



CACTUS WREN

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January 2008

LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

ELECTED BOARD

PRESIDENT	Dale Miller
VICE PRESIDENT	Linda Nettling
VICE PRESIDENT	Earla Swope
SECRETARY	Carol Copeland
CO SECRETARY	Elizabeth Farmer
TREASURER	Donna Lou Hetler
DIRECTOR AT LARGE	Eloise Fredrickson

APPOINTED BOARD

MEMBERSHIP	Mary Williams
NEWSLETTER	
EDITOR	Sue Swan
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HOSPITALITY	Johannesson

BOARD MEETING

Next Board Meeting is January 7th, 2008 at 9:30 AM at the home of Earla Swope.

MEMBERS MEETING

Second Wednesday of the month at La Posada Recreation Room.

• Next meeting is January 9th 2008

NEWSLETTER DEADLINE

Please send newsletter articles for the February newsletter to Sue Swan at sueswan@msn.com no later than January 24th. Please include CW Newsletter in the subject line.

Hello Cactus Wrens-

I hope everyone had a wonderful holiday season. Our Christmas Luncheon was a huge success! The room at the Grill on the Green at Canoa Ranch was wonderful, along with good food, good service and good friends. I would like to thank everyone for their generosity in brining food for the food bank and toys for the children. Donna Lou took over 30 toys to the Fire Department and they were greatly appreciated. We also made approximately \$300.00 from the Opportunity Baskets – thank you once again.

Don't forget to mark your calendars for our Stitch Out and Pot Luck on Wednesday January 30th at Friends In Deed. See details later in the Upcoming Events section of the newsletter. PLEASE FEEL FREE TO BRING A FRIEND. To encourage new members in our chapters please try and bring guests to our Stitch Outs, Luncheons, and Chapter Meetings, as we are always looking to increase membership. Remember, your local chapter dues will be FREE for a year if you bring a new paid member.

I look forward to seeing everyone at the meeting. We should have some more of our Wrens that have returned for the winter.

Respectfully
Your Head Wren,

Dale Miller

MONTHLY PROGRAMS AND FUTRUE PROJECTS

January program



HARDANGAR... JUST ANOTHER SET OF STITCHES!

Everyone is invited to the short talk about Hardanger stitches and how they relate to stitches you may already know. Samples will be shown, as well as “untraditional” ways to use the stitches. Hardanger can be thought of as just “another bag of stitches” for your work.

The hands-on portion will be for those who want to learn a how to start the project. The goal will be to complete enough stitching to do the dreaded “cut the fabric” step.

Students need to bring:

- Needles – needlepoint #22 or #24
- Sharp scissors
- Any magnifying and lights
- Usual stitching supplies (note: This is not done on stretcher bars.)

The hands-on portion will take about two hours, so bring a light snack or lunch if you feel the need to munch a bit. Any questions, please contact Donna Lou Hetler or Linda Nettling.

The kit will contain:

1. 8” X 8” 26 count Hardanger fabric
2. #8 perle cotton – 18-20 yards color
3. #12 perle cotton – 7-9 yards matching or white
4. 7 tiny pearl beads
5. Instructions, including finishing

Students need to bring:

- 1 Needles—needlepoint #22 or #24
- 2 Sharp scissors
- 3 Any magnification and lights normally utilized
- 4 Usual stitching supplies (note: This is not done on stretcher bars).

Supplies needed to finish, but not required or provided in the class:

1. Beading needle and thread
2. Coordinating fabric—Three 8” X 8” pieces
- 3.

TIDBITS OF NEWS

UPCOMING EVENTS

ALL DAY STITCH-IN - JAN 30TH

Be sure to mark your calendars for January 30th to come to the Stitch Out at Friends In Deed from 9:00 to 2:30.

Please bring a salad, soup or dessert to share. Also please bring the recipe along with any others you have for salads, soups or desserts (cakes, pies, cookies, etc.) for our booklets that we are putting together for fund

raisers. We also will be selling all types of threads that have been donated. We have lots and lots of floss and pearl cottons that will be priced at 10 cents. There are all types of threads that will be \$1.00. So bring your canvases that you need threads for and see if you can't find just the right thread at bargain prices.

This is a great time of year to finish two and start one new! See you at Friends In Deed on January 30th. Bring a friend!

ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR 2007-2008

The nominating committee would like to present the following slate of elected officers before the membership:

- PRESIDENT: Linda Nettling
 - VICE PRESIDENT: Ann Seese
 - SECRETARY: Elizabeth Farmer
 - TREASURER: Rosemary Johannesson
 - DELEGATE AT LARGE: Carol Copeland
- The slate will be presented at the January 9th meeting and voted on at the February meeting and then installed at the March Luncheon.

Thank you from the Nominating Committee headed by Pat Phillips along with Janet Watson and Phyllis Richardson.

**CACTUS WREN CHAPTER, THE ANG INC.
FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR
NOVEMBER 2007**

Checkbook balance as of November 1, 2007
\$ 4847.69

Income

Dues	\$189.70
Christmas Luncheon	340.00
Shirts	180.00
Books	<u>210.00</u>
 Total	 \$919.70

Expenses

October Newsletter	\$ 37.67
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President's Pin	39.50
La Posada	250.00
Club Brochures	<u>18.04</u>

Total
\$245.21

Checkbook balance as of November 30, 2007 \$
5522.18

Committed funds
\$ 720.00

Operating funds
\$4802.18

CD# xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx0450
\$1,630.12

CD# xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx0829
\$1,077.54

Prepared and submitted 12/03/07

Donna Lou Hetler
Treasurer

MEMBERSHIP

The local chapter dues are \$16.00 per year and they are due and payable on February 1 of each year to the Membership Chairperson. You will receive a statement from National for the dues you owe them and both are required to be kept current. It is important to inform your Membership Chairperson of any changes to your physical address, phone number and email address so National can be informed of any changes. We are prorating the dues at \$1.35 per month from now to February of 2008. The amount listed will pay your dues through February 1, 2009. This

will pay your dues through February 2009.

FIRST NAME	LAST NAME	GV DUE DATE	AMOUNT DUE
Marti	Harris	8/1/2007	22.75
(Rev) Vern	Woodlief	9/30/2007	22.75
Kathy	Statz	9/30/2007	21.40
Karen	Dolan	9/30/2007	21.40
Ann	Mosher	10/1/2007	21.40
Colette	Briody	10/1/2007	21.40
Sharon H.	Hennessy-Skoczek	10/1/2007	21.40
Connie	Lagergren	10/1/2007	21.40
Carley	Linn	12/1/2007	18.70
Maggie	Niggemeyer	12/1/2007	18.70
Ruth	Wallace	12/1/2007	18.70
Dale	Miller	1/1/2008	17.35
Brenda	Hart	1/1/2008	17.35
Pepper	Pfeifer	2/1/2008	16.00
Carol K.	Copeland	2/1/2008	16.00
Marilyn	Davison	2/1/2008	16.00
Jeanne	Hunsberger	2/1/2008	16.00
Marjorie	Martin	2/1/2008	16.00
Jo	Middlestead	2/1/2008	16.00
Mary	Sayler	2/1/2008	16.00
Nancy K.	Sour	2/1/2008	16.00
Janet	Watson	2/1/2008	16.00
Angela	Bertolino	4/1/2008	13.30
Janet	Billington	4/1/2008	13.30
Judy	Burgess	4/1/2008	13.30
Barbara	Ewbank	4/1/2008	13.30
Eloise	Fredrickson	4/1/2008	13.30
Phyllis	Gilbert	4/1/2008	13.30
Barbara M.	Grass	4/1/2008	13.30
Twanda	Gustafson	4/1/2008	13.30
Rosemary	Johannesson	4/1/2008	13.30
Barbara	Lehto	4/1/2008	13.30
Honey	Montrose	4/1/2008	13.30
Pat	Phillips	4/1/2008	13.30
Mary Ellen	Searcy	4/1/2008	13.30
Caroline	Malter	4/1/2008	13.30
Myrene	Lang	6/1/2008	10.60
Jean	Rader	6/1/2008	10.60
Irene	Sullivan	6/1/2008	10.60
Ann	Seese	9/7/2008	5.20
Jan T.	Towery	10/1/2008	

CACTUS WREN CHAPTER ANG RENEWAL & ADDRESS OR E-MAIL CHANGE FORM

Name _____ Phone _____

Street Address _____

City and State _____ Zip + 4 _____

E-mail _____

ANG Number _____

Dues \$16.00 (P) Plural Member () Primary chapter

IF YOU DO NOT PLAN ON RENEWING – PLEASE ADVISE.

Please make checks payable to: **CACTUS WREN CHAPTER ANG**

Send Payment to:

Mary Williams

63179 E. Harmony Drive

Tucson, AZ 85739-1860