

DISTRICT 27-D2 NEWSLETTER

September 2010

Message from the Affiliate District President Myrna Kelly:

Greetings from District 27-D2,

As fall approaches my husband, PDG Mike, will be enjoying his favorite season. He loves to go to South Dakota pheasant hunting and deer hunting in Wisconsin. I'm glad he is healthy enough to continue to hunt. I have many books that need reading and ladies that I want to take to lunch, so we're both happy.

One of my goals for this year is to stabilize the Lioness membership in 27-D2 as well as to encourage the membership chair persons to become more creative and active in attracting new members. Remember, October is membership month and we need to jump start our membership. Every club should plan on doing some activity during October to increase membership. Membership growth is a key component to a healthy club. Could everyone bring one guest to the October meeting? Make the effort. Explain to prospective members how much we do for our communities. If we don't make the effort, nothing will change. Good luck!! Every new member can make a positive difference in our clubs. Remember my motto from Helen Keller, "Alone we can do so little. Together we can do so much."

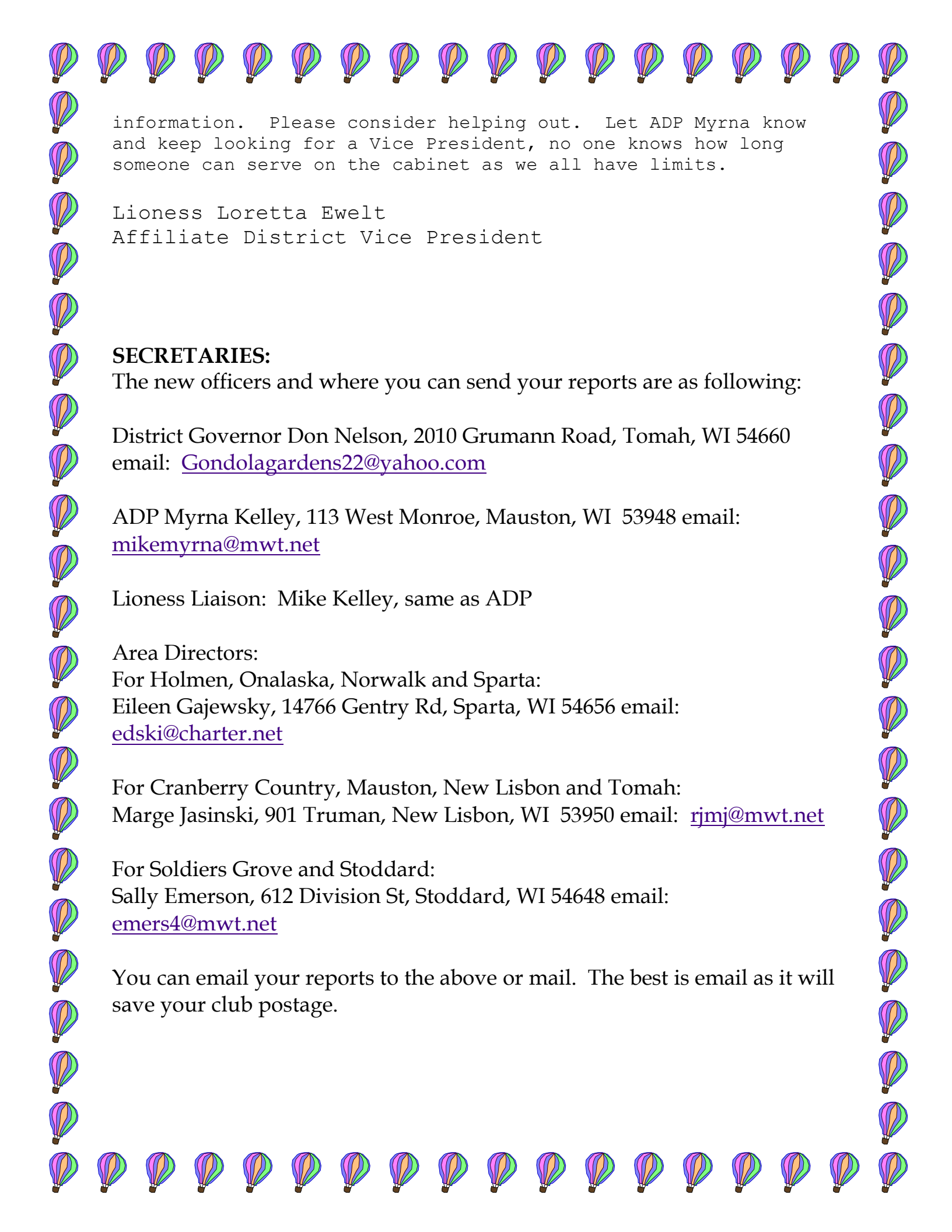
As we continue into the 2010-2011 year we realize how Lioness and Lions clubs have become so much less competitive and so much more collaborative. Good for us!! We all make a real difference and improve our communities. Let's keep reaching out to each other for the good of those less fortunate.

Finally, I would like to congratulate all the Lioness for having an active and rewarding summer. Keep up the great job that you're doing.

ADP Myrna Kelley

DISTRICT VICE-
PRESIDENT

I have been trying real hard to think of Lioness who would serve on the District Cabinet. We are looking for a Child Abuse Prevention Chairperson. Responsibility of coming to cabinet meetings and holding the 50/50 raffle at District Convention. There are many web sites out there where you can get ideas and



information. Please consider helping out. Let ADP Myrna know and keep looking for a Vice President, no one knows how long someone can serve on the cabinet as we all have limits.

Lioness Loretta Ewelt
Affiliate District Vice President

SECRETARIES:

The new officers and where you can send your reports are as following:

District Governor Don Nelson, 2010 Grumann Road, Tomah, WI 54660
email: Gondolagardens22@yahoo.com

ADP Myrna Kelley, 113 West Monroe, Mauston, WI 53948 email:
mikemyrna@mwt.net

Lioness Liaison: Mike Kelley, same as ADP

Area Directors:

For Holmen, Onalaska, Norwalk and Sparta:

Eileen Gajewsky, 14766 Gentry Rd, Sparta, WI 54656 email:
edski@charter.net

For Cranberry Country, Mauston, New Lisbon and Tomah:

Marge Jasinski, 901 Truman, New Lisbon, WI 53950 email: rjmj@mwt.net

For Soldiers Grove and Stoddard:

Sally Emerson, 612 Division St, Stoddard, WI 54648 email:
emers4@mwt.net

You can email your reports to the above or mail. The best is email as it will save your club postage.



The State Advisory Committee has put out new items that can be ordered, see the following:

Schwaab, Inc., maker of quality stamping products have developed a line of stamps at special pricing for our Lioness that individuals, or clubs, may find useful. From return address stamps (with the Lioness logo) to bank endorsement stamps (making club treasurer's lives easier!) to holiday greetings for dressing up those letters or envelopes...and more!

Lioness members may place orders by downloading and printing off the order form from the Wisconsin Lioness website, then filling it out and mailing it to Schwaab. Simply go to: www.wisconsinlioness.org and click on the RESOURCES tab. The Order form is on the right-hand column and looks like this:

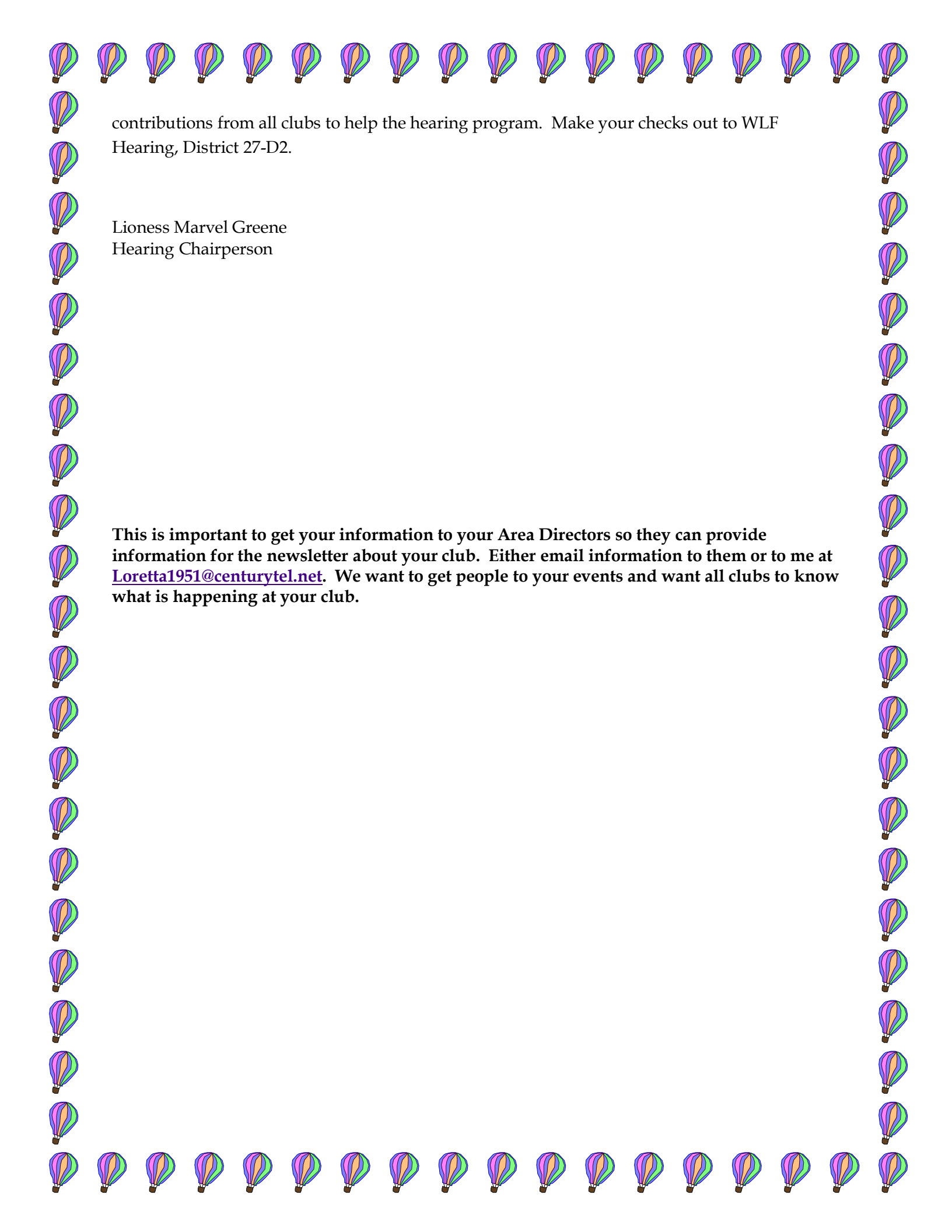
2010 Schwaab Stamper Order Form
NEW!! Schwaab, Inc., makers of quality stamping products, has a line of return address, bank endorsement, holiday greeting (and more) stampers for Lioness!

If you have questions about product availability or an order you want to place, you can contact Sales Rep. Mike Holcomb at Schwaab {414-777-7977 ext. 388}.

Please share this information with your Club officers and Lioness members.

TREASURER'S: Lioness Karen will be sending out the billings for the District dues as well as the State Advisory assessment. Dues are \$5.00 per member, and membership as of 1 Jul 2010. State Advisory assessment is \$15.00 for 15 members or less and \$20.00 for 16 members or more. Both amounts can be included in one check and sent to Lioness Patty Overturf, 24768 Mallard Road, Sparta, WI 54656. Dues are due by 1 December 2010.

HEARING CHAIRPERSON: Lioness Marvel Greene reported that there have been nine (9) applications received. 1 was denied, 1 is pending and 7 were given the okay to proceed. District 27-D2 has \$3000.00 on hand. With the 7 applications and the cost of \$600.00 per which totals to \$4200.00, not enough is in the fund. Lioness Marvel and ADP Myrna is asking for 100%



contributions from all clubs to help the hearing program. Make your checks out to WLF Hearing, District 27-D2.

Lioness Marvel Greene
Hearing Chairperson

This is important to get your information to your Area Directors so they can provide information for the newsletter about your club. Either email information to them or to me at Loretta1951@centurytel.net. We want to get people to your events and want all clubs to know what is happening at your club.