

Heart of Florida District

NEWSLETTER

July - August
2010



HEARTS AND HANDS
WORKING TOGETHER

President's Message



As we begin the new Sertoma year, we are excited to get started. The year began with a successful PAC I and

DLC. All clubs plan to have growth. I have already made plans to visit the Foliage, West Pasco, and WAHOO clubs

this quarter. Soon I will be off to the Convention and I will report on that in my next newsletter.

Many clubs are holding Membership Dinners during the year. That's a great way to introduce prospective members to Sertoma and what we do. If you don't have a membership dinner, you should. We can never have too many club members.

Remember don't be afraid to get those new members involved in running the club. Keep them busy with the club. Encourage them to invite new members and work on their Gem awards.

I wish to remind clubs that as they hold their award banquets during the year they need to submit their recipients of the Service to Mankind and Sertoman of the Year Awards to me. Some clubs have already had their banquets and I know we have some excellent candidates out there.

Details on how to write these up are on the Sertoma web page at:

www.sertoma.org

Congratulations to Dunnellon Sertoma Club on making their 25th Anniversary in Sertoma on March 22, 2010. Keep up the good works you do.

Debbie Spitzer

ARTICLES NEEDED

If you have pictures or news worthy information about club projects, please forward them to:

infosertoma@sertomahq.org

These will be forwarded to our editor for consideration and placement. If you would like to submit video also, that can be used in the digital issue of the Sertoman. Thanks.

Sertoma FOCUS: 2010-2011 Presidential Growth Incentives

President Lawler invites each Sertoman to "FOCUS" on Sertoma through growing and strengthening our clubs.

Each Sertoman recruiting a new member by June 30, 2011 will receive the "Sertoma FOCUS" growth pin. Clubs with a net gain of 3 or more by June 30 will receive a "Sertoma FOCUS" banner medallion.

Did you know you could be an individual member of Camp Endeavor for as little as \$25.00 per year? I'm a member, are you?

Send your check to:
Sertoma Camp Endeavor, Inc.
P.O. Box 910
Dundee, FL 33838

Ron Bochenek has worked up a *great website* for our District. He has also

helped Inverness and Beaches with their websites as well. Check them out and see what is going on at the other clubs in the District at:

www.sertomaheartofflorida.org

All the Clubs in the District can add your own information on that site and share it with the whole District.



District Happenings

July 17, 2010

Heart of Florida District PAC I and DLC

July 24, 2010

Foliages Sertoma Club, CLC, 9:30 AM at Joyce Brocker's Home

West Pasco Sertoma Club, Installation Banquet at the Ramada Inn, New Port Richey

July 29 - 31, 2010

Annual Sertoma Convention, Hyatt Regency on the Riverwalk in San Antonio, TX. Registration forms for the convention and a web link to the hotel are available on the Sertoma web site

Send me information on your events and it will be published in our District Newsletter.

Important Dates in July:

1 - Postmark date: Annual Sertoma Convention's "Early Bird" Registration Deadline

10 - Postmark date:

- Form 116: Quarterly Activities Report
- Form 117: Quarterly Dues Statement

28-29 - *Sertoma Leadership

Training

29-31 - *Annual Sertoma Convention

*All events at the Hyatt Regency, San Antonio, TX

Important Dates in August:

1 - *Sertoma Board meeting

*All events at the Hyatt Regency, San Antonio, TX

Important Dates in September:

30 - Membership changes to Headquarters by noon CT

**Got Questions? Want Answers?
Contact your District Governor!**

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For additions or deletions to the Newsletter, complaints or praises, gripes, sarcasm, Club News or Questions E-mail Dr. Robert O'Neal @ roneal12@cfl.rr.com

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