



Heartland Board News

Upcoming Events:

- July 16
Life After Diabetes,
HSS, 9-11AM, presented
by MAXIM Healthcare.
Free. (Blood sugar
checks and information
on diabetes care.)
- July 21
Scrabble Tournament,
HSS, 1PM, \$1 entry fee.
Register by 7/20.
- July 30
NEW! Poetry Workshop,
HSS, every other Friday,
1:30-3:30PM, instructed
by Dorothy Fyfe, 5 ses-
sions, \$5.
- July 31
Rummage and Antique
Sale/Auction, HSS, 9AM-
4PM. Klassic Kruisers
car show from 1-4PM.
Car auction at 3PM.
- August 9
Summertime Swing
Dance, HSS, 7PM. Music
by Huxley Band, \$3.
- August 10
Medicare Drug Laws/
Plans, HSS, 12:30PM.
- August 13
Trivia Night, HSS, 7PM.
Watch for more informa-
tion.
- August 16
Shopping trip to the new
Jordan Creek Mall. 9AM,
\$16, sign up by 8/12.
- August 18
Day Trip to the Iowa
State Fair, 7AM-4PM, \$15,
sign up by 8/11.

For more information on any of these programs, please contact Deb Hoyt (233-2906). All events open to the public unless otherwise noted.

A Note from the Director

Last month's board meeting was a fun time when both Heartland boards met with **Frank Owens** and celebrated what we have accomplished this year. The boards listed 15 items that were positives last year including an improved financial position, new buses for transportation and increased participation in our programs. Frank left us with three challenges we still must address (starting with our July meeting) if the agency is to continue moving forward.

The positive happenings continued during this month.

- We received a \$25,499.25 check from the estate of **Lyle Elden Stoops** of Story City. The check was deposited into the Foundation's account.
- The lap top computer donated to HSS by the **Kiwanis Club** has arrived and the PowerPoint presentation downloaded so we are again ready to make presentations. We have been notified that two additional vehicles have been offered to HSS next year. The transportation department also has sold almost all of the bus advertisement with \$13,000 of income.

We have also this month had the sad news that during July **Cindy Bowers**



will leave us for a job closer to home, and that in November **Deb Hoyt** will be moving out of state. On top of losing our two Outreach Specialists, Outreach Program Director **Kirsten Newman** will be going on a three-month maternity leave in November. Kirsten and I have been working hard to reorganize the department and to get new staff on board and trained so that we do not miss a beat in this important service area.

We also always seem to have special projects that keep the staff and board busy. I am especially looking forward to the Rummage and Antique Sale here on Saturday, July 31, and the Variety Show on August 27 & 29.

Thanks for your support.

- John

Updates from Heartland:

- 30th Anniversary Events:
July 31—Rummage & Antique Sale/Auction at HSS. (Save your items to donate to the sale! No clothing please.) Klassy Kruisers car show from 1-4:00PM. A donated '93 Dodge Caravan will be auctioned by Loren Muench at 3PM. Please call the office for more details.
August 18—Open House and drawing for the “Night on the Town” raffle at MonteBello B & B at 5PM.
- Sign up now for the new bike riding group, which will start in September. The group plans to ride M/W/F at 8:30AM. Call Deb Hoyt for more information.
- A Grandparents Day Potluck Picnic will be held on Sunday, September 12 from noon-3PM. Heartland will supply the hot dogs and drinks. Please call the office to sign up.

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