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PFRW E-Newsletter

Week of January 12, 2014 President Meryl M. Hatton Newsletter Chair Debbie Taylor



PFRW 2014 Dues

It is time for PFRW local councils to send in their 2014 dues. Local councils should submit the names of at least 10 members along with their check to PFRW, 806 N Second Street, Harrisburg, PA, 17102.

The membership list should include each member's first and last name, address, city, state, zip, phone number, email. Also, please indicate which members are officers as well as members of NFRW. Checks are made payable to PFRW.

PFRW dues are \$10 per member and NFRW dues are \$10 per member. There is a onetime service fee of \$15.00 for NFRW. Additional members can be added at any time after this initial dues payment is made.

The initial dues deadline is March 31, 2014 if you would like your council to have delegates seated at the 2014 PFRW Convention.

PFRW Board Meeting

PFRW President **Meryl M. Hatton** has issued the call for the next meeting of the PFRW Board of Directors set to be held Saturday, February 1, 2014.

The Executive Committee will meet from 11 a.m. to Noon with the full board convening at Noon. The meeting will be held at the Hershey Lodge and Convention Center, West Chocolate & University Drive, Hershey, PA. The executive committee will meet in Cocoa 6 and the full board will meet in the Cocoa Terrace.

Lunch is available for \$25.00. The menu features Grilled Chicken Breast with Pecan Bourbon Mayonnaise on Herb Roll, creamy Sweet Potato Salad and Salted Caramel Vanilla Crunch Cake for dessert. Checks made payable to PFRW should be sent to PFRW, 806 North Second Street, Harrisburg, PA 17102 by January 24, 2014.

Board members are reminded that all committee reports must be received by January 24, 2014 for duplication and inclusion in the board packet. These may be emailed to pfrw@comcast.net or sent via regular mail.

Complete board meeting details were sent to the PFRW Board of Directors and Council Presidents in December. Please check that information for hotel listings and additional board meeting details.

PFRW Member News

It is with sadness that PFRW had learned of the passing of Richard H. Smith, husband of **Madelyn Smith**, PFRW Membership Co-Chair. Richard passed away on Sunday, January 5, 2014.

Visitation will be held on Friday, January 17th from 9 to 10 AM at Calvary United Methodist Church 4700 Locust Lane Harrisburg, PA with the service to follow at 10 AM. Interment will be at Indiantown Gap National Cemetery following the service after which family and friends will return to the Church for a luncheon.

Condolences can be sent to: Madelyn Smith 4501 Oxford Road, Harrisburg, PA 17109-1613.