SCW BEADERS NEWSLETTER

JULY 2020

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I scream, you scream we all scream for ice cream!!

This is National Ice Cream Month!!!!!

Okay to all of my fellow beaders. We have a chocolate banner and a strawberry main page to keep in time with National Ice Cream Month. There are a lot of changes and new things going on, and I will try to hit upon all of them in some fashion.

First and foremost there are new club hours, again. We are now meeting on Mondays from 10:30 am to 2:00 pm (one monitor shift) and Wednesday 10:00 am to 4:00 pm (two shifts – our normal club hours). There will be no Club hours on Thursdays due to lack of interest. We will meet in the Sagebrush Room only. There is seating for 26 members each day. For the time being it will be "First Come, First Seated." The Board will revisit this if it becomes necessary.

Masks must be worn at all times. You sanitize your workspace before you start and when you are finished. Sign in at the Monitor desk; the monitor will sign you in so there is only one touch point to the sign in sheet.

No food to share, and no ice. If you need ice, please bring it from home. If you bring a lunch, we ask that you eat it outside; same goes for snacks. It helps if you have a straw for your drink: that way you do not have to remove your mask.

When you get to the club and seek out your space, please wash your hands.

As you know from previous emails Bobbie Jones is no longer doing the fire Mountain orders. We thank Bobbie from the bottom of our hearts for doing such a tremendous job for all these years. She deserves a rest. Thank you again and again, Bobbie; your work and dedication have not gone unnoticed. Volunteers formed a new Fire Mountain committee, headed by Sharon Pryor, with the plan of collecting approximately correct payment from members before the order was placed with Fire Mountain, with expected refunds or adjustments after the beads arrived. This method turned out to involve overly cumbersome bookkeeping, so the committee will disband after distributing the current batch of purchased beads. Member at Large Shelia Mackasek and Treasurer Gloria have graciously volunteered to do the Fire Mountain ordering the same way Bobbie used to do it. Shelia will order the FMG beads and charge the entire expense to her credit card. Shelia and Gloria Miller will figure out how much each person owes. Once the beads arrive, Shelia and Gloria will deliver the beads to individual members and collect payment at that time. Shelia will turn over all credit card rewards and the value or any airline miles to the Beaders Club at the end of the year. No personal profit from ordering keeps us in compliance with Rec Center Rules Regulations and Procedures. Look for future emails on the details of the new FMG ordering procedure with Shelia and Gloria, plus an order form.

There have been changes going on all over the place. As you know there will be no Craft Fair this coming November. The Village Store is Open and accepting a maximum of 3 items per person per week. If you have items in the store your time has been extended at least until the end of September, and possibly longer. If you need to remove your items contact your QC person Sue Lord. The consigner, the consigner's designee, or Sue Lord can pick up the items at the Village Store.

Rec Center Senior Office Coordinator Dori Miller has reminded us of the Rec Center policy regarding selling items made at home. If you have made jewelry entirely at home, no club use at any time, nor using club supplies, you may sell your items on Etsy or Ebay, or another venue. But remember these items have to be made entirely in your home using no club facilities or equipment for any part. Items made in whole or in part at Club may be sold only at the Village Store, a Craft Fair, or a Bling Fling. This has been the Rec Center policy for a long time.

The Rec Center Activities Manager James Riley is working on how clubs can hold quarterly general meetings in the age of coronavirus when clubs cannot meet in close quarters. This procedure has not yet been reduced to writing. However, on 6-29-20 Dori Miller advised our president that SCW clubs are allowed to conduct meetings by Zoom. If the club wants to vote on anything (such as election of officers at a general meeting), the voting can take place by email. The number of club members submitting emailed ballots will determine whether a quorum has been reached. These temporary rules will remain in effect only until December 31, 2020, after which time they will be reviewed again.

I think that covers just about everything. I am sure I have forgotten something, but for the life of me I can't remember what. So on to the calendars.

JULY 2020

Monday 10:30-2:00	Wednesday 10:00-4:00
	1-International Joke Day
6- International Kissing Day	8- Math 2.0 Day
13- Embrace your Geekness Day	15- Give something Away Day
20- Moon Day	22- Hammock Day
27- Take your Pants for a Walk Day	29- National Lipstick day

AUGUST 2020

Monday 10:30-2:00	Wednesday 10:00-4:00
3- National Watermelon Day	5- National Underwear Day
10- Lazy day	12- National Vinyl Record Day
17- National Thrift Shop Day	19- National Aviation Day
24- National Waffle Day	26- National Dog Day
31- National Trail Mix Day	

SEPTEMBER 2020

Monday 10:30 – 2:00	Wednesday 10:00-4:00
	2- National Blueberry Popsicle Day
7- Labor Day and National Salami Day	9- Teddy Bear Day
14- National Cream-filled Donut Day	16- Collect Rocks Day
21- Miniature Golf Day	23- Dogs in Politics Day
28- Yom Kippur and Ask a Stupid question Day	30- National Chewing Gum Day