

### **Minutes June 25, 2014**

The following women attended the meeting: Lynne, Colleen, Marie, Lisa, Grace, Jackie, Judi, Carole L., and Mary Jo. Thanks to Carole for hosting this meeting. The food was delicious!

Lynne shared thank you cards with us from Ev and the girls from Beverly House.

We tentatively planned an exciting and informative year of meetings. Here are the ideas that are being planned:

**September 7** Business meeting/Vacation auction (remember to collect great things from all of your trips this summer! Invite your prospective members.)

**October 8** Rochelle Balkam will be speaking about one room schoolhouses in Michigan. We hope to meet in an actual one room school-house. Jackie and Colleen will let Lynne know by July 9.

**November 5** Marie is setting up our involvement in Project Linus. At the meeting we would decorate quilt squares which will be put together and given to children with cancer. The finished quilt will be displayed for us to see at the Birthday Dinner.

We discussed making up quilt kits of materials to give to the girls at Beverly House so that they could make some for themselves and other children. Grace will check into this project.

Initiation of new members will take place at this meeting but future members may be invited to September and/or October meetings.

**December 3** Holiday Auction/Soiree

Currently scheduled for Laurel Manor but Jackie is checking on other places.

**January 21** We persuaded Jackie to put on her presentation about Jane Austin because so many of us were unable to attend the state convention.

**No February meeting**

**March 18** Our guest will be Nancy Higgins speaking about women's health.

**May 1-3** State convention

**May 20** Birthday Dinner (Marie is checking into Antonio's in Canton. If anyone has other ideas please let Lynne know ASAP so we can schedule.)

**June 17** Planning meeting

**Other dates of interest:**

April 25 (tentative) Metro Council

May 1-3 State convention

Respectively submitted by Mary Jo Dreffe