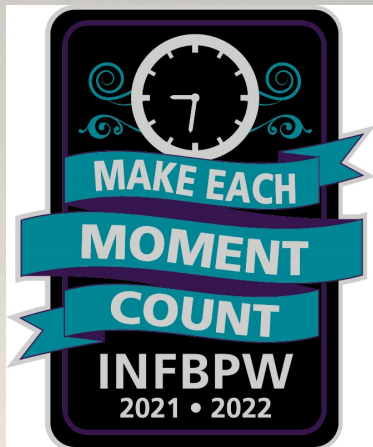


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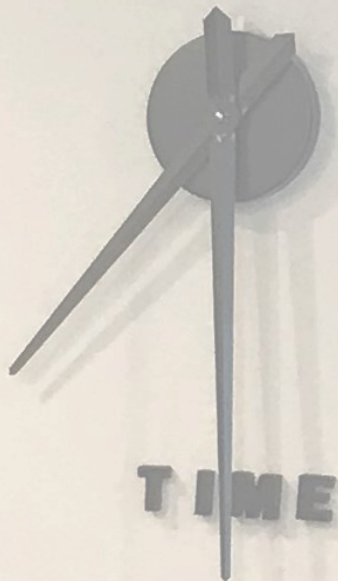
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Mark Your Calendar!

2021

October 22 & 23	Fall Conference
November	Working Women's Month
November 6	District 2 Fall Meeting (New Castle)
December 1	8th Grade Essay Due

2022

February	Teleconference Board Meeting
February	Indiana Women's Education Foundation Month
February 15	IWEF Scholarship Applications due
March	Women's History Month
March 15	Deadline for INFBPW awards
March 17	Hotel Reservation Deadline
April 1	State Convention Registration due
April 1	State Convention Reports due
April 22 & 23	State Convention

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Message from the President



It is my honor to welcome you as the INFBPW's 2021 –2022 President. I have come into this role in what is a challenging time for us all as it relates to Covid -19 and the current political climate in the United States. For over a century now, the goal of INFBPW has been to empower women to continue the fight towards equality through education, leadership, stewardship, and legislation.

My theme this year is “Make Every Moment Count.” As an Indiana federation, we have had over a hundred years of moments, where countless BPW members from all over the state, and country, seized some of those moments to invoke changes that positively impacted women at the constitutional level throughout our history. At the local levels, our BPW sisters have seized moments to positively impact women in their communities and state.

As a nation, we are now experiencing a paradigm shift. This shift is putting women on a trajectory backwards from the progress made over the past century. What is at stake are the hard fought basic rights that impact women from voting to her healthcare autonomy. This is impacting each of our BPW sisters from the urban to the rural parts of Indiana today.



As an organization, it is time to make every moment count and figure out how we want to navigate the shift in cultural and political climate that is significantly evolving what the future holds for women in the home, school, workplace, and her own body. What good is raising money for scholarships if women are dropping out of the workplace and losing opportunities? Why would a teenage female look up to INFBPW right now? Why would they want to join us in what can be, and has been in the past, a powerful movement for women's rights. How are we going to continue as a federation in today's world?

How will WE make every moment count?

Websites OF OUR ORGANIZATION!

ALSO CHECK US OUT ON FACEBOOK!!

www.infbpw.org

Please visit it and use it regularly for resources and information. There are fillable forms that can now be accessed.

www.inwomeneducation.org

The website of the Indiana Women's Education Foundation

Both websites are easier to update than ever before. Let us know what you would like to add!

Penny Sitler, INFBPW President-and WEF Trustee

INFBPW Web and Facebook Team

Theresa Adams, PSP, IWEF Secretary and Web Manager

INFBPW Fall Conference: October 22 & 23

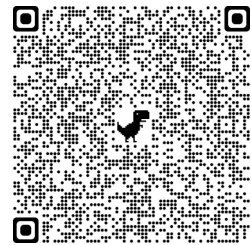
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Planning Your Trip

Be sure to register and reserve your room for Friday (22nd) and/ or Saturday (23rd) nights. In order to vote, you must check in at registration when you arrive!



**Room block rates are extended for \$144 per night
UNTIL Saturday Oct. 9th!**

About Our Hotel

****This hotel is going to also host our State Convention next April.***

To reserve your room, call 1-800-EMBASSY (1-800-362-2779) and mention INFBPW. **Our group rate is \$144 plus taxes per night.** That may sound a bit high, but every room is a 2-room suite with a sofa bed in the front room, so 3 or 4 members can easily fit in one suite.

Group code for the special rate is 'IFBP' (not BPW)

Reservations must be secured by a valid credit card.

Check-in time: 4:00 p.m. Check-out time: 11:00 a.m.

**Most suites have a king sized bed, but if you would prefer two queen-sized beds, you may request that for the same rate.*

Directions: This Embassy Suites is centrally located just off Interstate 70 at the first exit west of the airport exit. Turn right (north) at the exit and right (east) at the next stoplight.

Perry Crossing Shopping Center and the Chateau Thomas Winery are conveniently located near this hotel if you would like to check them out!

Fall Conference Registration

Registration Form (Please Print or Type)

Full Name _____ **E-mail** _____
Local Org. _____ District _____
Street Address _____ Phone _____
City/State/Zip _____ Badge Name _____

I plan to attend: _____ IN PERSON (or) _____ VIRTUAL (ZOOM) *need a good, updated email address*

Registration Fees:

IN-PERSON Full weekend package \$50.00 x _____ = _____
IN-PERSON Saturday only. \$45.00 x _____ = _____
VIRTUAL (ZOOM) (Saturday and/or Sunday \$25.00 x _____ = _____
1st timer Weekend Package (1st timer as of April, 2021) . . . \$45.00 x _____ = _____

**** REGISTRATION MUST BE PAID IN ORDER TO VOTE, WHETHER ATTENDING PHYSICALLY OR VIRTUALLY. REMOTE REGISTRANTS WILL RECEIVE THE FULL PRINTED CONVENTION PACKET, SHIPPED VIA PRIORITY MAIL.**

Meals:

Friday fundraiser \$20.00 x _____ = _____
Saturday Luncheon \$25.00 x _____ = _____
Saturday Banquet \$40.00 x _____ = _____
Saturday meal package \$60.00 x _____ = _____

***Dietary Restrictions: _____**

Total Registration Fees, Activities, and Meals \$ _____

Make your check payable to INFBPW and mail it with a completed registration form to INFBPW (C/O Amber Long), PO Box 134, Knightstown, IN 46148 **OR bring check to the INFBPW check-in station at the hotel when you arrive.**

(A \$20.00 fee will be charged for returned checks)

**** IF THE IN-PERSON EVENT IS CANCELED, ALL FEES WILL BE REFUNDED****

Volunteers NEEDED:

_____ Pages	Date/Time Available _____
_____ Federation Sales	Date/Time Available _____
_____ Doorkeepers	Date/Time Available _____
_____ Registration/Credentials	Date/Time Available _____

Convention Schedule of Events

Friday, October 22

2:00pm – 4:00 pm	Executive Committee	Janice's Suite
3:00pm – 6:00pm	Registration & Credentials	Trophy Hallway
4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Hoosier DD Meeting	Dana's Suite
4:00 pm- 6:00 pm	Girl Scout Workshop	Hadley Ballroom 1
5:00 pm– 6:45 pm	IWEF Foundation Fundraiser	Amber Suite
7:00pm - 8:00pm	Opening Business Meeting	Hadley Ballroom 1
8:15 pm — 9:30 pm	Foundation Fundraiser Dessert	Janice's Suite

Saturday, Oct. 23

8:00 am– 9:30 am	Registration & Credentials	Trophy Hallway
9:45am -	Opening Session	Hadley Ballroom 1

**** The rest of Saturday's schedule will be available at Fall Conference ****

Workshops:

Leadership Development Workshop

presented by Alice Duke Leet and Penny Sitler

Google Docs 101

presented by Carolyn Siegfried

6:00	Social hour and photos,	Lobby and patio	(Cash bar available)
6:30	Banquet	Hadley Ballroom 1	(Dinner and live auction)

Need to Know:

*Registration is required for all members attending any event as part of the INFBPW Fall Conference.

*A name badge serves as your pass to all conference activities and is given to each registrant at the registration desk. All members in good standing, who have paid the appropriate registration fee, are eligible to vote in the business sessions.

*Meals require advance purchase, which is noted on your name badge and must be visible at each event.

*Reduced registration fee is offered for first-time attendees at Fall Conference. If you have never attended a Fall Conference before, you qualify!

Fundraisers

50/50 RAFFLE

Tickets are available now from your local president. Sell tickets, at \$1.00 each or six for \$5.00, to your friends, relatives, and co-workers. The winner need not be present to win. The drawing will be held on Saturday evening, Oct. 23rd. You can also purchase 50/50 tickets at Conference.

BASKET AUCTION

This is our biggest and best fundraiser. Each local organization should bring at least two baskets to Fall Conference. The holidays are coming, therefore Halloween, Thanksgiving, and Christmas are all good themes for baskets; but anything tasteful will be appreciated. Wine always helps sell the baskets. Please attach a list of the contents with approximate value of all the items in the basket. Auction is held Saturday evening after dinner.

POUND SALE

Even if your budget doesn't include a big basket, you can bid on an item at the pound sale. See if your mystery package turns out to be candy, coins, or shredded paper. Bigger isn't always better, except when it comes to the bids. This auction is done with the main basket auction on Saturday evening.



2021 Spring Convention via ZOOM



IWEF invites you to Girl Talk

**Friday, October 23rd in the President's Suite for
Bake Potato Bar, Desserts, and Drinks**

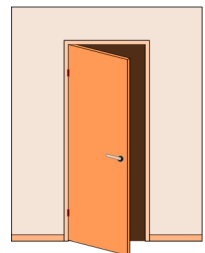
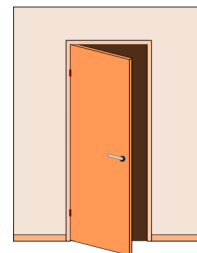
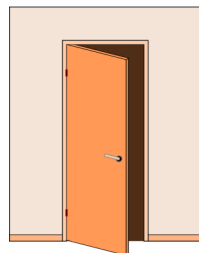
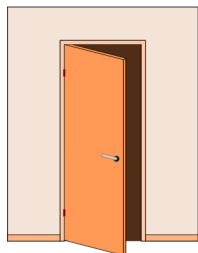
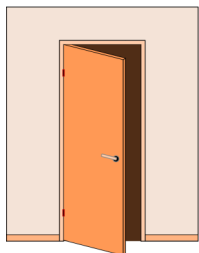
**Cost: \$20 – Proceeds will be added to the
Sue Willis, PSP Scholarship Fund**

Bingo cards will be provided to each participant. The 2 cards at the end of the evening
with the most marked squares will be awarded prizes

(If more than 2 tie, we will draw names)

Decorate Your Hotel Door!

Each room will be judged on Saturday afternoon and
announced Saturday night!





You are invited to the District 2 Fall Meeting

November 6, 2021

Henry County Arts Gallery

218 S. 15th Street

New Castle, IN 47362

Registration at 11:30 am

Meal at noon (meeting immediately following)

Luncheon Cost: \$15.00

Please RSVP by October 30th to Twilla Deaton

765-520-0389 or email tmdeaton@gmail.com

Each member is to bring a Silent Auction Item

Each organization is asked to bring 2 Door Prize items

State Foundation

State Foundation News

By Claudia R Thornburg, PSP

State Foundation Chair

This year we will again be passing the pig at our monthly meetings. This is an easy way to support IWEF and help our Locals to stay on track with their donations.

If we all do our part, maybe next year we can have applicants for all our scholarships.

I am also proud to let you know that the Sue Willis Scholarship is fully funded and will be available . The committee is working out the details. Good job to our members with all your donations to make this possible!

It is also with great sadness that I inform you that Marie Martin, PSP, has passed away. The IWEF committee voted to rename the Dr. Bertha Beazley (Marie's mother) Scholarship as the Dr. Bertha Beazley and Marie Martin Scholarship Memorial. Donations can be sent to Bonnie Mayfield, IWEF Treasurer.

Youth of Achievement Award is another function of the State Foundation. I ask that everyone keep a lookout in the newspaper and Facebook for deserving youth. Remember, this award is for Freshmen through Seniors in high school; and they are everywhere in our communities. Why not that 8th grade essay speaker we had at conference? She had plans and is working towards putting them in place. Let's put our noses to the ground and find those youth in our communities! I challenge each local to submit at least one name for this worthwhile award next year.

Let's help IWEF have sustaining scholarships to last beyond our years!



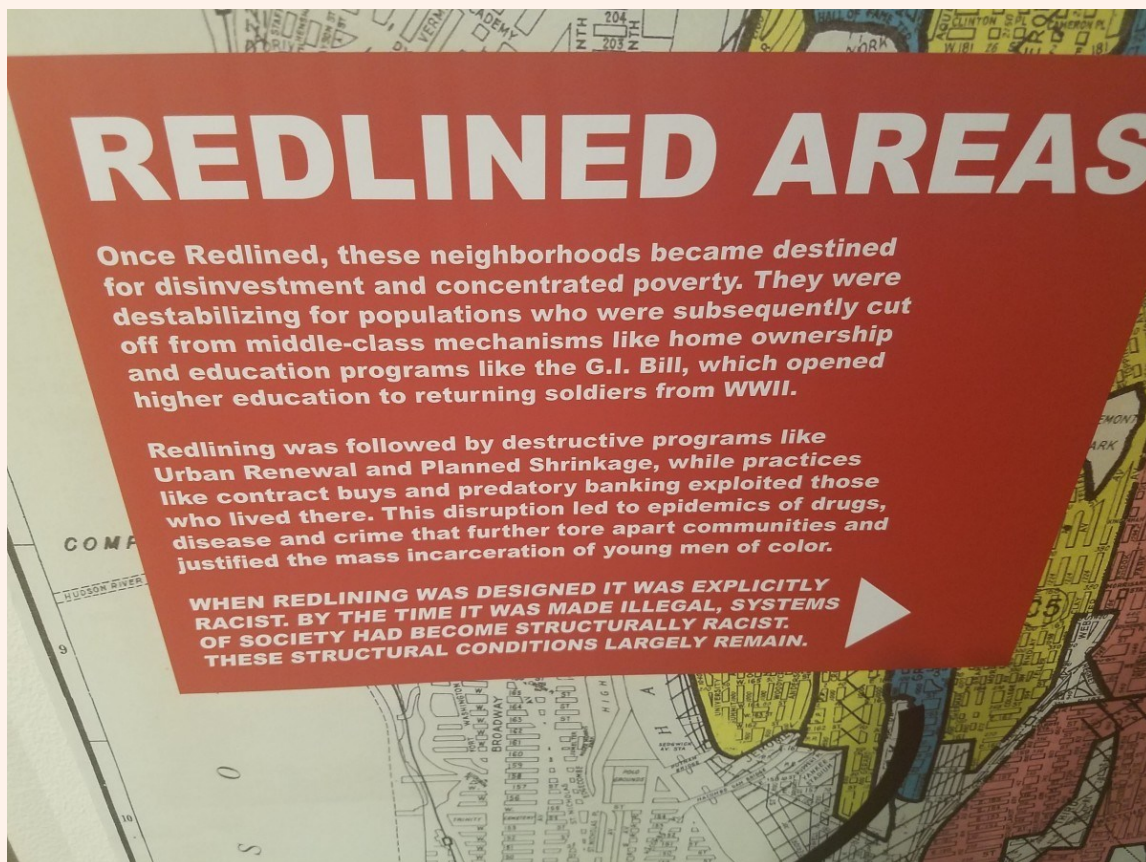
2021 LEGISLATIVE ISSUES

From Judy Zell, PSP, legislation chair:

This is not an election year, so this fall is a good time for you to get to know your candidates, especially the ones for the state legislature. Invite them to speak at your local BPW meeting, or invite them to a barbecue or similar neighborhood function. The legislature is the body which will be doing the re-districting or gerrymandering for the next 5 Congressional elections after this year's census results. Nearly one-half of our counties have lost population; and the doughnut counties, Boone, Hamilton, Hancock, and Hendricks, have been the biggest gainers. Try to attend one of the meetings which are being held around the state to learn more and express your views about re-districting.

Voters' rights, Covid-19, and the power of government officials have been the big issues so far this year at both the state and national levels. Our political parties are still terribly divided. Congress has finally agreed on a big infrastructure bill, which includes broadband internet access as well as roads and bridges. I am pleased that my new Congresswoman, Victoria Spartz, has introduced a bill which would make accounting one of the STEM subjects, because it involves similar mathematical and analytical skills.

Whatever your favorite political issues are, please contact your elected representatives and let them know your views. Every woman counts!



Parliamentarian Corner

Welcome to a new year in Business and Professional Women. Some things are new, some are good ole same. I am going to touch on three goals I have for 2021-2022.

New:

Time for ALL locals and Districts to look over, update bylaws and standing rules and Policies and procedures, and submit to me, State Parliamentarian, by November 1, 2021. Your local or district may have some things to tweak to get your local or district up to date with your district and or state bylaws. Once you have looked your bylaws over, send to me, by November 1, 2021. IF you have no changes, please send to me, by November 1, 2021. So put a big ole note on your calendar now, “Bylaws due to Theresa”.

I am asking each of you to help me meet my 2021-2022 goals also!

TWO important goals... how to make a motion and getting recognized! This is a good ole same, golden oldie. Seems like everywhere I go, we still are MOVING and not MAKING a motion.

HOW TO MAKE A MOTION 101:

Making a Motion. During a meeting, a motion is made via *three simple words*: “*I move that.*” Any member with a proposal for the group to consider – whether substantive or procedural – should simply seek recognition by the chairperson and when recognized, say, “I move that . . .” Back in the day, a past state president made such an impression on me on how to remember those three simple words. She said to think if you make a motion that... think of a car blown up in front of an used car dealership. We want to “move” because we want to move our group in the right direction.

GETTING RECOGNIZED 101:

Being recognized by the chair of the meeting. What you say is important! Raise your hand, stand. Once you are recognized by the chair, say: Madame Chair, state your name, local (if other than local meeting), then state your comment, motion, etc. You are important, your information is important, and it is important it be documented.

I know this will be a good year for you, your local, your district and your state! The next time I see you, so that I know you read this article, greet me with, “I move that I’m going to have a great year!”

Until we meet again,

Theresa Adams, PSP

INFBPW State Parliamentarian

Local Happenings

Notes from Knightstown

Hope everyone had a great summer full of fun and memories. Knightstown is meeting in person and still has ZOOM available. We invite you to join us for any of our meetings. They are the 3rd Monday of the month. We are looking forward to getting back to some normal routines! This summer we helped with a Bingo party for a fundraiser and are discussing more ideas due to our normal fundraisers being cancelled. We look forward to seeing all of our friends at the Fall Conference!

Kelly Schoenherr

Knightstown local member's Tina Williams, PSP and Carolyn Siegfried making "every moment count" at the October 2nd Women's March in front of the City-County building downtown Indianapolis.



Winchester Local

We are planning a very active year for this year. We kick off our new year with our District Director Visit with a carry-in meal. In October, we will have our Cookie Jar Booth at Mardi Gras, and later celebrate our 98th birthday with a cake and the Mayor speaking to us.

We have a variety of speakers planned for this year which includes the Tourism Director, Home Health Angels, a crafty/ recycler called Drab to Fab. Also, in the spring we have someone from the Park Department to talk about the concerts they have planned.



Hancock County – BPW Report

July 2021

Greetings!

We have been meeting in person since our April meeting. Linda Hochstetler was our representative attending the State Convention in April. In May, we had our installation of officers. Selected were Amy Kleine, as President, Dianna Andis as Vice President and Carole Stevens as secretary/treasurer. Our June meeting included a presentation of our scholarship to Emily Rollo. She shared a little about herself and her goals for the future. In July, we gathered at Linda Marie's home with a pitch in and discussed club fundraising for next year's needs. We plan to go dark in August and reconvene in September.

Respectfully submitted,

Amy Kleine



**Check out Hancock County's excellent
newsletter on the next page**

HANCOCK COUNTY BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN NEWSLETTER

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Notes from the Prez

Greetings,



Welcome Fall!

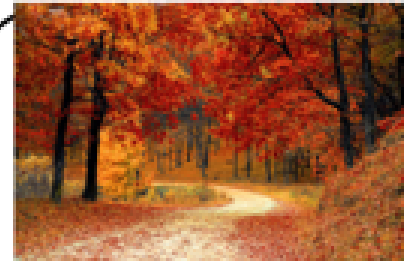
Our September meeting was held at Kinsey's Italian Café in McCordsville on September 14th. Dana Jones, our district director, shared the Indiana BPW District Handbook for 21-22. Delicious Italian food was had by all.

Our next meeting will be October 12th at 305 Wine Garage in Fortville. Networking will start at 5:30 PM with dinner at 6:00. Dinner will be chicken salad, side salad, chips, drink and small ice cream. We have no speaker so let's plan on basket building for the Fall Conference— **please bring something for the basket**. No special theme this time!! Anything goes!! **Please RSVP to me**. Please be thinking about Working Women's Month coming up in November. We need to be thinking about candidates to chose from. See you in October!

Sincerely, Amy



*"Life" is a gift to you.
The way you live your life is your
gift to those who come after.
Make it a fantastic one.*



Mark Your Calendars

Our Local meeting -

Oct. 12 Wine Garage
Bring a guest!!

INFBPW Fall Conference

Oct. 22-23
Plainfield, IN

NOVEMBER:

Working Women's Month

Nominate an Outstanding
Woman!!

Congratulations

Kellie Johnson !!

On Your Recent

Promotion at

Greenfield Banking Co.!!



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Dianna Andis

Oct 8

IN MEMORIAM

Marie J.B. Martin, PSP

October 30, 1948 - July 23, 2021

Marie Martin was born on October 30, 1948, to Bertha Elizabeth (nee Drake) and Hugh Carson Beazley in Hopkinsville, KY. Marie is survived by her son and three sisters.

Marie served as INFBPW President for the 2007-2008 year. For those who had the pleasure of meeting Marie and working with her during her active years of BPW, she will be missed. Marie was integral in creating the **Indiana Women's Education Foundation Dr. Bertha Beazley Memorial Endowed Scholarship**. The IWEF committee recently voted to rename this adding Marie's name as well.

The scholarship was established in 1995-1996 by Marie Martin, a member of the Board of Trustees, in honor of her mother, a long time member of Business and Professional Women's Organization. It is presented to a woman entering her junior or senior year in a medical field. The scholarship is only available to a female who has been an Indiana resident for at least 1 year prior to date of application with preference given to an Indiana resident attending an Indiana college or university. *See application on our IWEF website!!



Betty Mae "Bette" Lux

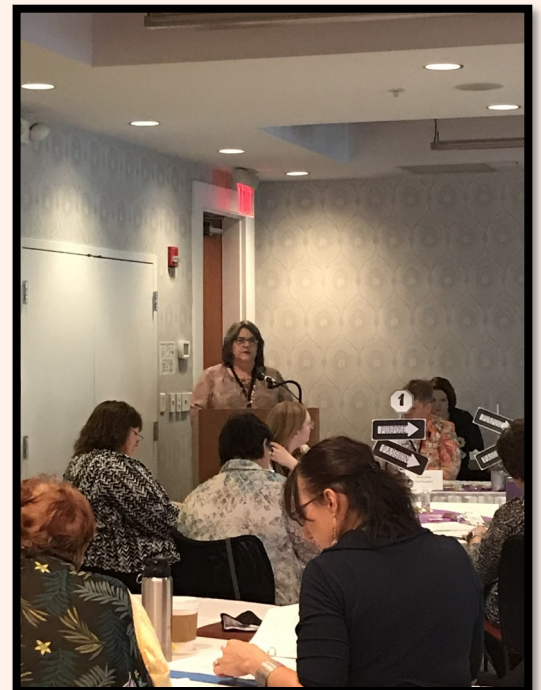
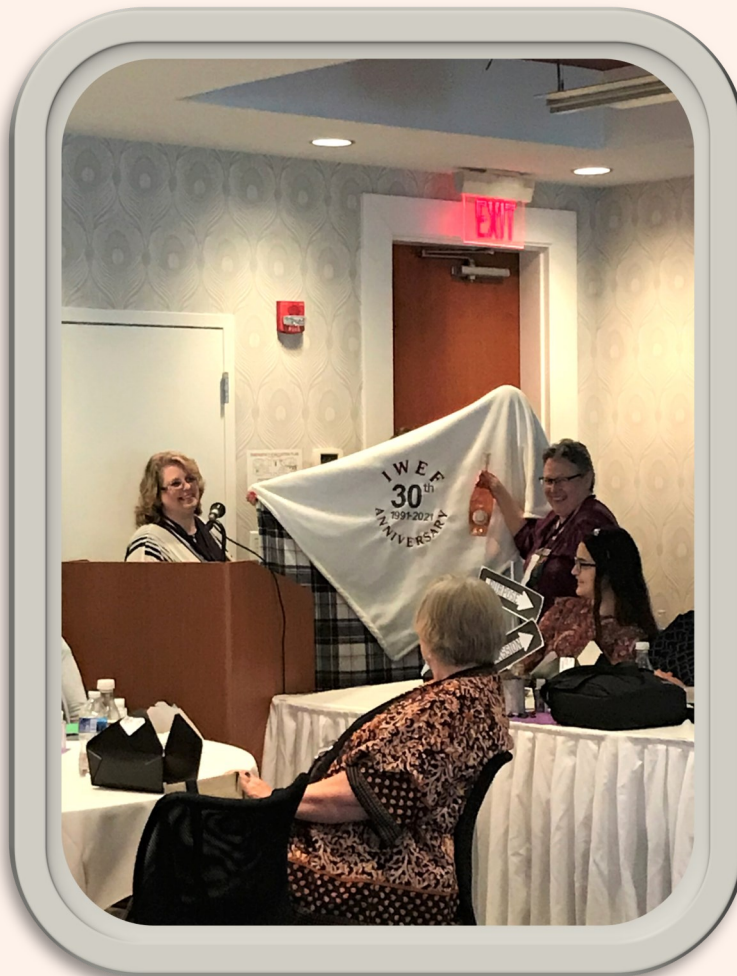
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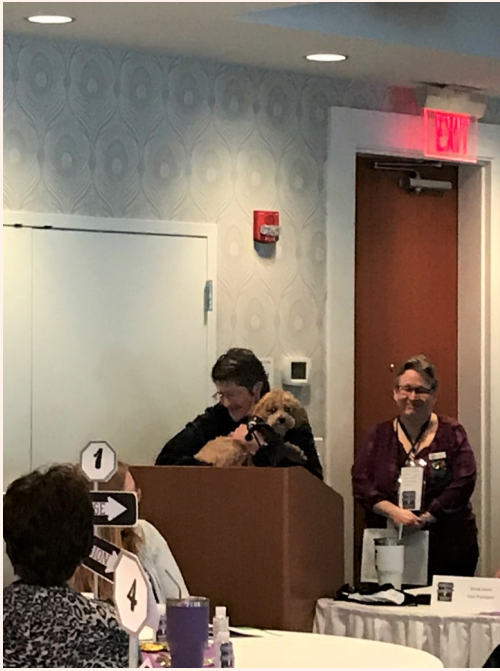
Bette graduated from St. Vincent's Elementary School and then proceeded to graduate from Waldron High School. She was a free-lance writer and photographer for 12 years, and **editor of Hoosier Business Woman, quarterly of the Indiana Federation of Business & Professional Women's Clubs from 1975-1990**. Bette wrote a history of the St. Vincent de Paul Catholic Church (Shelby County) in 1982. She created a monthly publication, in "Pathways", at St. Vincent for over 20 years. Bette was a of several organizations, including being a Lifetime member of St. Vincent's Catholic Church; Secular Oblate of Saint Benedict of Saint Meinrad Archabbey, in St. Meinrad, IN; St. Ann's Altar Society of St. Vincent's; **former member of the Shelbyville Business and Professional Women's Club**; and Member of the First Archdiocesan Pastoral Council of the Archdiocese of Indianapolis.

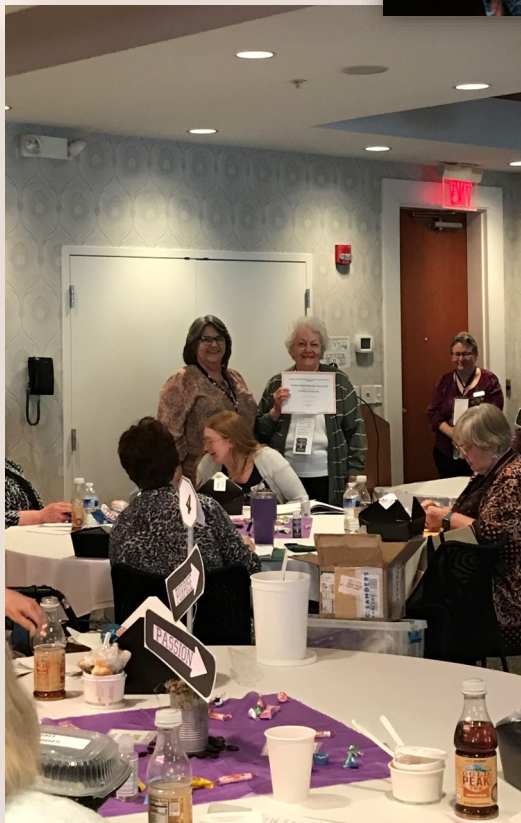
She had a passion to serve in various ministries at St. Vincent's Catholic Church; she was Eucharistic Minister for over 25 years. Bette was a Die- Hard Chicago Cubs fan since 1938 and a fan of I.U. basketball. She enjoyed writing, reading, and kept high school basketball scrapbooks, specifically of Waldron High School games. The scrapbook kept records and personal write-ups of hers from the early '40s to 1970.

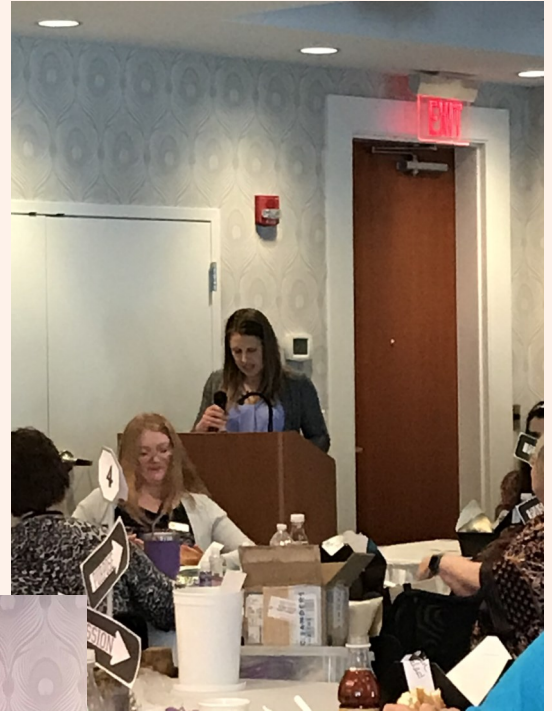
Bette is survived by several nephews, nieces, cousins, and many friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters, and eight brothers.

MOMENTS FROM SPRING CONVENTION 2021











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