

# UFDC Region13 Newsletter

## Spring 2017

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*Hi again,*

*I have had an interesting and informative first few months acting as regional director. Next year, we elect a new Region 13 director and I am throwing my name in the pot. But if anyone else would like the job, please apply as well. We have someone willing to stand on the nominating committee and she will give all candidates due consideration.*

*I visited the Center City Doll Club of Philadelphia and gave an introduction for one of my favorites, Betsy McCall. I enjoyed Ed Ferry's lovely shop and ate some city pizza. I also attended the Princeton Doll & Toy Luncheon. This was such a success that they have enough funds to keep the museum open for several more weekends. But be sure to go as soon as possible because the future of the museum is in doubt.*

*The Doll Study Club of Boston held a wonderful regional for region 15. Of course, I now have "regional fever". Since the last regional was at the Jersey shore, I think western Pennsylvania would be a great location. If a club or a group of volunteers would like to sponsor a regional, I think we could all chip in to put on a great one.*

*Elise*

### Mary Hoyer Project

The response for the project has been great and we already have a nice collection. However, dolls can never have too much stuff! I have heard from about half the clubs, so that leaves the other half to make this helper the best ever. The two dolls visited the Jersey Heritage Doll Guild to receive their dresses, baskets, and even a Halloween costume!

Some people have questioned the history of this project. In 2016, the regional directors started a two year project to have special helpers at the convention. Region 13 will do their helper at this year's conventions in Orlando. Our generous donors have given the two Mary Hoyer dolls, plus everything they need to be a fabulous prize!

I have both sewing and needlework patterns. Please write if you need one. Donations can be sent to me at my address above.



### Welcome to our newest MALs!

We have two new UFDC members in Region 13. Please introduce yourself to them at UFDC events. Mary Lynne Saunders is the proprietor of her grandmother's Mary Hoyer doll company.

Ms. Joan Ranck  
Christiana, PA

Stevi Tiongco  
New Milford, PA

### Checklist for Club Presidents:

- Helper Donation** for convention
- Dues / Member Registration**

**June 10<sup>th</sup>**

**North Jersey Doll Club**  
*Our Doll's Tea*  
Renaissance Meadowlands Hotel  
Rutherford, NJ  
Contact: Jean Williams (201) 704-2836

**June 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Central Penn Doll Collectors Club**  
*Annual Luncheon*  
Radisson Hotel Harrisburg  
Camp Hill, PA  
Contact: Dotti (717) 716-3609

**September 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Elizabeth Haddon Doll & Toy Club**  
*Welcome to Toyland*  
Ramblewood Country Club  
Marlton, NJ  
Contact: Gloria Giordano (856) 428-2225

**October 8<sup>th</sup>**

**Central Penn Doll Collectors Club**  
*A Doll for All Seasons (Show)*  
Lebanon Valley Expo Center  
Lebanon, PA  
Contact: Dotti (717) 716-3609  
Vendor Contact: Juanita (717) 567-9553

**November 12<sup>th</sup>**

**Metro Dolls**  
*A Novel Romance (Luncheon)*  
Hotel Apa Woodbridge  
Iselin, NJ  
Contact: <http://metrodollsblogspot.com/>

**December 9<sup>th</sup>**

**Letitia Penn Doll Club**  
*A Colonial Christmas (Luncheon)*  
Will Penn Inn  
Ambler, PA  
Contact: Carol Woodley (610) 509-1825

### **UFDC News**

It is not too late to sign up for convention!

For those attending the convention, I need help setting up the Mary Hoyer display Wednesday morning. There are many volunteer activities, but two I wish to highlight are being a monitor, especially for the Regional Doll helpers, and clerking for the judges during competition. Monitoring can be a restful way to interact with conventioners. Clerking allows you to interact with some of the most knowledgeable people in UFDC. To volunteer to be a clerk contact Diane Vourderis at [dvourderis@aol.com](mailto:dvourderis@aol.com).

<b>DONATIONS TO UFDC</b>	
Center City Doll Club of Philadelphia	Regional Directors Fund
Colonial York Doll Club	Museum Fund
Delaware Doll & Toy Club	2017 Convention
Dianne L. Hamlette	Doll News General Fund
Jersey Cape Doll & Toy Club	Regional Directors Fund Collections Fund
Keepsake Doll Club	UFDC Unity Fund
Lancaster Red Rose Doll Club	Building General Fund
Laurel Doll Club of Pennsylvania	Collections Fund
Metro Dolls	Museum Fund
National Antique Doll Dealers	Museum Fund
Betty Lou Painter	UFDC Unity Fund
Penn Ferry Doll Club	UFDC Unity Fund
Betsy Uberti	ReAL Services Gen Fund
Yesteryear Doll Club	Collection Fund

### **Around the Region**

~ Mullica Hill Doll Study Club celebrated its 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Check out the article in Doll News' Spring edition. It is the 20<sup>th</sup>, not the 30<sup>th</sup> as is mentioned in the article.



~ Cheryl Godschall of the Hershey Doll Club shared a picture of her doll display in a local library. The dolls were made in Harleysville, PA.

~ The Princeton Doll & Toy Museum will have a table at the Hopewell, NJ sales day on June 10. The museum will also be open from 10am-4pm on that Saturday and every Saturday in June.

~ Please email me with any news or pictures you would like to share with the region.