



AUGUST & SEPTEMBER

I just returned from IC in Chattanooga, TN. What a great Convention.....Thank you IC President Rhea Weaver for a fun week.

Congratulations are in order for our own Oklahoma 2nd VP/Educ. Dir. On placing first on her Maie Wells Educational Book entry. GOOD JOB DEB HUGHES!!!

Also **Congratulations** to Ramona Paine of Epsilon Beta and Sharon McGuire of Delta Kappa for placing in the Top Ten State Educational entries at IC. Woohoo!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

At our State Council meeting in **August**, I gave a brief review of the July PJ educational on “POP’s and I presented a pop bottle pin to our State President Bunnie Sullins and a pop lid pin to our guest speaker, B.J. Clark. 6 lucky ladies received different bottles of Root Beer. The specialty being “Route 66 Root Beer” which had the famous Round Barn photo on the side of the bottle.

I passed out an interesting educational on Ozarka Bottled Water located in Oklahoma City.

My **category** for **August** was on diary products. I presented a really fun educational on the Blue Bell Ice Cream company located in Broken Arrow. I placed the Blue Bell hat on my head as

I gave the history of the Blue Bell Ice Cream company. Two ladies won items I purchased from the Blue Bell retail shop in Broken Arrow. They were ice cream candles.

On the morning of August 11, I traveled to Kingfisher to interview the owner of “Christian Cheese”. His story was so interesting, so I purchased several kinds of cheese he made. That evening I presented this educational to the Beta Zeta Chapter in Oklahoma City. Each member tasted two kinds of cheese. The third kind of cheese was given as a door prize. What a fun night!!

On August 28, I set up the District IV Field Trip to Braum’s Dairy near Tuttle. We had a nice size group and the tour was very, very educational. Most enjoyed watching the workers fill cartons of ice cream and how sterile clean the work areas were. At the end of our tour, we were given ice cream bars to eat. LOVE that Braum’s Ice Cream.

Afterwards, our group stopped for lunch. Can you guess where? BRAUM’s.....

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Recipes:

TULSA JAIL HOUSE CHILI

- 1 ½ to 2 lbs. ground beef
- 1 medium onion, chopped
- 2 #3 cans kidney beans
- 2 (15 oz) cans tomato sauce
- 1 ½ qts. water
- 2 bay leaves
- ¼ cup chili powder
- ½ t. garlic salt
- ½ t. onion powder
- ½ t. oregano
- ½ t. crushed red pepper
- 3 t. salt
- 2 t. black pepper
- ½ t. onion salt
- ½ t. cayenne pepper

Brown ground beef; drain well on paper towels. Place in large pan; add remaining ingredients. Cook for 3 hours over medium to low heat. Makes a grease-free dish. May be frozen for future use. Yield: 16 servings.

KINGFISHER EGGPLANT-CLAM CASSEROLE

- 1 medium-sized eggplant
- 1 egg
- Milk
- 1 ½ c. cracker crumbs
- 1 (7 ½ oz) can minced clams & juice
- Salt and pepper to taste
- Buttered bread crumbs

Peel and cube eggplant. Steam until tender; drain well. Beat egg in measuring cup; add milk to make 1 cup liquid. Mix all ingredients except bread crumbs together in large bowl. Place in buttered baking dish; top with bread crumbs. Bake for 30 minutes at 350 degrees. Yield: 6 servings.

OKEMAH PORK CHOP PIE

- 3 large onions
- 3 large apples
- 6 T. vegetable oil
- 6 pork chops

Peel and slice onions and apples; place 1 layer onions, 1 layer apples and 3 T. brown sugar in 8 x 8 inch or larger pan; arrange pork chops on top. Repeat layers with remaining onions, apples and brown sugar. Cover. Bake at 350 degrees for 2 hours. Yield: 4-6 servings.

LADIES – Hope you enjoyed your summer. Now is the time to plan and implement your educationals for 2008-2009. If I can be of assistance, please email, mail or call me.

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SEPTEMBER

Category – Baked Goods

On September 2, two of my chapter members accompanied me to visit the Beta Psi Chapter in Clinton. I presented my educational on the “Shawnee Milling Company.” The Chapter really enjoyed learning so much about all the products they make. I put together a gift bag of products from Shawnee Milling and drew a name. Joy Agan won the bag of products. The chapter even sent an article and photo to their local newspaper of which they mailed me a copy. What a fun evening!!!!

District III had their Leadership in Tulsa and my educational was in the form of a handout on “El Sueno Gardens”. They grow all types of spices, tomatoes, vegetables and they bake with these products as well as make salsas. We sampled for lunch their breads and salsa.

District II held their Leadership meeting in Kingfisher. My educational was on Ken’s Bakery and the educational was in the form of a handout, with my explaining I had baked two of their cobblers of which we enjoyed for dessert after lunch. I explained how much they enjoyed organizations selling their products as a fundraiser.

Note: As a matter of fact, my chapter Kappa Theta of Guthrie did sell their tubs of cookie dough as a fundraiser.

The cobblers were awesome!!!!

I traveled to Muskogee for the District V Leadership meeting. I presented an educational on “Stratford’s Little Jelly Factory” and gave two jars of their jelly as door prizes.

District IV held their Leadership meeting in Lawton. I gave an educational on “Kalico Kitchen”. They bake all kinds of products and I used one of their gift baskets filled with cookies as a door prize. I also gave an educational workshop.

CHAPTER EDUCATIONAL CHAIRS

As soon as you have completed each educational for your chapter, send me a copy while it is fresh on your mind. If you do not have a computer, it’s okay to hand print or write the educational form.

If you need an educational form, just look at our easy website: www.oklaesa.org Look for the option that says forms, click on it. Then look for educational forms. Click on it and you are there!!!!

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