

Satellite



Home & Community Education

May/June 2014

Hello Spring! Where are **You**? Still waiting for the warmer weather that is supposed to accompany Spring. I did see my first robin of the year at my home on March 24th. Now we can look forward to the first humming bird which I usually see Mother's Day weekend. I am looking forward to the Spring Event in May where we will be honoring all HCE members but especially 18 members who have more than 50 years in the organization. We have 1 lady with 72 years! Congratulations are in order to all these ladies. I am also looking for a good time of fellowship along with our meal. Plus, I am looking forward to the variety of items for the Silent Auction. Some of the baskets are very creative.

As I write this we still had a few openings to work the Brat

Stand for Saturday. If you can help out please call the Extension Office at 715-526-6136 to find out what times are available. Thank You in advance to all those helping. I look forward to just visiting with a lot of people. On April 22nd four of us will be attending a District Meeting in Wausau. Our new District is involved with the planning of the 2015 State Conference.

Hopefully we have some of you keeping track of time for "On the Move and in the Groove." Rewards will be presented at Fall Meeting. I have just completed the first 12 weeks of Strong Bones. And have started another 10 week time span. It was amazing to find out how weak some of my joints were. On some exercises we started out slow but have increased in numbers and in-

tensity of the exercises.

This weekend I will be going to the "Beauty and Beast" with my grand-daughter at the PAC in Appleton. I am looking forward to the enjoyment of leisure and family time. Let's not forget International Night on April 29th. Remember it will be at Zion Lutheran Church in Shawano on Union Street. Hope to see you there. In closing HAPPY EASTER to all and enjoy loved ones.

Helen Raddant—President



THE BEAMS — *Compiled and Submitted by: Bonnie Harrison*



The BEAMS will be back for the July/August newsletter. Sorry for the inconvenience that may cause.



Calendar of Events

April

- 24,25,26 Brat Stand at Charlie's County Market
29 International Night Presentation

May

- 5 HCE Spring Event at Shawano County Park
11 Mother's Day
14 Lasagna Gardening @ Shawano
15 Lasagna Gardening @ Bonduel
26 Memorial Day

June

- 14 Flag Day
15 Father's Day
21 Summer Solstice

May "Lasagna Gardening"

Jamie Patton, Shawano County Agriculture Agent will instruct you on how to prepare an area for a garden with Lasagna Gardening. Another name for Lasagna Gardening is Sheet Composting.



May 14 –Shawano Courthouse at 6:30 pm Room A/B

May 15—Bonduel, Zion Methodist Church, 1:30 pm

May Special Interest Meeting

Contact Person _____

Club _____

Members Attending: ____ Shawano ____ Bonduel

"WRAP IT UP WITH HCE"

Spring Event—May 5th

The Spring Event is well on it's way!! Make sure you mark May 5th, 2014 on your calendar. This year's event will take place at the Shawano County Park at the Pavilion. The theme will be **"WRAP IT UP WITH HCE"**. Christa Hansen of Bridal/Body Essential's will be the guest speaker. Make sure you wear your favorite scarf to the event.

Ticket price will be **\$15**

Registration Deadline is **April 25th**

Social Hour and Silent Auction - **5:00 to 6:00 pm**

Dinner (Red Rooster Catering) - **6:00 pm**

Speaker—Christa Hansen—**6:30 pm**

Please be sure to notify the office about your silent auction donations. The value of your club's donation should equal \$2.00 per member, same applies to individual members.

2014 Cultural & Textile Arts Show

The Cultural & Textile Arts Show contest forms are in this newsletter. Please call the extension office and tell them what your entry is. Then bring your items to the Spring Event to be judged. This years Bonus Category is "Build an Owl" your owl can be created with anything you like! The only restriction is size, it can be no larger than 10" x 8" x 8".

Brat Stand at Charlie's

The annual HCE Brat Sale will be at Charlie's County Market on April 24, 25 and 26th, 2014. We will be serving hot dogs, brats, hamburgers and soda. Please stop by and support the HCE! See the schedule on page 5.

On the Move & In the Groove

Just a reminder that you have until May 24th, 2014 to keep track of your activities. You choose what activity such as the Strong Bones Program, walking, biking, hiking, gardening, swimming, cleaning, painting, etc. The top 5 individuals will receive \$10.00 from the Shawano HCE. Winners will be announced at the Fall Meeting. Good Luck to all. After May 24th send completed form to: Sandy Wendorff, W7382 Anderson Ave., Shawano WI 54166.



Farmer's Market Bake Sale

Our annual Bake Sale at the Shawano Farmer's Market will be Saturday, July 12th. So bakers let's get our items baked and delivered to the Extension Office on Friday

July 11th by 4:00 pm or you can bring them by 8:00 am on the 12th. Remember to mark your items if there are nuts in them. Also if you haven't heard the Farmer's

Market has moved to a new location. It will now be held on Washington Street at the location of the old Franklin School, which is one block behind Main Street. And if you have time to help set up at 7:30 or help throughout the sale please let me know. My number is 715-526-2919, leave a message if I'm not at home. Good baking to all.

I have heard from past bake sales that people really enjoy the variety and amount of items we offer.

Helen Raddant

WAHCE State Convention

In our last Satellite we mentioned we'd have information for the State Conference in September. However we have not received the agenda yet. As soon as we get the information we will mail it to your club President. If you are interested let your President know you would like the information or let the Extension Office know and we will get the information to you. As for Individual members, please contact the Extension Office. When your President receives the Update for May all information will also be in there. The Convention is September 8th, 9th and 10th in Keweenaw County. Information will also include a monetary amount that Shawano County HCE will provide to each person attending to help with the cost.



Bus to State Convention

There will be a bus starting in Keweenaw County leaving for the Conference on Sunday, Sept. 7th. Time to be set at a later date. The bus however is filling up fast. Sandy, Carol, Joanne and Helen are taking the bus. Our pick up will be in Bonduel by the Burger King/Kwik Trip off of HWY 29.

Anyone having thoughts on going we need to know as soon as possible if you want a place on the bus. Call Helen Raddant at 715-526-2919.

WANTED VOLUNTEERS! For Bike the Barn Quilt

2nd Bike the Barn Quilt Event

September 27th, 2014

Mark your calendars! The 2nd annual Bike the Barn Quilt Event will be coming this fall, on September 27.



Matty Mathison is looking for interested individuals who would like to be part of this event. She is looking for clubs or individuals to hand out refreshments during the ride at food stations located along the routes. You do not need to bring anything except maybe a chair to relax in as you wait for the riders to come into the food stations. If you or your club would like to volunteer and be part of this event, please let Nancy know that you are interested at 715-526-6136.

Wisconsin Bookworms™

I have a story to tell you about Shawano Counties Wisconsin Bookworms™ project. You always think "Why" do we have to work the Brat Stand or make something for the Bake Sales.

Do we really need the money? Yes we do! Just the other day I was waiting at Hillcrest School for my oldest grandson at the end of the school day. A little girl and family member sat down in the area I was sitting. The family member started to read to this little girl, and boy was this little girl giving her input on each page. After the family member was done reading I went over and introduced myself. I went on to explain I was one of many HCE members who worked hard to buy the books for the kids and asked if it was worth it to get these books "YES" was the answer I got. She said the little girl loves to get the books and have them read to her over and over. This little girl was so happy with her book that she went through her backpack to show me the craft project she made, she was so proud!



So girls yes, we need to work hard at the brat stand
and make lots of yummy things for the bake sales.

So thank you very much for all you help once again.
These young kids need our help to develop their
love of reading!

Sandy Wendorff, Wisconsin Bookworms™
Coordinator—Shawano County



Honorary Members and Anniversary's

LILLIAN MEHLHORN † INDIVIDUAL † 72

DORIS M BUCHHOLZ † INDIVIDUAL † 67

MARGE AINSWORTH † WISC † 62

ROSE RADTKE † LEARN-A-LOT † 60

BETTY GIESE † RED SPRINGS † 60

BEVERLY FINK † WISC † 59

JEANETTE PITT † WISC † 59

JOYCE NATZKE † WISC † 58

MARCALENE ROSENOW † INDIVIDUAL † 56

AUDREY WUSSOW † WISC † 56

DORIS KERRY † LEARN-A-LOT † 55

JOYCE SOUBA † LEARN-A-LOT † 55

TILLIE KALLIES † WISC † 55

RUTH GUTT † INDIVIDUAL † 54

BARBARA ERB † NAVARINO MERRI MAIDS † 53

FLORENCE MILLER † A-Z † 53

LOUISE ZAHN † A-Z † 53

HAZEL KUCKSDORF † KITCHEN MAIDS † 50

45 Year Members

PATRICIA GIPP † INDIVIDUAL

JACQUELINE SCHMIDT † COUNTRY WIVES

40 Year Members

BONNIE ENGEL † INDIVIDUAL

BARBARA MORTENSEN † LEARN-A-LOT

35 Year Member

KAREN PIEPER † COUNTRY WIVES

30 Year Members

MARY ZAHN † BIZI-BELLES

SHARON NETZEL † RED SPRINGS

SHIRLEY MASTEY † INDIVIDUAL

20 Year Members

DOROTHY OWEN † LEARN-A-LOT

DARLENE REIF † RED SPRINGS

LYNN SCHMIDT † LANDSTAD

10 Year Members

SUSAN ANDERSON † FLOUR QUEENS

JOYE HILLMAN † A-Z



Brat Stand Schedule for Charlie's County Market

Thursday, April 24th

Vita Volunteers--Linda Olson 715-853-4752

Friday, April 25th

8:30 to 11:30 A.M. Helen Raddant Joy Christenson, Pat, Phyllis
Individual Navarino Merri Maids

11:30 to 2:30 P.M. Helen Raddant Judy Pahlow Sandra Smith Polly Bartz
Individual Bizi Belles Bizi Belles Individual

2:30 to 5:00 P.M. (clean-up) Helen Raddant Nancy Zornes Anita Knoke Audrey Wussow
Individual Red Springs Red Springs WISC

Saturday, April 26th

8:30 to 11:30 A.M. S Wendorff Ellie Borre Barb Erb Linda Olson
Individual Navarino Meri Maids Individual

11:30 to 2:30 P.M. S Wendorff Learn-A-Lot 3 spots Barb Mortensen
Individual

2:30 to 5:00 P.M. (clean-up) S Wendorff Janet Lane Eila Mathias OPEN
Individual Landstad Ladies

Any issues or questions, please call Helen Raddant: 715-526-2919

Spring Event Auction

Please call the UWEX office prior to April 25th with your item/s that you will be donating to the Spring Event.



The Rural Health Initiative is a FREE, ON-FARM program that provides basic health screening and consultation to farm families. It was started about 10 years ago when it became apparent to health professionals in our area that many farm families had either no health insurance or insurance with high

deductibles, which discouraged them from getting routine physicals which can uncover and/or prevent more costly major illnesses later. One of the advantages to this program is that the RHI Nurses have a farm background, and come right to the farm to do the health screening. In a matter of minutes, you will have your test results in hand, with a trained professional right there to explain the results to you! The program serves a tri-county area of Shawano, Outagamie and Waupaca plus Marathon in the summer 2014.

This program is NOT funded by tax dollars, all funding is provided through grants, donations and fund-raising activities by the Rural Health Initiative. If you are interested in receiving more information please contact Dawn Dingeldein, RHI-Shawano at 715-524-1488



SPRING EVENT 2014

“Wrap It Up With HCE”

Welcome to the HCE Spring Event

Date: Monday, May 5th, 2014
Place: Shawano County Park at the Pavilion
Time: 5:00 p.m. – Registration & Silent Auction
6:00 p.m. – Dinner – The Red Rooster
Menu: Broasted chicken, beef tips, and all the fixings
Cost: \$15.00
Speaker: Christa Hansen – Bridal/Body Essentials – Shawano
Make sure to wear your own scarf and learn how to tie it many different and exciting ways!!

Deadline: Register by April 25th

We will again be holding a **Silent Auction**. The value of your club's donation should equal \$2.00 per member (same applies to individual members). Please call the office and let us know what you will be bringing for the auction by Friday, April 25th. We had a great variety of items last year. Use your imagination and join us for the fun! Don't forget to bring your “Cultural & Textile Art Show” items to be judged. The Bonus Category is “Build an Owl”.



2014 Spring Event Registration Form

Club Name _____

All Members Attending:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

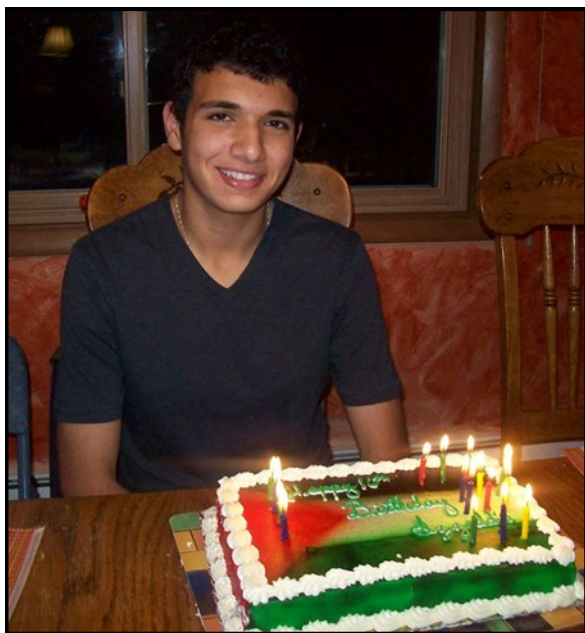
You will not receive confirmation tickets prior to the event. Your name will be checked off at the registration table as you enter. Registrations are transferable but not refundable after deadline.

- 1) Make check payable to: **Shawano County HCE** (one check per club please)
- 2) Send this form & check to: Shawano Co. UW-Extension Office -HCE
311 N. Main Street
Shawano, WI 54166

Enclosed is \$ _____ for _____ # of dinner reservations



INTERNATIONAL NIGHT PRESENTATION



Come and meet **Izzeddin Said**, age 16 who is a foreign exchange student that is attending Wausau West and living with Pastor Phil and Sharon Bogen from Wausau.

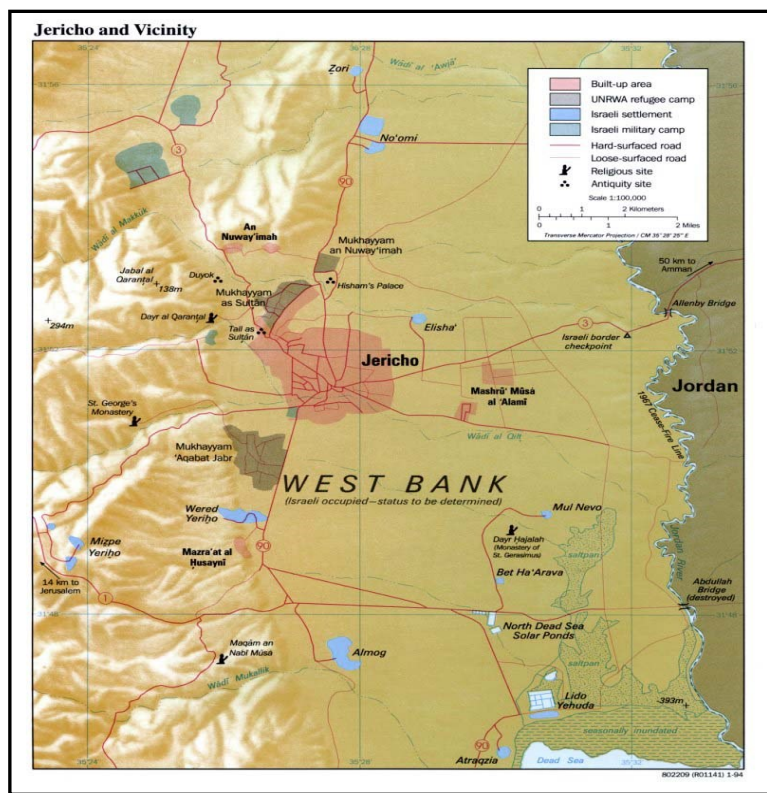
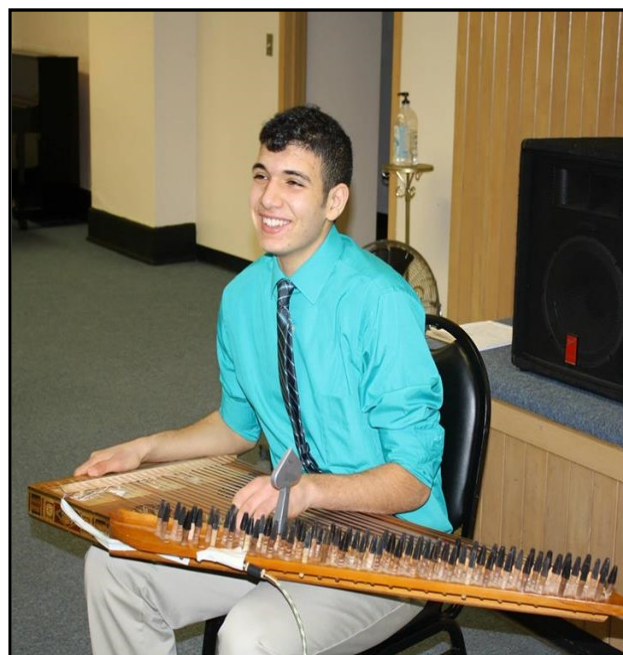
His religion is Muslim, and he is an Arabic Palestinian. Izzeddin will be sharing what life has been like growing up in Jericho.

He will also play his Quanun for us. Refreshments and cookies will be served after the program.

When: Tuesday, April 29, 2014

Time: 5:00 – 6:00 pm

Where: Zion Lutheran Church
1254 S Union Street, Shawano



International Night

Contact Person _____

Club _____

Members Attending: _____



Potpourri— *A sharing page of your ideas, recipes, jokes, stories*

PUNOGRAPHY

I tried to catch some fog, I mist.

When chemists die, they barium.

Jokes about German sausage are the wurst.

How does Moses make his tea? Hebrews it.

I'm reading a book about anti-gravity, I can't put it down.

Energizer Bunny arrested: Charged with battery.

I didn't like my beard at first, then it grew on me.

What do you call a dinosaur with an extensive vocabulary?

A thesaurus.

I wondered why the baseball was getting bigger. Then it hit me!

Broken pencils are pointless.

YEARS OF MATH 1950-2013

MATH in the 1950's

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is $\frac{4}{5}$ of the price. What is his profit?

MATH in the 1960's

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is $\frac{4}{5}$ of the price, or \$80. What is his profit?

MATH in the 1970's

A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is \$80. Did he make a profit?

MATH in the 1980's

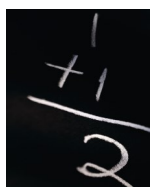
A logger sells a truckload of lumber for \$100. His cost of production is \$80 and his profit is \$20.

our assignment: underline the number \$20.

MATH in the 1990's

A logger cuts down a beautiful forest because he is selfish and cares nothing for the habitat of animals. He does this so he can make a profit of \$20. What do you think of this way of making a living? Topic for class: how do you think the birds and squirrels think about the logger cutting down their homes.

MATH since that time is done with calculators, with permission from the school. What will happen if the power goes out? Can anyone do simple math any longer?



SIGNS OF GROWING UP ON A FARM OR RANCH

You can still remember when the bus picked you up and dropped you off.

Some of you can remember walking to and home from a one room school, going up hill both ways.

You know it is impossible to tip a cow.

You can drive any vehicle with a clutch.

You didn't worry if your door was locked, or if you left the keys in the car.

You gave directions by landmarks, not street signs.

Travel was measured in time, not miles.

Lunch was dinner, and dinner was supper.

You could drive a tractor before you could drive a car.

You made forts out of hay, snow, leaves, or whatever available.

You like either red or green tractors, but never both.

The only traffic jam you experienced was when the cows were crossing the road.

You drank more water from a hose, spigot, or glass quart jar than you ever did from a plastic bottle.



RHUBARB CRISP – an old family recipe

4 cups cut up rhubarb

Sprinkle with:

1 tsp cinnamon

$\frac{1}{2}$ tsp salt

Place in shallow 6x10 baking dish.

Then in a bowl mix until crumbly –

$\frac{3}{4}$ cup flour

1 $\frac{1}{3}$ – 2 cups sugar

$\frac{1}{3}$ cup butter

Put on rhubarb and bake at 350° about 40 min.