



United Federation of Doll Clubs, Inc.

REGION 1 QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER

Alaska, Idaho, Oregon, Washington

Vicki Newhouse, Director
Summer, 2015

From: *Vicki*

I'm back from a fun filled convention in Kansas City, MO. So much fun to see old friends and make a few new ones. It's our once a year chance to gather together and see the best of the best of dolls in competition and in the fabulous sales room. Thanks, dealers, for continuing to dazzle us.

It was a special treat to see the newly remodeled UFDC Museum and also the pre-reopening of the National Toy and Miniature Museum. The new arrangement of dolls at our organization's museum is stunning with beautiful cases.

The leaves that usually fall in October are already covering our driveway from the old oak trees. This year brought a bumper crop of tomatoes, along with an abundance of other fresh vegetables. Our freezer can't hold another item and I'm busy canning. I try to find time for doll sewing and am actually looking forward to a long winter.

ALL CLUB MEMBERS – Please re-read page 178 of the Summer 2015 DOLL NEWS. My RD term ends July, 2016. **We NEED a candidate. PLEASE VOLUNTEER FOR THIS 3 YEAR BOARD OF DIRECTOR TERM.** Believe me, it's enriching and enlightening. Please send in your name as a candidate.

Region 1 – There were no new members this quarter. I'm trying to talk with everyone about our hobby during the shows I attend at the UFDC table. Look for our Miss Unity logo.

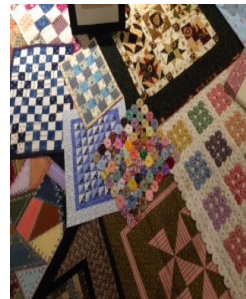
Invite a new member to join and have them list your name with their initial membership payment and you will receive a credit voucher for \$10.00

in December. This may be used for your future dues renewal up to four per year.

If everyone would invite one new person to join this year, we could **DOUBLE** the membership for our area.

“KINDRED SPIRITS” is the theme of next year's National Convention. Save the date of July 27-30, 2016 with pre-convention activities on July-26-16. Join all of the activities for doll collectors at The Washington Hilton Hotel in Washington, D.C.

Banquet doll by artist, Heather Maciak. Plans are underway for meal events, seminars, workshops, programs, tours, salesroom, dynamic dialogues and exhibit rooms.



Seminar Doll Quilts



Doll Linen Cupboard

MEMBERS AT LARGE LIVING IN THE PORTLAND, OREGON AREA – Meet me at the Crossroads Show on 9-5-2015 at the UFDC booth at 11:00 am. We'll talk about a new club within driving distance from Portland, OR

There are many of you who would love to have a club to share dolls, have a program and learn more about our great hobby.

It all starts with establishing a meeting time, date and a place to get things started. Let's do it!

UFDC

Our Mission

Educate-Preserve-Conserve

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Director, Region 1

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THIS QUARTER'S REGION 1 DONATIONS TO UFDC: Thanks for more donations this quarter. We received 11 gifts from 9 donors to equal \$1,865.00. Thank you so much!

When you or your club donates to UFDC, you will receive a thank you letter for your taxes. We are a 501 (c) (3) charity organization. Our commitment is to educate collectors on our wonderful hobby. Your museum offers an outstanding display of the history of dolls from rare antiques to very modern dolls.

PRESIDENTIAL HONOR FUND for Linda Edward - Future Collections Acquisition Fund
Southern Oregon Doll Collectors.

A rare #1 Kathe Kruse doll was selected in Linda's honor for the Museum collection from all combined donations this past year designated for her President's gift.

REGIONAL DIRECTOR'S FUND - JoAnn McNaham (non-member) of Lake Oswego in honor of Vicki Newhouse

ADOPT-A-DOLL - DeAnna Eastman (2 dolls) and Sharon Lee

UFDC UNITY FUND: Julie Goss, Kathleen Moore
Both are Members-At-Large. Thanks ladies!

ReAL SERVICES GENERAL FUND - Dolls of the Attic Doll Club

DOLL NEWS GENERAL FUND - N.W. Antique Doll Research Group

COLLECTIONS FUND FOR FUTURE ACQUISITIONS - Kathleen Moore

2015 CONVENTION FUND - Syringa Doll Club of Southwest Idaho.

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UPCOMING SHOWS AND EVENTS:

8-20-15 - DON'T MISS - Region 1 Picnic - Sponsored by Dolls-R-Us of Washington, 10-3pm, Lewisville Park, Battle Ground, WA - Fried chicken and plates provided. Bring salad or dessert to share and an unwrapped toy for their local charity project. Program and sales. Contact Arlene Martinez, 360-687-4321

8-30-15 - Antique Doll & Toy Market, 11-4pm, Red Lion Hotel, 11211 Main St., Bellevue, WA. Contact - Lisa Pepin, 206-362-8723.

9-5-15 - Crossroads Doll & Teddy Bear Event **NEW LOCATION** - Red Lion Inn, 909 N Hayden Island (exit 308 off I-5) at Jansen Beach, 10-4pm with early birds at 8:30 am. Contact Dorothy at 775-348-7713.

9-19-15 - Wagon Wheel Dollers Show & Sale, Polk County Fairgrounds, 520 Pacific Hwy. W., Rickerell, OR, 10-4pm with early birds 9-10am. Contact - Arleta 503-581-1206 or Sally - 503-399-7679.

9-24-15 - Cherry City Doll Club Tea with Denis Bastien. Lin-Lin's wardrobe items available. 1-4pm, Scottish Rite Temple, 4090 Commercial St., Salem, OR. Contact Kathy Kirby - 503-581-0936

9-26-15 - Spokane Falls Dolls Show & Sale. 10-4pm Royal Park Retirement Center, 302 E. Wedgewood, Spokane, WA. Contact - Joann, 509-999-8084

10-24-15 - Crossroads Doll & Terry Bear Event - Puyallup Fairgrounds, 110 9th Ave. S.W., Puyallup, WA. Saturday 10-4pm with early birds at 8:30 and Sunday, 10-3pm. Contact Dorothy Drake 775-348-7713 or info@crossroadsshow.com.

11-14-15 - Oregon Creative Doll Collectors - 1ST Annual Doll Show and Sale - Benton County Fairgrounds, 110 S.W. 53rd St., Corvallis, OR 10-4pm., with early birds at 9am. Contact - Judy at lr.jl.kilgore@gmail.com or Valerie- valerie@peak.org.

REMINDER: 9-30-15 CLUB PRESIDENTS - Annual Club Activity Report due - Vicki Newhouse, 404 Pavillian Dr, Grants Pass, OR 97526

REMINDER: 11-14-15 - Items due for next newsletter to Vicki