Reinemann |
| Ruthie Hering | Joan Walvoord |
| Kay Keyes | Nancy Wagner |

If anyone is interested in helping the Cultural Arts Committee please contact Pam Fiedler or myself.

Stay safe,

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| Peggy Berchem | Pam Fiedler |
| Chairperson | 920-893-0968 |
| 920-452-4757 | |

All items entered in 2020 can be entered in 2021 plus additional items.



Pretty Good Eggs donation to Safe Harbor.

HCE Members....2020 was a year with no Rally Day and no State Conference. I am going to give you ideas to start working on Cultural Arts for 2021. Here is the 2021 Cultural Arts Entry form. Look at it, get ideas and work on your crafts this winter. Yeah..this COVID will end. Take care Carolyn

**Wisconsin Association for Home & Community Education, Inc.
Cultural Arts Show & Contest – 2021 Categories**



1. Painting/Drawing

*Framed or Wrapped.
Easels must have securely
taped label with name,
county, and district.*

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

2. Photography

*Photograph must be 8" x
10", unmounted only, in 8½" x
11" plastic. 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 & white/sepia
- H. Other

3. Sewing

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

4. Knitting

- A. Wearable Item
- B. Accessory (i.e., hat,
scarf, mittens)
- C. Afghan
- D. Other

5. Crocheting

- A. Wearable Item
- B. Accessory (i.e., hat,
scarf, mittens)
- B. Doily/Dresser Scarf
- C. Afghan
- D. Other

6. Hand Stitching

- A. Plastic Canvas
- B. Embroidery
- C. 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. Macramé
- J. Quilling
- K. 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. Appliqued
- E. Embroidered

Machine Quilted

Professionally:

- F. Pieced
- G. Appliqued
- 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
Machine Quilted By You
- C. Pieced
- D. Appliqued
- E. Embroidered
Machine Quilted
- F. Pieced
Professionally
- G. Appliqued
- 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. Quilted 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. Fabric/Felt
- D. Other

15. Painted Object

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

**Poem, Non-Fiction,
Fiction**

*Two 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. Original Published
Book**

*One copy must accompany
entry.*

**20. Bonus Category –
"Reach for the STARS
with HCE", the Fun
Category.**

*Limit of one
entry per county. Use your
imagination. 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
"Reach for the STARS with
HCE" entry. **Have fun!***

**STATE
REGISTRATIONS
DUE BY:
AUGUST 1, 2021**

**Wisconsin Association for Home & Community Education, Inc.
Cultural & Textile Arts Show
2021 Guidelines for County Chairs**



ALL items, including Bonus Category, must be pre-registered. Registration is due August 1, 2021. Any items NOT pre-registered will NOT be judged or displayed. Only one entry on each registration form. Send all forms together immediately after county show including written entries. A County may enter a total of 12 entries plus one Bonus Category 20. A county cannot have duplicate entries in any lettered sub-category. The County Cultural Arts Chair must include a self-addressed postcard or email address to verify receipt of registration forms. If you do not receive verification within three weeks, please call or email the WAHCE Cultural Arts Chair.

IMPORTANT: All entrants MUST sign the Registration form. Please read and sign below; entries will NOT be accepted if unsigned. Entrants will not hold WAHCE responsible for any loss or damage to any item submitted for use in the WAHCE Cultural Arts Show. Entrants give permission for their photo, photos of their entry, and/or print copies of their written entry to be used by WAHCE as seen fit.

All work must be done by entrant and completed after last year's county show. It must receive a first place at this year's county show or fair. All items must be clean or laundered or will be disqualified by the judge. Kits and patterns may be used as long as entrant does all the work. All easels must have securely taped label with name, county and district.

Color Coding of Registration Forms by Districts:

Central – White	Northeast – Yellow	Northwest – Light Blue
Southeast – Green	Southwest – Orange	West – Pink

Entry Day: Deliver items Sunday (9/19/21) from 7-9pm or Monday (9/20/21) 9-11:30 am. Judging will begin at 12:30PM. Members may view the show after the Monday evening activity until 10:30pm and during the day Tuesday, September 21, 2021. Hours on Tuesday for viewing will be announced or posted. Pickup times will be posted.

Send registration and written entries to: **Phoebe Shourds, Cultural Arts Chairperson**
401 State Hwy 65, River Falls, WI 54022
Email: pnpaulson@yahoo.com 715-821-1606 (c)

Contact Phoebe with any cultural arts questions.

Cut on the dotted line and send in the **SIGNED** completed Registration Form and Claim Check **with both parts filled out.** You will receive your Claim Check when you bring in the items.

2021 Registration Form

Category/Class (example 2D) _____
 County _____ District _____
 Name (print) _____
 Address _____
 City/Zip _____
 E-mail _____
 Phone # _____
 Title or Description _____
 Are you bringing an easel? Y or N

2021 Claim Check

Category/Class (example 2D) _____
 County _____ District _____
 Name (print) _____
 Address _____
 City/Zip _____
 E-mail _____
 Phone # _____
 Title or Description _____
 Are you bringing an easel? Y or N

Peoples' Choice # (Official use only) _____

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Signature: _____ County _____ Date: _____

Safe Harbor Donation List

Even though our HCE county community project, Safe Harbor, still needs donations!

- Paper Towel
- Toilet Paper
- General cleaning spray
- Carpet cleaner
- Feminine products (pads and tampons)
- Magic cleaning erasers
- Dish soap
- Dish washer detergent or pods
- Air fresheners- spray or gel in container
- Laundry detergent or pods
- Facial tissues/Kleenex
- 13-gallon white garbage bags
- Bleach
- Dryer sheets
- Ear plugs
- Pillow cases
- Bath towels
- Brooms
- Mops
- Baby monitors
- Slippers
- Lamps (small in size)
- Bath robes (adult sizes)
- Ear buds (for music)
- Stress balls
- Sponges
- Tote bins
- Laundry baskets
- Over the counter medication- acetaminophen, ibuprofen, cold and cough syrup, cough drops, allergy reliever
- Gift Cards
- Gas Cards
- Plastic to-go containers for food
- Size 5/6 Diapers
- Pull ups for toddlers
- Coloring books
- New twin sheets
- New pillows
- New twin fleece blankets

Food Items:

- Bottled water
- Coffee creamer
- Emergen-C
- Ground Beef
- Juice
- Spices
- Fresh fruit
- Fresh vegetables
- Frozen pizzas
- Cheese
- Deli meats
- Canned fruit
- Cereal
- Butter
- Snack for kids
- Mac n/ Cheese
- Spaghetti-O's
- Canned Ravioli
- Pasta sauce
- Hamburger helper
- Side noodle/rice dishes

Things we are not in need of- furniture, home decorations, used clothes for out of season, office supplies, size newborn-3 diapers, baby wipes, old electronics, carpets, mattresses

In Spring Safe Harbor could use volunteers for:

- Painting
- Kitchen cleaning
- Yard work—mulching
- Making tie blankets
- Make Quilts

Any further questions or to volunteer call our phone line at (920) 452-7640.

Note: All items should be new.

They would appreciate first aid kits, sewing kits and help organizing clothes closets

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LOVE
AND HOPE

