# Kirksville Women of Today

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## \*\*Upcoming Events\*\*

## **July 2012**

16-22 Adair County Fair

- 19 Organizing KWOT History meeting, 6:30pm, Nancy & Sandy's house
- 26 General Membership Meeting, 7pm, Gwen's house

## August 2012

- 5 Friendship Day BBQ 5pm Nancy & Sandy's
- 12 Sundaes on Sunday with Maplewood
- 23 General Membership Meeting/Taco Salad Supper/Book Sale – 6:30pm at Nancy & Sandy's

## **Happy Birthday**

Karen Shepard – July 22 Sherry Lamberson – August 9 Robin White – August 15

## **Happy Anniversary**

Kris & Kenny McKim – August 20

### Next General Membership Meeting

The next meeting will be held on July 26 at 7pm at Gwen's house located at 19417 White Oak Trail. If you need directions, please contact Gwen at 665-7009. Hope to see you there!

#### ~~~ From the President ~~~

Happy July to you all!

First and foremost, I want to thank all of you who braved the HEAT to help with the WOT convertible in the July 4<sup>th</sup> parade, sweated through working at the pancake breakfast on the 7<sup>th</sup>, and baked for and/or worked at our annual farmers' market adventure that same day. I guess the PR from our participation in the parade and helping with the community breakfast is worth the sweat. And the money raised at the farmers' market gives us a very good start on money for our Relay for Life team. So again a big THANK YOU!

Anyone who is interested in helping organize "historical" Kirksville Women of Today items (newspaper articles, meeting minutes, membership rosters, photographs, etc., etc.) come to a meeting at my house at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, July 19 to see what we can do with these "archives". Bring anything you have that might be included.

A couple other dates to remember are Sunday, August 5 for a social event for Friendship Day and Saturday, September 22 for the fall state meeting in Independence. Both events are chances to interact socially with members of our chapter as well as get to know members from other chapters at the state meeting.

Finally, there is an article in this newsletter explaining state president Terri Danner's presidential incentives for 2012-2013. If you qualify for recognition in any trimester, please let me know by the chapter meeting preceding the deadline.

I hope to see all of you at the July 26 meeting at Gwen's. Sue will be her co-hostess.

Sandy

#### Secret Pals for 2012-13

Don't forget your secret pal! If you need help with delivering your gifts, etc. please give me a call (h: 627-5146/c: 660-216-1122) or email me (gerryqcmo@hotmail.com) for assistance.

Gerry

### Friendship Day Social – Save the Date!

Sunday, August 5<sup>th</sup>, is Friendship Day and KWOT will be celebrating the day with a barbeque starting at 5pm. You're welcome to invite your family to also attend. Mark your calendars now so you won't miss out on the fun! You'll hear more details at the July 26<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Nancy

### **Books, Books, Books**

The past few years at the August taco salad supper/meeting members have brought their used books to share with other members while also raising a little money for our Relay for Life team. Paperbacks sell for 50 cents and hardbacks for \$1. So right now check your bookshelves, end tables, under your bed, etc. for books you no longer want and bring them to the August 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting.

Sandy

#### Let's meet to organize historical papers, pictures, etc. of KWOT

In an effort to get better organized and preserve some of our KWOT history, we are holding a meeting on Thursday, July 19 at 6:30pm at Nancy & Sandy's house to go through things and get an idea of what we want to do. If you are interested in helping with this project, please attend this meeting. We can use as many members as are interested and we promise to have snacks!

Sandy & Nancy

#### Secret Pal Thank Yous

Thank you to my secret pal for the wonderful anniversary gift! Mike and I thoroughly enjoyed every bit of it! ~ Karen

Pictured below: Marilyn Romine, our recent Outstanding Woman Leader, and President Sandy after decorating the car. Marilyn, Gwen, and Patty riding in the 4<sup>th</sup> of July parade.





July 7<sup>th</sup> Farmers' Market

Thank you to everyone who baked, delivered, and helped "man" the baked goods stand at the Farmer's Market on Saturday. It was incredible!! Our total sales were \$521.50 -- \$100 of that was a donation. Special thanks to Tammy for getting such an awesome spot and setting up and to Gwen, Sandy and Sheila for helping breakdown!

Nancy

#### Sundaes on Sunday Sign Up

On Sunday, August 12, three (3) to four (4) members are needed to help serve up ice cream and create sundaes with the residents of Maplewood Farm. If you are willing to donate sundae supplies or are willing to attend to help serve up the ice cream and toppings, please either let me know at the July 26<sup>th</sup> meeting or send me an email at kingsrus@marktwain.net or call my cell at 660-626-6002. Below are some suggested toppings to provide, but you can add your own spin on the sundaes and let me know what you plan to provide:

Ice Cream: 5 qt Chocolate/Vanilla combined or 1 brick of each flavor; Chocolate Syrup; Strawberries; Bananas; Caramel; Sprinkles; Whip Cream; Nerds; Nuts; Gummy bears; Cherries; or any other toppings.

Thanks, Lisa King

#### **State Presidential Incentives for 2012-2013**

May 1 - August 31, 2012

- 1. Write a newsletter article for local or state newsletter
- 2. Work on a local project
- 3. Invite a prospective member to a meeting or social
- 4. Attend a local forum on one of the emphasis areas (Kim LeBaron's presentation at our June meeting, for example)

September 1 – December 31, 2012

- 1. Participate in an emphasis area project local, state, or national
- 2. Chair or co-chair a local project
- 3. Complete at least 3 Health and Wellness items
- 4. Complete at least 3 Personal Development items

January 1, 2013 – April 30, 2013

- 1. Write a newsletter article for local or state newsletter
- 2. Participate in a local project
- 3. Have attended at least 1 state meeting
- 4. Certify in Health and Wellness or Personal Development

If you complete these 4 items within any or all of the trimesters, please let Sandy know and she'll turn in the chapter's member's participation all together to Terri Danner.