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National Business Women's Week October 17-21, 2016

October Meeting, October 18, 2016

Ladies of Rockwood BPW and BPW/TN as well as former members, I want to take this time and encourage all of you to attend our October meeting next month where we will be celebrating not only National Business Women's Week but Rockwood BPW's 95th Anniversary. Such a celebration of life and history could not be successful without your attendance. I hope you will come and enjoy the lively atmosphere we will provide for you along with our state and local officials. May this be a night of memory-making that will only be surpassed when we reach our Centennial Year.

Thank you for your time,
Lee Ann Gaddis

The National Business Women's Week meeting will be on Tuesday, October 18, at 6:30 p.m. at Victorian Square. You will be contacted by noon Monday, October 10, about making meeting reservations.

We will have proclamations signed by Ron Woody, Roane County Mayor, and Mike Miller, Rockwood City Mayor.

NBWW Committee:
Lee Ann Gaddis, chair
Executive Committee

Upcoming Events **2016-17 BPW/TN**

State Calendar of Events

Oct. 17-21 National Business Women's Week

Nov. 4-5 Interim Board of Directors, Holiday Inn Express, Mount Juliet

[Reminder: Deadline for pre-registration is October 28. Registration is at 10:00 CDT (11:00 EDT). See your October Achiever for form or go to the website, www.bpwtn.org, to register.]

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September Membership Meeting Highlights

Trudy Smith presented a list of actions that would help increase membership in Rockwood BPW. She also included a sample of a card containing meeting information and some of the benefits of membership that could be used to contact prospective members. Discussion of the action items presented even more ideas for members to use. We can expect to hear more on this topic as "every month is membership month."

Lee Ann gave each member a copy of the postcard sized invitation to the October National Business Women's Week meeting.

Membership Committee:
Trudy Smith, chair
Bridgette Patterson



Rockwood BPW Upcoming Programs

November 15 BPW Issues/Safety
Ann Hiegel, ch., Mary Rawlings

December 20 Christmas Meeting
Betty Johnston, ch., Velma Beckner



Calendars!!

Calendar information has been sent to the publisher and the calendars should be here before the November meeting.

Turn in money as soon as possible to Linda Rector at Salon-Salon.

CLUB'S CHOICE FUNDRAISING PROJECT

Turn in your orders for Wrapping Paper, Candy, and Gifts at the October meeting. Remember that we must order at least 200 items under the terms of our contract with this new organization. All the Innisbrook items are included in their offerings as well as items similar to those offered by Innisbrook in the past. They also have the magazine subscriptions popular with many of you. The orders will be turned in immediately for November delivery.

A Message from the Editor: Help me make this newsletter better than ever. Let's incorporate messages from our officers and monthly chairs in future issues and welcome any contributions from our members. Don't hesitate to contact me with any news or concerns.

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Reservations for meetings:

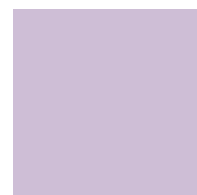
You will be contacted each month by the chair or a member of that month's committee to ascertain the number of members attending so that Victorian Square and the committee will be prepared for the meeting. Reservations deadline is **10:00 a.m. Monday** the week preceding the meeting. If you make a reservation and find that you will be unable to attend, you must cancel with the committee chair no later than 10:00 a.m. **Monday** morning one week prior to the meeting. Anyone making a reservation and not canceling by the appointed time will be billed for the meal as Rockwood BPW is responsible for payment for the number of reservations submitted. [The buffet meal includes all drinks, etc.] Members will pay at the meeting. The treasurer will give Victorian Square total payment.

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