



**Rockwell Collins CRAFT
CLUB
January 2007**

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Next Meeting – January 17 – 4:30 p.m., Main Plant Cafeteria

CRAFT PROJECT: We are a month behind on our craft project, so this month we are making Penguin Bead Ornaments. You'll just have to save them until next Christmas ! Or hang them on your kitchen curtains just because they're cute. You do not need to bring anything for this project. We have enough for everyone to make two.

REGISTRATION FORM: October was the start of our new year. If you haven't already done so, please fill out a new registration form and return the form and your check for \$12 to Kate Leith. If you prefer to mail it in, the address is on the form.

CLASSES INFO FROM DARLENE OZBURN: The thread necklace class was lots of fun. If there is enough interest, I think she would probably be willing to do another class. If you took the class and haven't given your necklace away as a Christmas gift, please bring it for Show & Tell.

We need two more people to sign up so we can hold the Sweatshirt painting class after the meeting on the 17th. Please call Darlene Ozburn at 377-1974 if you would like to attend that class.

We have gotten quite a few comments from people that think the price was too high on the painting classes, so after this week we don't have any more painting classes scheduled.

Occasionally we may schedule a class after the newsletter has been sent. Items will be brought to the meetings and classes will be offered. If you are interested in taking classes, you should attend the meetings to check out what is happening.

COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT: Our Christmas Family project went very very well. Thanks to everyone for all your generosity. Many times it's the same families that find themselves in this position year after year, but this was a family that never was in this situation before. Hopefully things will turn around enough for them this year to get their feet back on the ground. They were very appreciative of all that we did.

This month we will concentrate on the Willis Dady Shelter. I was under the impression that this was just a men's shelter, but apparently they take entire families too. They need items like men's warm gloves, hats, mittens for all size kids, men's new underwear, and personal care items like shampoo, etc. They also need winter scarves, so the club will buy some fleece to make some. If anyone would like to help cut out scarves – no sewing involved—we can start as soon as you're done making your penguins. We'll just cut long rectangles of fleece and fringe the ends with a scissors. Please bring your sewing scissors if you would like to help with this.

We also received a big Thank You from the Free Clinic for all the prescription bottles we have been sending them.

TIP – DeSolv It – from HyVee in Marion, in a spray bottle cleans the goo from the labels off the bottles.

NOTE ON Rx BOTTLES: Remember to keep saving your empty prescription bottles with labels removed for the Free Clinic. They ask that the bottles also be washed. Please remember that they CANNOT take non-Rx bottles or even the pre-packaged bottles from the drug company—only the usual pharmacy ones that are usually green or brown.

Thank you!

Arlys Huff and Joyce Smith -- Community Service Projects 2006-2007

REPORTS: Please remember that minutes and the treasurer's reports are available upon request.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT: Well, we all got through another Christmas. Now we just have to remember to put "2007" on everything we write ! I hope everyone stayed healthy. This warm weather we've been having has certainly been nice. When I moved to Iowa 27 years ago from Wisconsin, I would get very sad if we didn't have a White Christmas, but I'm past that now and am just thankful for warm weather. See you Wednesday.

Shari Burns

GET WELL WISHES: Dorothy O, Malley just had surgery for her hip and her knee. We wish her a speedy recovery and perseverance for all the Physical Therapy.

TRIPS: ESTHER MICELI 393-7200 or 721-4171 OR THELMA GOETTSCH 396-2700
Fennimore Sewing Expo Saturday, June 2

Received a list of some of the teachers that will be there this year: Shirley Adams, June Colburn, Karen McTavish, Peggy Welchert, Connie Barr, Beth Landis, Joann Cross, Rebecca Kemp-Brent, Connie Crawford, Emma Seabrook, Diane Larson, and Katy Barz. Lists of schedules and classes will be coming out in a few months. It's only about \$5 or \$6 per class and you get to choose 5 different classes for the day.

MISCELLANEOUS:

MITTENS: Any hats or mittens you have finished please bring to any of the meetings. These may be turned in to any officer.

BIRTHDAYS:

January

Kate Leith 01/12
Norma Angell 01/13
Carolyn McCleary 01/16
Edith Meyer 01/25

February

No February birthdays !

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Fourteen Things That It Took Me Over 50 Years To Learn-by Dave Barry

1. Never, under any circumstances, take a sleeping pill and a laxative on the same night.
2. If you had to identify, in one word, the reason why the human race has not achieved, and never will achieve, its full potential, that word would be "meetings."
3. There is a very fine line between "hobby" and "mental illness."
4. People who want to share their religious views with you almost never want you to share yours with them.
5. You should not confuse your career with your life.
6. Nobody cares if you can't dance well. Just get up and dance.
7. Never lick a steak knife.
8. The most destructive force in the universe is gossip.
9. You will never find anybody who can give you a clear and compelling reason why we observe daylight savings time.
10. You should never say anything to a woman that even remotely suggests that you think she's pregnant unless you can see an actual baby emerging from her at that moment.
11. There comes a time when you should stop expecting other people to make a big deal about your birthday. That time is age eleven.
12. The one thing that unites all human beings, regardless of age, gender, religion, economic status or ethnic background, is that, deep down inside, we ALL believe that we are above-average drivers.
13. A person who is nice to you, but rude to the waiter, is not a nice person. (This is very important. Pay attention. It never fails.)
14. Your friends love you anyway.

Try Something New Today:

Never be afraid to try something new. Remember that a lone amateur built the Ark. A large group of professionals built the Titanic.