

UFDC NEWS FROM REGION 12
FALL 2012
Indiana, Michigan, and Ohio



Cindy Nichols Bailey, Region 12 Director

Attending my first UFDC convention as your Region 12 Director in July was so much fun and rewarding! You have made me so welcome and I appreciate your patience with all the ups and down of learning to be a region director.

Fall, my favorite time of the year is almost upon us!! I love the cooling of the weather and, of course, the fall colors! Though Indiana is mostly farmland, and pretty much flat, you can still see beautiful foliage in the northern and southern parts of this state. I can only image what the fall scenery looks like in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan as I've only been at there in early March and 200 inches of snow on the ground was very overwhelming!! Then Ohio, full of rolling valleys and beautiful farmland too!

Enjoy the bounty of the fall harvest that fall brings!!

EBAY ON-LINE AUCTION REQUEST FOR REGIONS 1, 4, 8, and 12:

As you know, we now have a group of volunteers who will be managing the eBay auction. They have enough items to get off to a good start but we will be needing more items in the near future. All regions have been placed into one of the four quarters of the year for donations although anyone or any club can give at any time. The quarters are divided as follows:

GROUP	MONTHS	REGIONS	
1	October - December	2S, 3, 11, 15, 16	Please bring this item up at your club meeting. Please do all you can to encourage your club and members-at-large too, to donate a doll, doll-related items, or anything else of value. Last year, which had some highs and some lows, we took in about \$7,500 from the auctions. We know that we can do significantly better if we get more donations.
2	January - March	6, 9, 10, 13	
3	April - June	2N, 5, 7, 14	
4	July - September	1, 4, 8, 12	

The other fundraising effort that we have coming up quickly is the first annual fundraising campaign. A donation envelope will be inserted with the Fall issue of Doll News. Please look for this envelope insert and please give as a club, individual, or corporate and please encourage everyone to make a donation no matter how small. The Fundraising Committee relies heavily on your support so I would like to thank you in advance for anything you can do to further our efforts. Thanks.

UPCOMING CLUB EVENTS, DOLL SHOWS, ETC., FOR 2012 and 2013

Northern Ohio Doll and Bear Show, August 19, 2012. 10-3 PM \$4.00. Holiday Inn, Strongsville, Ohio (I-71 & SR 8, one mile south of the Ohio Turnpike, Exit 161).

Sandusky River Valley Doll Club presents their 44th Annual Doll & Bear Show and Sale, August 26, 2012, 10-4 PM. Located at the Seneca County Opportunity Center, 780 E Co Rd 20, near intersection of US 224 and SR 53, Tiffin, Ohio, follow signs. Admission \$2.00; under 12 years of age free.

Valparaiso Dolls & Friends Valparaiso, Indiana, will host the Doll, Teddy Bear, and Miniature Show & Sale September 9, 2012. 9-3 p.m. (Central Time) at the Porter County Expo Center, U.S. 49 & Division Rd., Valparaiso, IN. Special Exhibit of Cloth Dolls, door prizes, and food available. For information contact: Vera Johnson, rickandjac@frontier.com or 219-476-7384.

Tippecanoe Cinderella Doll Club of Lafayette, Indiana, will host "Accessoire De Poupe" Saturday, September 15, 2012. Their guest speaker will be Patricia Gosh, past-president of UFDC and now proprietress of The Doll Shoppe of New Harmony, Indiana. Ms. Gosh will be speaking on accessories for dolls. A lovely souvenir made especially for this event, helpers, sales tables (available to luncheon guests are \$25 each), and other surprises will await you! Location: Quality Inn, 2500 Lafayette Road (US 231 South), Crawfordsville, Indiana (765-362-8700). Hours: 9:30-3:00 PM. Cost: \$55. Limited to 100 registrants. Contacts: Marjorie Wyant 317-432-1397 or Liz Holmes 765-477-0324.

Triple Crown Doll Show & Sale, September 16, 2012. 10-4 PM Cost: \$4.00. A day with Nancy Ann Storybook Dolls hosted by the **Triple Crown Doll Club of Northern Kentucky**. Their guest speaker will be Mary Marzen, a renowned authority on Nancy Ann who will also share her collection of rare and unusual NASB dolls. The registration fee is \$110, which includes the luncheon, program, displays, helper items to win, and a Dianne Effner doll. Contact: Carol Wood, 3015 Lischer Avenue, Cincinnati, OH 45211 513-662-7227. Located at the Cincinnati Airport Holiday Inn, 1717 Airport Exchange Blvd., Erlanger, Kentucky.

Fort Wayne Doll & Bear Show, September 23, 2012. 9:30-3:30 PM Admission: \$3.50. The Lantern, 4420 Ardmore Ave., Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Lansing Doll Show, October 7, 2012. 9:30 - 3:00 PM, Cost \$4.00. At the Dewitt Banquet & Conference Center, Dewitt, Michigan (exit 87 off I-69 behind Burger King).

"Ken Yenke, nationally known expert on teddy bears and political items, will be giving a presentation for the guest meeting of the **Fort Findlay Doll and Bear Fancier**, Saturday, October 13, 2012. The meeting will be at 2:00 PM at the Hub at Birchhaven Retirement Center, which is off State Route 224 east of Findlay, Ohio. Mr. Yenke will have a display of collectible bears. Attendees will have the opportunity to purchase his book. Mr. Yenke will also appraise one toy, bear, or political item per person. There will be refreshments and door prizes."

Toledo Doll & Bear Show, October 21, 2012. 10-4 PM \$4.00. Stranahan Great Hall, 4645 Heatherdowns Blvd., Toledo, Ohio (near Maumee). Contact Sandra Bullock for details at 734-282-0152 www.toledodollshow.com

Oltangy Valley Doll Club Doll and Bear Sale, October 28, 2012. 10-4 PM. Admission: \$4.00. Aladdin Shrine Center, 3850 Stelzer Road, Columbus, Ohio.

Chicago Toy and Doll Show, October 28, 2012. 8-3 PM, Costs \$8.00. Location: Kane County Fairgrounds, 525 S. Randall Road, St. Charles, IL 60174.

The Rose Percy Luncheon, Holiday Event, is sponsored by Doll Show Production's "Dollicious" Doll Show and Sale and the **Rochester Doll Collectors, Dolls and Friends of Royal Oak, Greater Lansing Doll Collectors, Ann Arbor Doll Collectors, and the Doll Doctor's Club of Michigan** doll clubs, November 2-4, 2012. Cost: \$135.00. Gazebo Banquet Hall, Warren, Michigan. Includes souvenir doll, Rose's illustrated book, workshops, and a live auction. Plus a doll show and sales at Madison Place Hall, Madison Heights, Michigan, on Sunday. If interested, contact Sharon at 586-731-3072 for a registration form. Email questions to: lildolls@excite.com

West Michigan Doll Show & Sales sponsored by **Snow Babies of West Michigan** and **Muskegon Sand Dollars Doll Clubs**, November 10, 2012. 10-3 PM. Admission: \$4.00. Holland Civic Center, 150 W. 8th St., Holland, Michigan.

Santa's Antique & Collectible Toy & Advertising Show, November 3, 2012. 9-2 PM, Cost \$4.00. Located at the Lincoln Center, 2450 Lincoln Street, Highland, IN. www.santasshows.com or phone 708-895-1502.

Motor City Doll Club invites you to help HORIZONS/UPWARD BOUND. Please join us at our BENEFIT DOLL LUNCHEON featuring a custom souvenir doll by Robert Tonner from his Wilde Imagination Collection, Saturday, March 23, 2013 at 12:00 PM at the PI Banquet Hall, 28847 Franklin Road, Southfield, Michigan 48034-1692. Donation: \$135.00; Absentee: \$150.00. Doll auction featuring collectible dolls and doll-related items, along with a doll drawing. Contact: Motorcitydollclub@yahoo.com. Visit Motor City Doll Club of Detroit on Facebook. PAYPAL accepted.

June 22, 2013 the **Cleveland Doll Club** will host their Mardi Gras Jubilee Luncheon. Cost: \$160.00. Time: 9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. Location: Hilton Cleveland East/Beachwood, 3663 Park East Drive, Beachwood, Ohio. Featured Speakers: Robert Tonner and Debra Deforte. Souvenir Doll: Lizette Dionne by Wilde Imagination. Activities: *Mardi Gras Doll Costume Contest (Use any Wilde Imagination doll in a unique Mardi Gras ensemble); *Attendee Costume Contest (Dress like any Wilde Imagination Doll); *Games with proceeds going to Ronald McDonald House; *Shop with vendors and buy tickets for helpers. Information Contact: Pat Dutchman 440-785-4183 or pdutchman@roadrunner.com. Vendor Contact: Shirley Karaba 440-951-4975 or fkaraba@att.net.

September 21, 2013. The **Doll Circle of Indianapolis** will be holding their Region 12 doll luncheon "Jumeau Dolls in the Victorian Age." They invite you to enjoy an afternoon with Jennylou Schoelwer, historian, author, and speaker. A lovely One-of-a-Kind 10-3/4" reproduction EJ Jumeau souvenir doll made by Bob Severns, along with helpers, raffle, and sales tables!! (A companion doll will be available at Bob's sales table along with shoes and patterns.) Cost: \$100.00. Location: Ritz Charles Catering Hall, 12156 N. Meridian Street, Indianapolis, Indiana. For information contact: Linda Cantwell 317-5850534 or email lindacdolls@yahoo.com for a registration form. Sales tables available for guest at \$30.00 per table. Limited to 104 registrants.

NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome to Barbara Mork of Richfield, MN, as a member at large!

QUARTERLY DONATIONS -- Region 12 May 1 - July 31, 2012:

Cindy Bailey	July 25, 2012	2012 Convention
Fort Wayne Doll Club	July 5, 2012	UFDC Unity Fund
Patricia J. Girbach	July 5, 2012	UFDC Unity Fund
Western Hills Doll Club of Ohio	May 22, 2012	UFDC Unity Fund
Western Hills Doll Club of Ohio	May 22, 2012	Regional Directors Fund

QUARTERLY EBAY DONATIONS -- Region 12 May 1 - July 31, 2012:

Odile-Laurence Prosper	6/5/2012 (3 donations)	eBay
Sandy Taylor	6/5/2012 (2 donations)	eBay

ANNUAL CLUB ACTIVITY REPORT

Annual Club Activity Report were due April 1, 2012, to UFDC. All club presidents need to complete this form and forward the white copy to the UFDC Central Office and the pink copy to me. Please make a copy for your files.

NOTE: Deadline for submitting items to me for the WINTER 2012 Newsletter is November 15, 2012.

ATTENTION CLUB PRESIDENTS:

PLEASE GIVE A COPY OF THIS NEWSLETTER TO ALL CLUB MEMBERS AND IN A TIMELY MANNER DUE TO THE TIME-SENSITIVE INFORMATION. THANK YOU!

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