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President's Message *Ann Mosack*

Congratulations and welcome to WILS!

Congratulations and welcome to WILS! Get ready to enjoy a new year of networking with women in the leisure services profession, while enhancing your professional life with monthly training workshops. As a member of WILS you have an amazing group of women professionals at your fingertips! Be sure to maximize your WILS membership by joining us at our monthly training opportunities and making positive connections that will help support you in your work.

After a crazy summer season, this fall, I encourage you to pause, take a breath, reflect and evaluate where you currently are personally and professionally. Where would you like to be in the upcoming year? What do you want to achieve? Think back to a time you remember being at your best. What were you doing? Who did you surround yourself with? Think about what you can do to get yourself back to that place and what practices you can do to keep you in your most successful mindset.

Take charge of your career and create a layout of your plan. Have your own timeframe, be able to articulate your desired outcome, and make sure to ask for help on how to get there. WILS is a great resource to provide help and support, find a mentor, and share ideas.

I invite you to join us this year in forming new connections, building on current relationships, and supporting each other as we work towards our goals and achievements. I'm excited for this new year of WILS and hope to see each of you at our first meeting at the end of October.

Ann Mosack ~ President





Happy Birthday to our members!



September Birthdays:

Mary Witek	9/13
Nicole Weedman	9/18
Carryn Brioch	9/19
Eileen Kilpatrick	9/22
Stacy Voelker	9/22
Amy Borst	9/26
Frances Green	9/30
Shari Kunza	9/30
Michele Bergh	9/30

October Birthdays:

Julie Anderson	10/8
Lisa Abernathy	10/13
Angela Dehart	10/15
Corrie Bloedel	10/15
Jill Berge	10/24

November Birthdays:

Gene Hackett	11/7
Sandy Werts	11/15
Jessica Riley	11/17
Patty Anderson	11/20
Sonya Rippe	11/22
Nancy Sjoquist	11/22
Donna Tilsner	11/30

December Birthdays:

Kris Orluck	12/8
Juli Seydell- Johnson	12/11
Karyle Hanson	12/11
Diane Moe	12/14
Denise Fuglestad	12/19

We'd like to share your news of a new job, job promotion, award, birth of a child, wedding, retirement, illness/surgery or a death in a family.

Please share with our Sunshine Chair, Sandy Werts at swerts.cprp@att.net

Membership / Member Retention

Thank you to members who have renewed your 2011—2012 WILS membership!

If you have not renewed your membership yet please print the membership form off of www.wils-zeta.com and mail in to Sandy Werts, Membership Chair.

Do you know a woman in your department or around the metro area who would benefit from being a WILS member? Please tell them about WILS! Refer them to the website to learn more about WILS, check out monthly meeting topics and print out a membership form!

If you would like to be a part of the Member Services Committee (membership, member retention & sunshine) please email: Sandy Werts at swerts.cprp@att.net

Programming / PDW

Programming & Professional Development Workshop!

Interested in being a part of the planning of the monthly meetings or working on the Professional Development Committee? Contact Lisa Abernathy, Vice President of WILS.

If you have an idea for a monthly meeting topic, location or to be on the Professional Development Workshop committee please contact, Lisa at labernathy@stlouispark.org

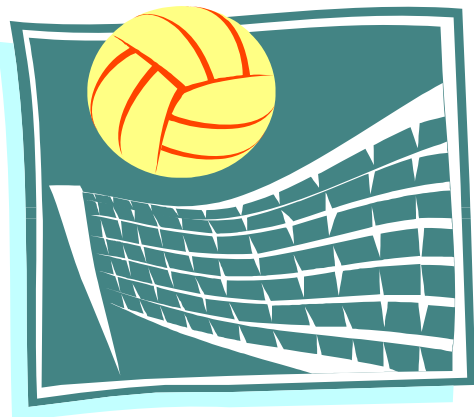
Up Coming Monthly Program Dates for Fall:

October 25th: See attached flyer

November 15th: Creating Extraordinary Customer Experiences

December 6: Lunch and Learn TBA

Ways & Means



Volleyball Tournament 2012 - Volunteers needed!

Planning for the 2012 WILS Volleyball Tournament has begun. The tournament is scheduled for **Saturday, January 8 from 7:30 am - 7:30 pm** at Maple Grove Junior High and the Crystal Community Center. Last year's event helped raise over \$1,500 for the Zeta Chapter. Please save the date and consider volunteering for a shift! This is our one major fund raiser and is crucial towards keeping our workshops affordable.

To volunteer please contact Diane Moe at dmoe@minneapolisparcs.org; to register a team for tournament play contact Jeanne Vestal at jvestal@ci.maple-grove.mn.us.

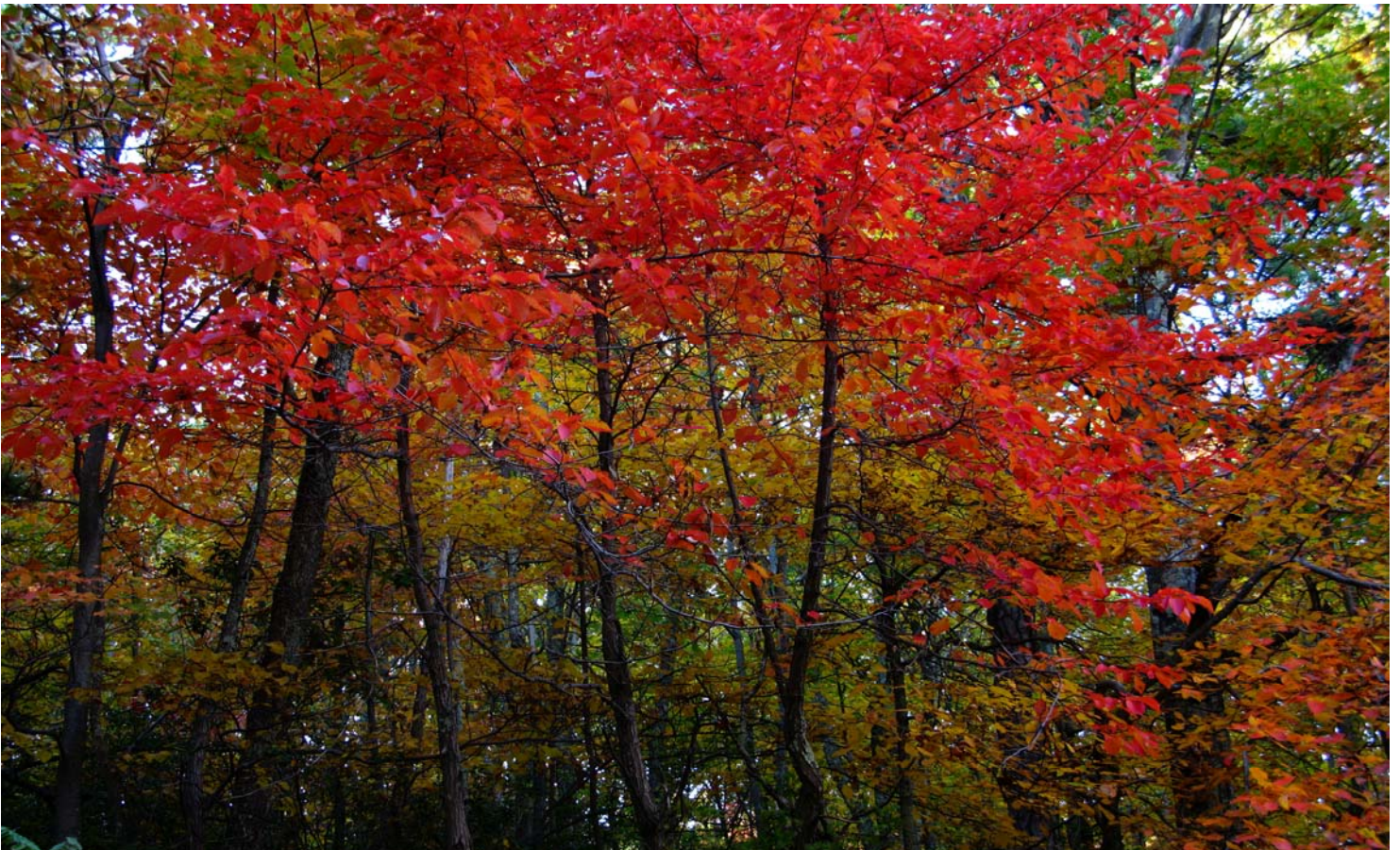
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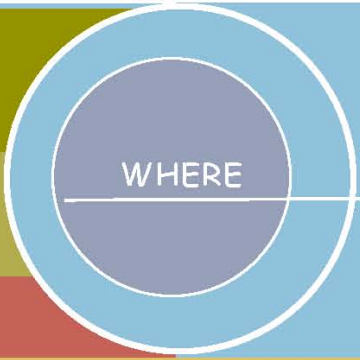
The Fall 2011 national meeting was held on September 13 and 14 in Oceanside, California. The meeting included the Annual Luncheon honoring Sue Leto, Gamma chapter member with the Helen I. Pontius award.

Other exciting news to share is the women in Illinois are getting a new chapter going and will host their first official meeting this fall.

National is looking for Fans - Facebook Fans that is. If you are a Facebook users, next time you are logged in, find National Women in Leisure Services, Chi Kappa Rho and join in. What a great way to see what other chapters are doing.

At the Spring 2011 National Meeting, Zeta chapter was lucky to win \$ 150 in gift cards. The good fortune is being passed on to all members attending the monthly meetings this year. At each meeting there will be a raffle drawing and two members will leave lucky winners with gift cards to Subway, DSW Barnes & Noble or many other fun places to shop. Only requirement, to be present to win.





Eden Prairie Community Center
Cambria Room
16700 Valley View Road
Eden Prairie, MN 55344

Reclaim Your Life! Strategies and Insights for Balanced Living & ZETA Award Presentation

Relax and Renew. Learn about the transformative power of self-care and how to experience more ease and joy in life. Discuss the pillars of balanced living: managing your energy, support, and present moment awareness. You will have the opportunity to examine how you are spending your energy and to set your priorities.

A senior coach with Career Strategists and One Balanced Life, ***Sarina LaMarche*** works with clients at all life stages from a variety of industries in the public and private sector across the U.S./Canada. Her unique approach to coaching has empowered people to bring more focus, energy, balance, and passion to their lives. The day will wrap up with a box lunch from CRUMB DELI.



October 25, 2011



11 am – 1pm



Members: \$18
Non-Members: \$27



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Deadline - October 21, 2011

More Information? - Nicole Weedman 952-949-8456

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