

Lakeshore Business & Professional Women



July 2016

NO MEETING IN JULY but you can Volunteer at the EXPO Races. Read on.

Enjoy the summer!



Watch for the August newsletter and details on our summer outing.

Thanks to all who worked the Rummage Sale!! See page 4.

Fundraiser at EXPO Races this Friday, July 15. Still looking for volunteers at the food booth (5 p.m. to 10 p.m.) See page 5.



Sherry Rezba, Lakeshore BPW President
Caryn Gates (mentoring as co-president in 2016)

Thanks to Karen Schweitzer-Olson for once again heading up a very successful rummage sale and to all of you who spent hours working at it and bringing items to the sale!

Hope to see you at the EXPO races fundraiser on July 15 and August 19. We will again be working the food booth. Contact Karin Braunel-Tuschl at: 920-732-3203 (home) or 920-374-1503 (cell) to sign up if you have not yet done so.

Enjoy your summer! Our program committee is working on the August outing – more information to come.

Sherry

MISSION STATEMENT

To develop women's potential while promoting equality through networking, education and advocacy.

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General Meeting Minutes
June 15, 2016

Welcome & Introduction

The evening began with dinner followed by the Pledge of Allegiance and introductions given at 6:40 p.m...

Program

Rummage Sale Set-up at Meadow Lanes North.

Karen Schweitzer-Olson noted that we are pretty much ready to go for the rummage sale. She has 5 new signs made to be put out. One will be put on Mike Cisler's lawn. In talking to him, he asked where the left over clothing will go after the sale. He is looking for clothing for an organization called "Touched Twice", a clothes closet (church and service organization) that will be giving the clothing away in August. It was decided that all the left over clothing will be boxed and given to Mike.

Thanks to Kathleen McDaniel for putting the ad in the Chamber's Tuesday tidbits. As usual, Karen may be taking a few left over items for the Humane Society's rummage sale.

Members are signed up to work, but Friday and Saturday are still a little sparse. We will work with the number of people we have. Peach Panosh and Claremarie Gillis are unable to work as signed up. Peach's mother-in-law just passed away and Claremarie is having health issues.

Business Meeting:

Minutes from Previous Meeting

Minutes from the May meeting were sent with the newsletter and approved with one correction. Sherry Rezba also participated in the reading of the scholarship applications. (Motion/second – Laretta Krcma-Olson/Karen Schweitzer-Olson)

Treasurer's Report

The Treasurer's Report was presented. We currently have \$26.27 in Business Share Account, \$3,116.57 in checking and \$5,980.73 in money market/savings for a total of \$9,123.57. The amount reflects the payment of all 3 scholarships.

Old Business – Karen Schweitzer-Olson read thank you notes received from Lauren Stenzel and Claire Hrubecky, 2 of our scholarship winners. Feel we have chosen very well with these young ladies.

Committee Reports (by exception)

Membership – No report.

Finance -

Tastefully Simple (Cindy Haefke) - A donation of \$21.35 was given for sales since the last meeting.

Karin Braunel-Tuschl passed around a sign-up sheet for the 2 dates (July 15th and August 19th) we will be working the concession stand at the EXPO races. Time is usually from 5 to 10 p.m. This will be our last year doing this fundraiser because of the new Meijer store going on that site.

Programming –

Lauretta Krcma-Olson noted that we are booked at the Time Out as a meeting place until December, 2016. Hence, we need to decide if we will continue at the Time Out or find another place to meet. There are very few eating establishments that have meeting rooms included. Karen Schweitzer-Olson made a motion to contact Time Out for 2017, but asking members to keep an eye open for a room at other establishments.

It was also brought up whether we want to hold our December meeting someplace else. Last year we were at the Courthouse Pub. Need to decide where to meet! Lauretta will check to see if the Courthouse Pub is open on Dec. 21st.

Item will be discussed at September meeting.

Communications –

--Advertising donation request for “Kids from Wisconsin” received from the Noon Rotary.

-- A letter received from the Chamber dated April 28th noted that renewals were due in January.

--Donation request from Incourage, formerly the Domestic Violence Center was received. Discussion followed asking whether the garden was ever completed, with the large donation we gave them previously. Most members at the meeting recalled receiving information that it was not done at the time they said it would be, but were unsure. Karen Schweitzer-Olson asked that before we do any other donation to the DVC, we see what happened with our previous donation first.

Legislation – none.

New Business - none

Correspondence/ \$1 Announcement

Dollar Announcements

*Judy Pivonka attended Lincoln’s graduation and noted that the top 4 students graduating with a 4.0 GPA were young ladies. Very impressed with this.

*Raffle was won by Karin Braunel-Tuschl.

Adjournment: Meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m. Members left to set up the rummage sale at Meadow Lanes North.



BPW Rummage Sale Wrap Up

We made it through our 11th annual Rummage Sale at our new location!

Thanks to all who helped in making it a success! Clothing was a welcome addition; much of it sold. It sure was wonderful to have plenty of room (we used all available tables) to display everything, and to arrive in the morning and simply flip on the lights and be ready for customers.

Our profit for the sale was \$1330, our third highest amount. This is awesome!

Throughout the sale, we met some really interested customers and shared some wonderful stories/memories. In addition, we met a potential new member. In a few instances, we didn't make a lot of money, but were able to help those less fortunate than ourselves. These individuals were extremely thankful.

Leftover clothing was picked up and will be available for people at the Touched Twice event in August. Some books were dropped off at the Manitowoc Public Library; they were very appreciative of the donation. Some items were also collected and will be taken to Lakeshore Humane Society's rummage in August. I have a few items that Ebert's didn't want but may try to get rid of somewhere else. The rest was picked up by St. Vincent's. The proceeds from the BPW Rummage Sale fund the scholarship program.



Thank you **Karen Schweitzer-Olson** for you Leadership with this event!!!!!!!!!!!!

Upcoming Lakeshore BPW Programs and Committees

July

July – No Meeting

July 15– EXPO Races Fundraiser

August

August – Summer Social to be planned by 2016 Programming Committee

August 19 – EXPO Races Fundraiser

*Programming for July 2016 thru July 2017 to be determined by
2016 Programming Committee (See Committee List on page 8)*



Sign Up – Food Booth Races at EXPO



Friday – July 15 and Friday — August 19

Contact: **Karin Braunel-Tuschl 920-732-3203 (Home) or 920-374-1503 (Cell)**

Lakeshore Business and Professional Women 2016 Committee Roster

	Membership	Finance	Programming	Communications	Legislation
Exec. Board Member	Immediate Past President Kathleen McDaniel	Treasurer Gert Bloedorn	Immediate Past President Kathleen McDaniel	Secretary Cindy Haefke	President* Sherry Rezba (Caryn Gates**)
Chairperson:	Erica Jansky	Karen Schweitzer- Olson	Karin Braunel- Tuschl	Lauretta Krcma- Olson	
Members:	Jane Panosh	Carol Gruetzmacher	Vicki Wetenkamp	Lauretta Krcma-Olson Newsletter	
	Michelle Birschbach	Cindy Haefke	Jane Panosh	Therese Peeschek	
	Rose Eisner (Sunshine)	Judy Pivonka	Clairemarie Gillis	Caryn Gates Social Media	
	Marilyn Kollross	Del Jung	Lee Anne Raleigh		
		Chantal Elliott			

*The president serves as an ex officio member of all our committees, per Article X, §1 of our bylaws.

** Co-president (being mentored)

BPW Annual Calendar

January

- Pay dues by January 31
- New officers assume duties (exception is Programming whose calendar runs July to July)
- Audit Committee audits books

February

- Audit Committee reports to club at meeting

March

- Scholarship applications made public

April

- Review scholarship applications

May

Award scholarships at meeting

June

- Rummage sale fundraiser

July

- No meeting
- Volunteer at races to raise money for scholarships

August

- Social meeting
- Volunteer at races to raise money for scholarships

September

- Committees meet to prepare budget requests
- Legislative Committee reviews bylaws

October *- Amendment made at Sept. meeting to finalize budget at November meeting.

- Budget requests due by 10/1
- Board meets to review budget
- Nominating Committee selected

November

- Nominating Committee presents slate of officers, elections held
- Budget presented to membership

December

- Officer Transition
- Receipts and expenditures due to Treasurer by 12/10
- Treasurer to close books on 12/31

**Lakeshore BPW
2016 Officers**

President

Sherry Rezba*

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Secretary

Cindy Haefke

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*Co-president Caryn Gates

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Gert Bloedorn

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Immediate Past President

Kathleen McDaniel

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**Happy June/July/August
Birthdays**

June 6 – Sherry Rezba

June 20 – Clairemarie Gillis

July 7 – Therese Peeschek

July 10 – Kathleen McDaniel

July 18 – Chantal Elliott

July 24 – Marilyn Kollross

July 26 – Erica Jansky

August 31 – Rose Marie Eisner

