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## resident's Corner

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Here we are – another club year has begun and we are off to a roaring start! First, I would like to once again say “thank you” for allowing me to step in for Dorothy. We are so sorry that her health didn't allow her to take on this job at the present time and our prayers are with her as her health improves. Thank you, Ann Boseman, for the lovely installation ceremony. Thanks, too, to all of you who have accepted board positions. I know we will have a wonderful year with all members working together like the great group we are! We have just finished another successful year under the leadership of Lena Wann and her Board. We need to let them know how much we appreciate their hard work on behalf of our club.

June is a busy month for us! Eight of us attended the State Conference which was held in Bowling Green June 6-8, 2008. We weren't all there the whole time, but we were all there to see our own Diane Croney-Turner installed as BPW/KY President- Elect and our own Karen Lamb installed as BPW/KY Treasurer. We are so proud of them!

Our meeting on June 19<sup>th</sup> will feature Issues Management. Please try to attend, as you will have an opportunity to help select our programs for the coming year.

June 20<sup>th</sup> will be “Relay for Life” and I hope each one of you has made a contribution to this cause. I doubt there is any one of us who has not been touched by cancer in one way or another. A big “Thank-You” goes to Becky Johnson who is chairing this event for us.

In closing, I would like to say that I hope you will let me know if you have any questions, concerns, or suggestions regarding your club and I will do my very best to address them.

See you at the Pioneers on June 19<sup>th</sup>!

*Janice Cayce, President*

## 2008-2009 Club Officers

**President – Janice Cayce**  
**President-Elect – Karen Lamb**  
**Vice President – Sue Mock**  
**Recording Secretary – Rita Brown**  
**Executive Assistant – Karen Hunter**  
**Treasurer – Kathy Beliles**  
**Parliamentarian – Diane Croney-Turner**

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The Committees are included in this issue of the Hopper. Check the committees and become familiar with who's on each committee. We have also included member information, birthdays and proposed 2008-2009 policy changes. We need you to make any corrections and get them to Diane Croney-Turner or Karen Hunter before the year book goes to press.

## ***JUNE MEETING***

***Thursday, June 19, 2008***

***6:00 p.m.***

***Pioneers' Memorial Complex***

**Host:** Issues Management

**Pledge:** Roxie Taibali

**Collect:** Karen Lamb

**Invocation:** Mary Fletcher

## **Menu:**

**Spaghetti and Sauce, Tossed Salad, Garlic Bread,**

**Dessert, Coffee and Tea**

**Meal Cost \$11.00**

<p><b>RESERVATIONS: - Please let Diane Croney-Turner-Membership Chair and Anna Lee Lackman-Telephone Chair know of any guest. We have room for two guest per month.</b></p>
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## JUNE BIRTHDAYS



Glynn Ward	June 3 <sup>rd</sup>
Paula Knight	June 4 <sup>th</sup>
Debbie Dunn	June 8 <sup>th</sup>
Debbie Pritchett	June 11 <sup>th</sup>
Dorothy Tolliver	June 27 <sup>th</sup>

**Membership News – Diane Croney-Turner, Chair  
Karen Hunter – Co-Chair**

In May 2008 we have a membership of 47. Let's make a special effort to get new members in 2008-2009.



Polly Forns – loss of her father  
Jean Tuitele – loss of her husband, Robert  
Glynn and Art Ward  
Jewell Long

KY Activist Dies After Stroke  
Lilialyce Akers, a leader in the women's rights movement who traveled the globe in her activism and mentored women at home in Kentucky, has died after suffering a stroke.

Akers was BPW/KY Member Emeritus. Our condolences go out to her family.

**Keep all members and their families in your prayers.**

**If you hear of any members that are sick, in the hospital, or death of a family member, contact Diane Croney-Turner or Karen Hunter.**

Congratulations – Diane Croney-Turner is the 2008-2009 BPW/KY President Elect, Karen Lamb is the 2008-2009 BPW/KY Treasurer and Karen Hunter is on the BPW/KY Foundation Board of Trustees

All members are encouraged to invite a perspective member to a meeting this year.

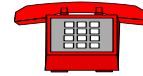
Next month we would like to start e-mailing The Hopper to any member who would prefer rather than receiving by mail. If you would like e-mail, contact Diane Croney-Turner.

## ADOPT-A-SPOT

Members are asked to make an effort to go by the adopt-a-spot on Virginia Street and you turn to go to the post office. We want to thank Juanita Martin and Anna Lee Lackman for their four hours of hard work cleaning up and replanting flowers. It is a club project and all members are invited to help keep it clean.

All Board Meetings will be held on the first Thursday of every month at A. W. Watts Senior Citizens Center at 5:30 p.m. All Chairs and Co-Chairs are asked to attend all Board Meetings.

**Telephone Committee–Anna Lee Lackman, Chair**



**If you have not been called by Sunday before the meeting, call your caller or Anna Lee. If members make a reservation and fail to attend or cancel with Anna Lee, you will be responsible if the club incurs an expense for the meal. Reservations must be cancelled by Monday at noon. If your caller has been unable to reach you and you need a reservation call Anna Lee at 886-3469 and leave a message if she is not at home.**

**PAST PRESIDENT – Lena Wann**

Officers, Chair, and Members,

I want to express to all of you my thanks and appreciation for your help and support for the past club year. It was my pleasure to serve as President, I hope I did not make too many mistakes, blunders!

Thanks for the beautiful pink roses, they sat on my mantel and were a beautiful reminder of the year for several days. May God Bless each of you!

Lenn Wann

**RELAY FOR LIFE – Becky Johnson – Chair**

The Relay for Life will be held Friday, June 20<sup>th</sup> – Saturday, June 21<sup>st</sup>. The event will begin at 5:00 p.m. Members if you have not made a donation and would like to contact Becky Johnson at 886-3055 work.

Treasurer – Kathy Beliles

Remember to give or send all membership renewals to me at 225 Benjamin Lane. The club dues are \$89.00 per year. Also I need the renewal notice that National mails to you in order to mail in the correct information on your account. Thank you for your help in this matter.

### MEETING ATTENDANCE:

Please make every effort to attend the monthly meetings. We need to be in attendance to make a difference with issues concerning women.



#### Installation of 2008-2009 Officers

Ann Boseman performed the ceremony.  
Kathy Beliles – Treasurer, Sue Mock – Vice President, Karen Lamb – President Elect, Janice Cayce – President, Lena Wann – Past President, Diane Croney-Turner – Parliamentarian, Rita Brown – Recording Secretary and Karen Hunter – Executive Assistant.

### JUNE 2008 MEETING

The Thursday, June 19, 2008 meeting is set aside for discussion and approval of club 2008-2009 projects and policies.

The **Issues Management Committee** will take a program survey to be used to plan programs for the year. Your attendance is requested to help make plans for the year.

## HOPPER INFORMATION

Any information for The Hopper is due by the First Thursday of every month. The information may be given to Diane Croney-Turner, Karen Hunter or Sue Mock.



Club members who attended the first board meeting of the program year on Thursday, June 5, 2008

Seated: Diane Croney-Turner, Karen Hunter, Janice Cayce and Gerturde Bullock; Standing: Dorothy Tolliver, Juanita Martin, Kathy Beliles, Roxie Taibali, Anita Cartwright, Mary Fletcher, Ann Boseman, Karen Lamb, Anna Lee Lackman, Sue Mock, Rita Brown and Lena Wann

### 86<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL BPW/KY STATE CONFERENCE



Club members who attended the 86<sup>th</sup> Annual BPW/KY State Conference at University Plaza Hotel, Bowling Green, KY: Karen Lamb, Diane Croney-Turner, Karen Hunter, Janice Cayce, Sue Mock, Lena Wann, Mary Fletcher and Kathy Beliles



Friday's State Conference 1<sup>st</sup> Business Session



**Take Kids Fishing**

The 10<sup>th</sup> Annual Take Kid Fishing event was held on Saturday, May 24, 2008 at Jeffer's Bend. This is one of Hopkinsville BPW club projects. There were about 1,200 children and parents in attendance for a family outing with the children. A time for fun and bonding. Ann Boseman and Diane Croney-Turner assisted in the registration for the event.



**2008-2009 BPW/KY OFFICERS**

Front Row: Janis Turner – Vice President, Glasgow BPW; Karen Lamb – Treasurer, Hopkinsville BPW; Suzanne Forshee - Recording Secretary, Franklin BPW; Second Row: Sandi Hasse – BPW/USA Representative; Debrah Pierce – President, BPW River City; Diane Croney-Turner – President Elect, Hopkinsville BPW; Phyllis Hargrave – Executive Assistant, BPW River City; Bonny Manning – Parliamentarian, BPW River City



Janice Cayce was installed with the Northwest President's during the state convention

**2008-2009 MEMBERSHIP**

- Natalie Allison
- Rochelle Anderson
- Kathy Beliles - Treasurer
- Louise Belair
- Ann Boseman
- Diane K. Boyd
- Mary G. Brandt
- Naomi Brashears
- Rita Brown – Recording Secretary
- Gertrude Bullock
- Anita Cartwright
- Janice A. Cayce – President
- Michelle Cherry
- Diane Croney-Turner - Parliamentarian
- Debbie Dunn
- Mary Fletcher
- Polly Fornis
- Judy Hargrove
- Verna Heltzel
- Karen Hunter – Executive Assistant
- Kathleen Johnson
- Rebecca Johnson
- Kay Kane
- Carolyn Key
- Anne Koehne
- Paula Knight
- Anna Lee Lackman
- Karen Lamb
- Jewell Long
- Martha Marcum
- Juanita Martin
- Jane McKnight
- Willedean Meriwether
- Sue Mock – Vice President
- Martha Noel
- Debbie Pritchett
- Frances Quarles
- Linda Robertson
- Pat Shiue
- Donna Stone
- Roxie Taibali
- Dorothy Tolliver
- Jean Tuitele
- Marie Wade
- Etta Walker
- Lena Wann
- Glynn Ward

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## **UP COMING DATES**

**Thursday, June 19, 2008 - BPW Meeting 6:00 p.m. at the Pioneer's**

**Friday, June 20 – Saturday, June 21, 2008 – Relay for Life at Stadium of Champions**

**July 22 – 26, 2008 – National Conference, Atlanta, GA**

**Thursday, July 3, 2008 – Board Meeting A. W. Watts Senior Citizens Center**

**Thursday, July 17, 2008 – BPW Meeting 6:00 at Pioneers**