

SUWF Leadership Team Meeting Minutes – August 3, 2022

The SUWF Leadership Team met via Zoom at 7:00. Members present were Lynn Rouse, Carol Scull, Lisa Potts, Adele Hyla-Brewster, Melissa Bolling, Arlene Spehar, Sally Barnes, Susan Stuart, Bobbi Edge. Lynn opened the meeting with prayer, which also served as the devotional in Betty's absence.

June To-Do List Review

1. Membership – Circle Leaders, please let Gwen know of any membership changes. Bobbi noted that Lynda Burke had moved.
2. Reading Program – Circle Leaders, please let Arlene or Janice know if anyone is participating in the program by August 15. Lynn sent out the Faith Talks link and Arlene noted that 2 Faith Talks counts as reading one book.
3. Storekeeper – Sally has a new Rada catalog for each circle. Prices have gone up!
4. Food Pantry – The Scoop lists needs. Adele mentioned that the following items are needed: non-electric can openers, dish soap, body soap, diapers (see Social Action information)
5. Church Mouse – No get-together occurred this year due to scheduling conflicts. Ask circles if they would like to continue this fall with the program. Main concern was not knowing if the students received the items sent. Jennifer DeBeaumont is the program chair.
6. Silverdale – Still in need of volunteers. List of school supplies needed has been in The Scoop, on the website, and in the bulletin. Contact Peggy Stolzenberg if you can help in any way. Adele is doing some gardening at Silverdale and could use help as well.

CALENDAR

*September 7 – SUWF Leadership Team Meeting; 7:00 on Zoom

*September 11 – International Dinner with Denise Baker; 5:30-7:00 in Building 1 Fellowship Hall

*October 9 – Conference annual meeting; more details will be sent out later.

ROCKS – LEADERSHIP

PRESIDENT/VICE PRESIDENT – Lynn handled the To-Do List details and provided needed information throughout the meeting. She noted that Charlie Krawchuk will be unable to do the calendar due to health issues. Circle leaders, please ask for a volunteer to take over this position. The calendar would need to be done by the end of August.

SECRETARY – Carol will check the box for any thank you notes that have been received.

TREASURER – Lisa emailed the Budget report through August 1. Balance in checking is \$2,288.84 and the balance in the Lou Frazier Scholarship is \$1,919.95. We have approximately \$5,000 in outstanding obligations. If the Community Calendar is not printed again this year, we may need extra funds. Lynn said that the money made from the Soup Bowl Cozies could be used. Lisa said that Mock Dinner money will help (Bobbi's circle has already turned that money in). Lisa sent out Candle Burning forms to circle leaders. Names are due to her by August 24.

ROCKS – MISSION COORDINATORS

SOCIAL ACTION – Adele sent out a Social Action Report form to the Leadership Team. She also sent an email regarding a Diaper Shower. Bobbi volunteered to take diapers to Hope Mission (any size, baby or adult). Other suggested recipients were the Women's Program of Onslow County and our church pantry. If circles contribute packages of diapers, let Adele know how many were contributed. Special Recognition pins were also discussed. We are still waiting for the pins to arrive for Sanders Hall and Alysha Barth. The pins can go to anyone involved in Missions. The cost is \$40, and all of the money goes towards missions. Adele suggested honoring the VBS kids and youth who contribute to missions each year. Lisa added that possibly a plaque with the pin on it would let them know that they were being recognized.

SPECIAL EVENTS – International dinner will be held September 11 from 5:30-7:00 in Building 1 Fellowship Hall. Denise Baker has chosen food from Thailand and will send out a link for recipes. Patti Heller will be in charge of setup. Lisa or Adele will contact Linda Folger in hopes that she will give a short Zoe program. Melissa suggested that flyers be made to hand out.

NOMINATIONS – Lisa sent out an email regarding nominations which will close on August 31. 2023 slate of Officers is due to the Conference by September 15. Are all circle leaders willing to continue next year? President, Secretary, & Treasurer positions need to be filled! Donna Huffman has volunteered to take the Treasurer position but will need to join a circle in order to do so. Circle leaders, please ask your groups for volunteers to fill these positions. Please respond to Lisa with names of volunteers.

ROCKS – CIRCLE LEADERS

MORNING – Lisa's circle has enjoyed speakers from Zoe, Refuge, and Onslow County Women's Center at the past few meetings.

AFTERNOON – Susan's circle hasn't met this summer but continues to take snacks monthly to the Boy's Home.

NIGHT – Bobbi's circle continues to meet monthly in the Choir Room except for the Mock Supper which was held at Helen Cizerle's home in July. Hope Mission & Thrift Store remain the mission focus.

NIGHT – Rhonda was absent so no report at this time.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON – Lynn's circle has reactivated the Sewing Sisters. They are meeting on the 2nd and 4th Fridays from 10-2. They have made female pads for Haiti kits and sponsored a teacher's group. They will begin helping Linda Mitchell's group in Haiti. The rest of Cheryl Epperson's children's books have been sent to Haiti.

Prayer requests were brought to our attention and Adele gave the closing prayer. Lynn adjourned the meeting at 8:20.

Respectfully submitted, Carol Scull