



VOICE

Welcome Back Ladies!

It has been a wonderful, very hot summer and I hope this finds all of you happy, healthy and ready to rock! We have so many fantastic things lined up this year and we will be calling on each and every one of you to share your talent and your expertise with us as we continue to make a difference in our community.

Medford Works!

Medford Works! will once again be in full force this fall.

As it was last year, the program will take place during the popular Scarecrow Festival however it will have some new and very exciting things going on!

Please let Janet know how you will be able to help out!

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Dates to Remember

September 13th General Meeting
7:30 pm
Medford Public Safety Building

September 8th Taste of Medford
Kirby's Mill

September 11th Local Government Institute
7:00 pm
Medford Public Safety Building

September 18th Medford Works! planning Meeting
Location TBA

September 18th Bottle Slumping Workshop/Social
7:30pm
Creative Genius Art Gallery and Studio

September 18th Book Club
6:30 pm
Location TBA

September Program

Welcome Back
and
Discussion of this year's projects



Cookbook

This year we will be creating a cookbook based on all of our own personal and family (and yummy) recipes!

We hope to have the book available for pre-order by Medford Works! and that means we need everyone's help by submitting their recipes.

We have the ability to submit them online so it will be easier for all those involved.

The book will be an important fundraiser for club activities and programs so let's go!

Welcome Package

We are in the preliminary stages of a new program. Similar to the old Welcome Wagon, the program will welcome new neighbors to the Medford area. We will be working in conjunction with local realtors on the project.

The Woman's Club of Medford will create packages containing local brochures, pamphlets, event calendars, recycling information and possibly our own cookbook all wrapped up in the green recycle bags from the township!

The packages will be produced upon order by the realtor who, in turn will present the package to their client.

We need help with this project - someone to collect all the pieces!

*When you are kind to someone in trouble,
you hope they'll remember and be kind
to someone else,
it'll become like a wildfire
-Whoopi Goldberg*



We are in need of members for the following committees:

Spelling Bee Committee

Every year, in January we run the 5th grade spelling bee. We need volunteers to help organize and run the bee. Responsibilities will include:

- Liaising with the school district to set up a location, a date and a snow date.
- Coordinating with the state federation regarding spelling lists and any problems which may arise.
- Resolving any special needs student issues with the school board/school of the student
- Scheduling judges, dictionarians and pronouncers
- Arranging for plaque engraving and drop off at winner school
- Coordinating with the regional bee committee

Field Trip Committee

This will include coordinating our trip to Mothers Matter as well as any other service trips we may take.

Medford Works Committee

Working with Janet in a variety of capacities. This will include not only the October event, but also the February and Earth Day events.

Public Relations Committee

Interaction with local media including any photographs and/or press releases. This will also possibly include website and WCOM Facebook page updates.

Projects Committee

This is a catch all which includes the Samaritan House Tree Lighting, Cookie Can Project, Soldier Care Packages, Valentines for Veterans and others which may be added to the schedule.