

Middlesex County November Newsletter



Fall Rally Update

Fall Rally was just like planning a wedding so many details to think about but yet it was over in a day. Since it was held in western Mass, fewer members came but I believe a lot of members just had conflicts.

We did try to cut costs since it was in a hall for the first time ever and not a hotel from \$60 to \$40. I believe everyone enjoyed the day including the meal but maybe next year we will try to find a venue closer to home.

Thanks to the chapters who came to Fall Rally this year: 50 Melrose, 69 Lexington, 82 Reading, 107 Chelmsford, 327 Burlington, 478 Tewksbury

I was overwhelmed with the baskets that chapters donated. I have never seen so many in any Rally. Chapters went home with money as they took half of the proceeds from their sales.

I think it was due to MA Melrose donating 29 baskets alone. Their member Roberta Jenner dutifully donated her time and effort in making baskets every year and she passed away in August. She was actually planning on coming this year too.





RESUME WORKSHOP **SAVE the DATE******

I will be having a workshop for weight recorders and leaders (voluntary for them) on January 6th from 10-12 noon at >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>>. In early December, I plan to send out a report to your weight recorders from TOPS IMIS database showing you important details of TOPS membership information you will need to have on weight charts in order to have the resume done properly.

SRD UPDATE Theme: [TOPS Run for the Roses!](#)

**MASSACHUSETTS SRD
APRIL 17 AND 18th 2020**

CROWN PLAZA HOTEL, WOBURN



We were Boston strong for fall rally with our sports theme. So for SRD 2020, I would like each of you to reach deep down inside yourselves. Reach for your golden ring. Reach for that yellow KOPS rose! We can't wait to celebrate your success as we run the race! See you there as you cross the finish line!!

CHAPTER ANNIVERSARIES

253 BILLERICA	HAPPY 47 TH ANNIVERSARY	SEPTEMBER 27 TH
478 TEWKSBURY	HAPPY 11 TH ANNIVERSARY	OCTOBER 7 TH
397 DRACUT	HAPPY 24 TH ANNIVERSARY	November 2 nd
52 NATICK	HAPPY 55 TH ANNIVERSARY	NOVEMBER 9 TH

NEW MEMBERS

50 Melrose Marcia Conrod 8/14, Ruth Cambria Helen Harris 10/1
107 Chelmsford Ann Young-Gendreau 10/29
189 Lowell Anna Rocheville 8/16
0397 Dracut Laura Geoffroy 9/26
9032 Burlington Ali Cusack 9/26

FRIENDLY REMINDER CORRECTION

You only pay tax on purchases from the TOPS Store not memberships.

REMINDER - COORDINATORS' INFORMATION

With Rosie Smith who has retired , our new acting coordinator is:
Judy Pettit 523 North Main Street Ext. Gloversville NY 12078 .

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If you have any questions please ask your leader, then Area Captain and then we can ask our Coordinator and she will go to our new SPA Mary Mullane.

INTERNET & FACEBOOK

A tidbit from our Board regarding Social Media: "All postings on various websites and social media need to be monitored for content, appropriate language and timeliness of the information posted. Please watch what kind of information you share when presenting your programs. Use the TOPS website programs first. They are the most accredited.

Don't forget to invite your members to our FACEBOOK page for Massachusetts members. Group is called: **MASS TOPS** . Lots of inspiration, quotes, and details about upcoming events.



Best Wishes, Diane Trayah- Middlesex Area Captain

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