

# AGI Women of Today Agenda

Tuesday, June 10<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – Times of Your Life

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**1) Roll Call/Welcome Guests:** Stacy, Kim, Gwen, Sharon, Jen, Barb, Dana, Mary, Vikki & Sarah

**2) Officer Reports, Old & New Items:**

- **President (Kim) =**
  - **Follow up from previous meeting(s) =**
    - **Storage location:** Keep your eyes out for temp controlled storage area we can use
    - **Generic Business Cards:** Kim still needs to order
    - **Project Procedures due:** Valentine Swim in Movie (Jen), Easter event (Dana), Scholarship Awards (Dana/Jen)
    - **Bylaws:** (Kim, Sarah, Barb & Jen) **MTG June 23<sup>rd</sup> 7:30pm New Yorker.** Everyone is invited, especially Sharon, Dana or Mary Jo who can help explain the current Bylaws.
    - **Promotional Brochures:** Mary, Sharon & Caroline will work on creating this, Kim to send the old one to Mary.
  - **AGI to host District Mtg in July:** Switching with another town to possibly do this in Jan vs July since everyone is so busy in the summer with vacations
  - **Miss Arlington Committee:** The Committee no longer wants to be part of a formal organization and will go off on their own. Those that paid their WoT membership fees will continue to be WoT members for the next year. The Committee would still like to have the Princesses help volunteer at our events.
  - **Points based Membership fees:** Motion was approved to implement the points based membership fee structure attached. Hopefully this will help retain current members and help recruit new members. Kim to create form and go back in time to figure out members points to date. Gwen to maintain.
  - **New member recruit ideas:** Everyone please bring 1 idea each to our next meeting
  - **2009 Planning/Budget Date:** Can you believe 2008 is half way over already? Please mark your calendar – our standard **Oct meeting on the 14<sup>th</sup>** will have the main agenda of 2009 planning/budget. We need EVERYONE there if possible.
  - **Thank You's:** Received nice Thank You's from the After Prom Committee as well as the 2 scholarship winners Kati and Brooke.
  - **Optional US Women of Today Annual Convention June 12-15**, Rochester  
<http://dime99.dizinc.com/~uswtorg/Library/200806natconv.pdf>
- **Treasurer (Sarah/Sharon) = Checking balance = \$2,057.18** (2 scholarships already paid out)

**3) 2008 Events:**

- **Two \$500 Scholarship Awards (Jen/Dana) – May 21, 6:30pm @ Jr. High (Awards Night) =** Dana presented the awards to Kati Klimmek & Brooke Doetkott at Awards night
- **Town & Country Days Games (Mary/Kim) – Sat June 14, games 12:30pm-2pm =** Expenses to date have been \$336 for toys and games + \$200 for bounce obstacle course. Helpers be on main street at 11:30. Kim to look for sandwich board to put up at each WoT event.
- **Relay for Life (Dana) – June 20<sup>th</sup> =** Dana will accept baked goods for sale, if interested drop them off at Dana's (409 Lynch St) on the 19<sup>th</sup>. Panned items should be cut into large pieces and individually wrapped. Cookies can be 6 to 12 per bag. Dana will price them.
- **Camping Weekend (Mary Jo) – June 25 to 29<sup>th</sup> =** Contact Mary Jo for more info on women's only camping!
- **GI Fire Dept Celebration games (Sharon) – Sat July 26<sup>th</sup> =** 120<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebration, parade at 1:30, then freewill food and games 2-4pm. Please come to help between 1:30 and 4pm. Will need Princesses to help.
- **Sibley County Fair (\_\_\_\_) July 30 – Aug 3 =** Sharon will check with GI school to see if we can put up a drawing at their booth for a large prize like a Bike – great way to add to our mailing/recruiting list. Will try to have brochures done by this time to have next to the drawing.

- **Outdoor movie (Kim) – Friday, Sept 12<sup>th</sup>** = Sibley County Fairgrounds 8:30pm. Movie ideas? Kim will ask local businesses to see if they want to bring in their food trucks (cheese curds, donuts, burgers, pop, etc.) Will have a drawing here as well....maybe give out stickers to all the kids – we have a ton of stickers!
- **Coloring Contest (\_\_\_\_)** = will wait until fall
- **M Night (\_\_\_\_)** =
- **Swim in Pool Events (\_\_\_\_)** =
- **Lillian’s Fall Fundraiser (Kim) – Tues Sept 9<sup>th</sup>, 5pm-8pm** – Our Sept meeting will be held here again.
- **G.I. Softball Concession (Dana) – Sat Sept 13**
- **Oktoberfest in Green Isle (Sharon) - Sat Sept 20** - no parade again this year, only park activities
- **Halloween Event (Jen) – Sat Oct 25<sup>th</sup>**
- **Fall Scrapbook Event (Barb) Sat Nov 8** – Mary, Caroline & Sarah volunteered to co-chair the food, decided we would go until Midnight as long as there was a last call for food and drinks at 10pm, Dana will get the form for the Thrivent fundraising matching program and donations are already coming in.
- **Santa’s Helpers (Stacy) - December**
- **Current Fundraiser (Kim) – Year round** – get friends and family to order through link on our website.

**4) For another Time:**

- **Other events discussed but no chairs:** Library Story Hour, Queen for a Day, Women’s Expo, Mother/Daughter fair, Build a Bear, Santa’s Letters, New Years Party for Kids = anyone interested in chairing these?

**5) Next meeting: [Tuesday July 8th, 7pm @ Times of Your Life!](#)**

**MN Women of Today Creed**

We, the Women of Today are service, growth and fellowship. We believe that through us great lessons can be learned, worthy deeds performed and a hand of fellowship extended to millions of women everywhere. May we leave the world a better place because we lived and served within it.

**US Women of Today Creed**

We, the United States Women of Today, are dedicated to serving our community and nation, are committed to strengthening our individual talents, and stand united by our friendship and belief in the future.

# **AGI Women of Today Membership Fee Structure June 2008**

## **How to earn Points:**

10 points for holding a formal Board Position;  
(President, Treasurer, Membership VP, Secretary or State/District Delegate)

10 points for recruiting a new member

5 points for chairing an event

2 points for co-chairing an event

2 points for attending a District Mtg.

1 point for helping at an event

1 point for attending each monthly meeting (12 possible points)

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0 – 10 points = full price membership

11 – 15 points = 25% off membership fee

16 - 20 points = 50% off membership fee

21+ points = free membership

## **\* New members get 50% off first year's membership fee**

\*\* Base membership fees are determined by the National/State Women of Today organization.

\*\*\* Treasury will budget for full amount of membership fees to be covered each year. If we find that fundraising did not generate enough money to cover the member's fees then members will be asked to pay the full membership fee and may be reimbursed when the money becomes available.

## **Retroactivity for current members:**

Based on the member's date of renewal, we will backdate the start of their point earnings 12 months prior to the date of their renewal. Example:

Member 1	Dues: Jan 1, 2009	Start Points Dec 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2008
Member 2	Dues: May 1, 2009	Start Points April 31 <sup>st</sup> , 2008