



Red Hat Honeys



The Fond du Lac Senior Center Chapter of the Red Hat Society

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September & October 2012



What's Buzzin' ...

News of the Red Hat Honeys

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

for these upcoming Red Hat activities:

Wed – Sep 12th – Dutch Treat Lunch at the new Hibachi Grill Sushi Buffet

Thurs – Sep 13th – FREE – “How to Fashion Fun & Friendships” or “Helpful Hints on planning fun activities for your Red Hat Sisters”

Thurs – Sep 27th – Red Hat Honey’s
Tin (10th) Anniversary Party!!

Thurs – Oct 4th - October “Hobo and Chili Dump Party” at Lakeside Park

Thurs – Oct 11th – Card making Class

Tues – Nov 27th – Oneida Casino & Supper Trip ~ Sign up through Happy Travelers

Additional details will be in future newsletters and/or in the 3-ring binder at the front desk.



A big “welcome to our hive” ~ Please welcome our newest Red Hat Honey sister - Caroline Zimpher.



Lunch at Hibachi Grill

Sushi Buffet ~ Wed, Sep 12th at 11:15. A Dutch treat lunch at the new Hibachi Grill Sushi Buffet includes a wide variety of items: salad, sushi, hibachi, and dessert bars. There are also Chinese, American and Mexican food items.

*This new restaurant is located at the previous “Old Country Buffet” at Forest Mall – 835 W. Johnson and is between Staples and Penney’s through their outside entry (no entrance from inside the mall). The restaurant does not open before 11am.

Cost: Approximately \$7.00 ~ not including tip
Registration limit: 25

Registration deadline: Sep 5th

Hostesses: Sr. Mary Rose Meis, Bette Arnold, Mary Lee Pergande, & Sr. Angie Behen (517-0427).

Please note this is a combined “What’s Buzzin’” issue for Sep & Oct.

Red Hatters Having Fun



~ FREE ~

“How to Fashion Fun and Friendships” or *“Helpful hints on planning fun activities for your Red Hat Sisters”* – **Thurs, Sep 13th from 1-4pm** (may finish earlier). Come and join us in room 4 of the Senior Center for some confidence inspiring tips and practical information to help in planning a Red Hat activity. Please let the Senior Center know if you NEED a ride.
 Registration Limit: 20-25
 Registration deadline: July 30th
 Hostesses: Myra Wilhelms (922-4063) and Barbara Lukas (923-0238)



It’s Party Time!
Come celebrate the 10th Anniversary of the Senior Center’s Red Hat Honey’s.

You’re invited to swarm the hive at the Senior Center on **Thurs, Sept 27th at 2pm** for anniversary ice cream and cake, and possibly the Senior Center’s own Scamp Band.

Traditionally the 10th Anniversary is celebrated with items of tin; it’s requested you bring any type of canned food item, which will then be donated to the local food pantry. Tin plates that can be used at the Hobo / Chili Dump Oct 4th are also appreciated.

Cost: \$5.00

Registration limit: ** no limit ☺ **

Registration deadline: Fri, Sep 21st

Hostesses: The Queens & Royalty Club



“Hobo Party & Chili Dump”

Thurs, Oct 4th at 5pm ~ dinner at 5:30 at Lakeside Parks’ Deneveu Shelter (far eastern side by the Yacht Club). Attire is hobo chic with a prize for best costume. Please bring a pint or quart of your favorite chili to dump into the pot. Crackers, rye bread, extra chili powder and salt/pepper will be provided along with hot coffee and hot chocolate. Dirt cakes for dessert. Please plan on dressing accordingly for the fall temperatures.

Cost: \$5.00

No Limit

Registration deadline: Fri, Sep 22nd

Hostesses: Shirley Hanke, Myra Wilhelms, LaVerne Kabat and Donna Trapp (921-0236)



Card Crafting Class

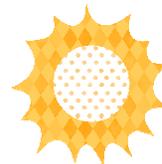
on **Tues, Oct 11th at 1pm** in room 4 of the Senior Center. Make a Christmas card and a “Red Hat Honey” occasions’ card. Also Jana’s fabulous signature Rum Cake will be served to those attending after cards are made.

Cost: \$3.00

Limit: 12

Registration deadline: Mon, Oct 10th

Hostess: Jana Secord ~ 979-5262



From the Sunshine

Committee: *Red Hat Honey’s* condolences to *Judi Walters* on the death of her husband, *LeRoy*. Also to *Bea Mooney* on the death of her stepdaughter, *Kim Mooney*.

Get well wishes and prayers to Shirley Hanke and Donna Born who are recovering from their surgeries.

Oneida Casino and supper trip



Tues, Nov 27th ~ meeting at 9:30am at the former "Northwest Fabric" location - east of Younkers at Forest Mall. The bus will leave for Green Bay at 10am and return at approximately 4:30pm.

The trip is \$20 **but** you will be receiving a casino promo for \$25. Supper will be Dutch-treat at the new "Hibachi Grill Sushi Buffet" (the former Old Country Buffet site). Don't be alarmed, there's more than a great sushi selection (both raw and cooked items)! The all-inclusive/all you can eat buffet includes American & Mexican items, salad, hibachi grill and dessert bars. Beverages are included too! With the Senior Rate ~ the buffet is \$10.50 total
Registration Limit: 20

Registration deadline: Fri, Nov 2nd.

Your hostesses are Vicki Michels (322-3639) and Helen Achenbrenner (921-3557).

Happy Birthday(s) to:



- Marion Greuel ~ Sep 1st*
- Sr. Angie Behen ~ Sep 7th*
- Marlene Berenz ~ Oct 3rd*
- Rosie Hernandez ~ Oct 3rd*
- Patti Werdin ~ Oct 12th*
- Yolanda Mason ~ Oct 18th*
- Grace Mesman ~ Oct 22nd*
- Joan Wagner ~ Oct 29th*

Please let us know your birthday (at least 1-2 months early) so we may celebrate you too ☺



Umbrella Brigade News

We have been invited to Barrett House in Markesan on Wednesday, **September 26th**, to bring cheer to the residents that morning. After lunch with them, we will move on to Markesan Resident Home to entertain the folks there. If you know of anyone who lives in this delightful community, invite them to come over to 210 Lake at 2 P.M. that day. There will be other visitors from town there too. We're looking forward a fun day.

Tentative for October: We don't mean to scare, but only to thrill, when the Umbrella Brigade comes, it's not "run of the mill". We'll come with surprises to The Lincoln House door, bringing tricks, treats, and dances to warm up the floor. We're looking at Halloween, **October 31st**, but if you want to join the fun, you'd better call first. Check with Lucy Redman, 924-2367, 'cuz she's got the details, when she gets them from Kevin."

Red Hat Chorus

The Red Hat Honeys' Chorus has resumed practicing on Fridays at 9:45am. Their first sing-out will be Wed, Oct 3rd at the KC Hall for the Women's Auxiliary. New members are welcome.



Red Hat Membership note:

The Senior Center's 2013 Membership Drive is beginning soon. Please remember to also complete the purple membership sheet if you're intending on renewing your current Red Hat Honeys' membership. This is a must too, for new members. Please also ensure you include your birthday (month and day only) and email (if you'd like to - thinking too if you'd like to receive the e-mailed edition of our "What's Buzzin" newsletter). Thank you.



~ NaG nAg naG Corner ~



**Our
Community Cares**



The Senior

Center's Community Cares program is expanding efforts to recruit groups to "adopt" an assisted living facility, to visit one hour once a month. Dottie Winkelmann will chair a Red Hat Honeys group to visit Touchstone in North Fond du Lac. If you would be interested in helping ONE time or just whenever you can, please sign up in the 3-ring binder at the front desk. If there are a few ladies who register, they can meet and decide which day/time works best. Dottie thought the Red Hatters could go out for lunch to a restaurant close to North Fond du Lac after visiting the residents, although this would be optional. For those who don't know what "Community Cares" is....it is just being yourself while visiting residents who don't have regular visitors. The visit is for one hour once a month. It's easy to do and means so much to the residents who are lonely and would love to see a smiling face...with a Red Hat.

Please consider giving your time to this caring program. Sign up in the 3-ring binder at the Senior Center.

Thought I'd put all the reminders in one place - and see how it goes. Cathy S.

1. **** DonnaTrapp's asking for us to save our aluminum pie pans for her for the Hobo Party on Oct 4th. ☺**

2. Event Hostesses notes:

Please remember to complete the "Red Hat Honeys Hostess Planner" sheet when scheduling an event so that all pertinent information is available for inclusion in the "What's Buzzin" newsletter - the way and with the information you want advertised. If you could provide me with a copy (in the supply closet - colored paper etc., there is a box (3rd from bottom - far left labeled "newsletter"), it would help me get an advance on advertising your event. Once posted, if you have change/additions, please let me know so I may get them in the next month's newsletter.

Please also remember to turn in your attendance sheets to Vickie Michels following your event. Thanks very much.

3. **Please let us know your birthday (at least 1-2 months early) so we may celebrate you too ☺**

4. **Our membership list is considered confidential. Please respect each other's privacy and limit its use for Red Hat Honeys communications only.**

AND ... as always ... #5



PLEASE BE WELCOMING TO ALL SISTER RED HATTERS (NEW, CURRENT, PAST, VISITING OR PROSPECTIVE) IN OUR CHAPTER WHEN THEY ATTEND AN ACTIVITY. WE WANT EVERYONE TO ALWAYS FEEL "BEARY" WELCOME!