

The Daily Double

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Fredericksburg Area of Multiples Club

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October

Date: Wed., October 3, 2006
At MWH
Time: 7 PM Business meeting

Directions to MWH: From Rt. 3 take Rt. 1 north go to fourth light to take a left at light onto Mary Washington Blvd. Follow signs to hospital.

After the meeting we will hold our annual Silent Auction. Bring an item you wish to contribute to the Silent Auction! It's a lot of fun!!

Refreshments

Please bring an item to share as listed below:

BB Twins/Quads... ..Drinks
GG Twins... ..Salty
BG Twins/Triplets... ..Sweets

Social Welfare

We will be collecting items for the Salvation Army's stocking stuffers that they give out to needy families at Christmas. Items to be donated: socks, underwear, crayons, markers, coloring books, small toys, toothpaste, toothbrushes, pacifiers, rattles, anything small for kids aged 0-16 months. Thanks for all your help, we donated 8 backpacks!!

**Newsletter deadline:
October 19, 2007**

HAPPY FALL Y 'ALL!

**The Fall Festival is right around the corner.
It will be held on Sunday, October 7th from 2-5 p.m.**

Diana & Tracy Wheeler have graciously offered to open their home for our Fall Festival. There will be a sign up sheet at the October meeting or you can contact Ann Steimer.

We ask that everyone sign up to bring a dish, dessert, etc. Please follow the sign up with the first letter of your last name. A-F (Side dish) G-L (Salad/fruit) M-Q (appetizer) R-V (Dessert) W-Z (Drinks). Please bring chairs or a blanket. We will have a tractor/hay ride. Pumpkins will be provided for the children. There will be plenty of fun and fellowship so please bring your family and celebrate this lovely time of year!

**Diana & Tracy Wheeler's address: 7120 Courthouse Road,
Spotsylvania, VA 22553.**

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President's Note

Ladies~

I would like to thank all who helped and participated in the Fall Yard Sale! It was a huge success! I hope everyone will try to participate in our Family Fun Night evenings at CiCi's Pizza. On Sept. 27th, we made \$112.20! I will send an email to let everyone know the next date! Some of the proceeds from 5-8pm will go toward our club. We will be using these funds towards Convention 2009 that we are hosting. Speaking of convention, I really would like to stress the importance of selling your raffle tickets!!! It's an easy opportunity for us to raise money for Convention 2009.

I hope everyone enjoys the fall season coming up! It's a wonderful time of the year! Make sure to sign up for the Fall Festival and if you have a home based business, sign up for our Holiday Boutique being held at our November meeting!

Take care, Michelle

FAMOMC Officers

President... .. Michelle Patrick 899-8982
 patrix5@netzero.net
 1st VP... .. Rachel Smart.....658-0878
 2nd VP... ..Ann Steimer.....374-2390
 Secretary... ..Heather Oljey.....370-0479
 Treasurer... ..Germa Batton... .. 371-2219

Committee Chairs

Newsletter Editor... ..Michelle Patrick...899-8982
 Membership... ..Michelle Patrick...899-8982
 Webmaster... ..Stephanie Hartwig...834-4172
 Sunshine
 Honorary... ..Lisa Marsden... ..720-7692
 Prospective... ..Lisa Marsden... ..720-7692
 Packets... .. Lisa Marsden... ..720-7692
 Librarian... ..Sonja Coulon... ..372-4373
 Historian... ..Heather Oljey... ..370-0479
 Refreshments... ..Katie Poole... ..775-5754
 Scholarship... ..Stacey Broughton... ..654-5338
 Mom 's Morning Out... ..Jen Huff... ..372-4045
 Couples Night Out... ..Melinda Ashton... ..657-7666
 MAPOM Delegates
 Nanette DeLong... ..898-3128
 Leslie Smith... ..775-1378

MAPOM Alternates... ..OPEN

National Rep... ..Diana Wheeler... ..582-8188
 Stacey Broughton... ..654-5338
 Bis Sis/Lil Sis... ..Leslie Smith... ..775-1378
 Social Welfare... .. Vikki Lare... ..368-2791
 Co-chair... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390
 By Laws... ..Rachel Smart... ..658-0878
 Ways & Means... ..Tanya Vazquez... ..659-9523
 Yard Sale... ..Lisa Marsden... ..720-7692
 Silent Auction... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390
 Co-Chair... ..Melinda Ashton... ..657-7666
 T-shirts/Hats... ..Michelle Patrick... ..899-8982

Convention Sales... ..OPEN

Meals... ..Rachel Smart... ..658-0878

2nd VP Committees

 Summer Picnic... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390
 Fall Festival... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390
 Christmas Party... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390
 Easter Party... ..Ann Steimer... ..374-2390

If you are interested in chairing any of the open positions please let Stacey Broughton know! Thanks for all your participation!!



Make sure you get your raffle tickets to sell to raise money for the 2009 Convention that our club is hosting here in Fredericksburg. We ask that each member sell 20 tickets. They will be \$10.00 a piece. They will go with the nightly Virginia Pick 3, with a chance to win \$50.00 each night. If you need tickets to sell, please come to the Oct. Meeting to get them to sell. You will have until 10/31 to sell the tickets. The drawing will be for the month of Nov. 2007.

FESTIVAL OF TREES

Each year our club donates a tree or wreath for the Festival of Trees. The proceeds go to charity. Please decorate a wreath, any theme, and bring it to the November meeting. We will donate them to be purchased by the community.

If you don't have time to make one, you could always buy one and donate that. Thanks for your support for this cause!!

**Treasurer's Report
September 2007
By: Germa Batton**

INCOME:

50/50 Raffle.....	\$ 11.00
T-shirt.....	\$ 20.00
Decals.....	\$ 30.00
Deposit back from pool party.....	\$ 150.00
Yard Sale.....	\$4320.70
Dues**.....	\$ 1110.00
 Total Income:.....	 \$ 5641.70

EXPENSES:

Copies Newsletter..... (Michelle P.).....	\$ 11.83
Installation Dinner..... (Sheri Pierce).....	\$ 204.23
Cardinal Press..... (Printing Lottery Tickets).....	\$ 142.80
Hardlande Lansperry..... (Donation for gas money— sunshine).....	\$ 50.00
Yard Sale..... (Pay Out).....	\$3839.95
Check NSF.....	\$ 30.00
Lisa Marsden..... (Advertisement for Fall Yard Sale).....	\$ 20.00
 Total Expenses	 \$ 4298.82
 Checkbook Balances.....	 \$2,963.92
Cashbox.....	\$ 400.00
Ending Balance.....	\$3363.92

**Maggie Sparks, Paula Loder, Rachel Smart, Graciella Lopez, Melinda Ashton, Germa Batton, Susan Bast, Rebecca Thomas, Julia Cain, Stephanie Billingsley, Elizabeth Paitrick, Rhonda Hardesty Sipe, Ann Steimer, Jennifer Cummings, Harlande Lansperry, Jen Huff, Nanette DeLong, Wendy Perry, Maygen Green, Leslie Smith, Nicole Robinson, Heather Olje, Melody Sutton, Sherlyn Pierce, Stacey Broughton, Kim Hupp, Katie Poole, Laurie Britt, Liandra Belovarac, Angela Stephenson, Tanya Vazquez, Heather Gibson, Joy Alston, Michelle Patrick, Lisa Marsden, Karen Garrison and Roxanne Nance.

**Secretary's Report
September 2007
By: Heather Olje**

1ST VP: October meeting will be silent auction. Contact Melinda Ashton. November meeting will be a Holiday Boutique. If you own a home based business, contact Tanya Vazquez.

2ND VP: Fall Party TBD. Summer party was fun, but 60 people signed up and only 30 showed. Club pays for who signs up.

Secretary Report: Motion to approve Leslie Smith, seconded Roxanne Nance.

Treasurer Report: Motion to approve Roxanne Nance, seconded Ann Steimer.

Membership Dues: \$30.00 due now

New Business: Decorate a wreath and bring to November Meeting for Festival of Trees.

Holly Lansperry updated us on 6 mo son Jared. He has been diagnosed with neuroblastoma (a form of cancer) and is undergoing chemo therapy treatment. The board voted to donate \$50 to her family for traveling expcenses. Michelle Asimacopoulos had a gas explosion in her home caused by a lightning strike. The family is fine, but are displaced from their home.

Newsletter Deadline: September 21

Next Convention 2009 meeting: November 1st, 7:00 pm, Carlos O Kelley's Rt.3

Couples Night: Sept 14th— **Mom's night Out:** Sept 19th

Motion to adjourn meeting by: Lisa Marsden, seconded by Dianna Wheeler

October Mom's Morning Out (MMO) events:

Mom's Morning Out (kids)- Monday, October 8, 10 am (Oct. 10 rain-date)

[Duff McDuff Green Memorial Park](#)

75 James Ashby Parkway/Fredericksburg, VA 22405/370-0569

From Fredericksburg

Take Rt 3 East past Washington Square WalMart

Go approximately 2 miles; park entrance is on the right

From Route 1 & Butler Road/US-17 Intersection

Take Butler Road to Chatham Heights Road

Take Chatham Heights Road to traffic light & turn left onto Route 3 East

Go approximately 3 miles; park entrance is on the right

Mom's Morning Out- Wednesday, October 17, 8:30- 10:30 am

Starbucks

[Westwood S.C.](#) (across from Burlington Coat Factory)

2001 Plank Road

Fredericksburg, VA 22401

United States

Mom's Night Out (Moms only)- Thursday, October 25, 7:00 pm

TruLuv's

1101 Sophia Street

Fredericksburg, VA 22401

(540) 373-6500

Moms and Prospective Moms welcome to all MMO events.

Note: All Moms with multiples/siblings, Pregnant Moms, Honorary.

Also: If you have any suggestions for a Mom's Morning Out, Please Contact Jen Huff!

Member News

Happy Birthday

- Milagros Lopez... ..10/1
- Celina Vazquez... ..10/1
- Leslie Smith... ..10/3
- Jack & Caroline Broughton... ..10/4
- Bailee & Rylee Green... ..10/6
- Rafael Lopez... ..10/7
- Makayla & Austin Bast... ..10/8
- Owen & Ryan Oljey... ..10/10
- Caitlin DeLong... ..10/11
- Giovanni & Jorge Lopez... ..10/12
- Rebecca Thomas... ..10/15
- Kenneth Thomas... ..10/17
- Katie Poole... ..10/22
- Germa Batton... ..10/26
- Steven Oljey... ..10/29
- Bradley DeLong... ..10/31

FAMOMC Membership

Dues for the 2007/2008 are now due. Please send your payment of \$30.00 to:

Payable to FAMOMC and send to:
FAMOMC
10811 Hamilton's Crossing Drive
Fredericksburg, VA 22408

For more information about the club,
please call
Membership Chair Mom
Michelle Patrick @ 899-8982

In Our Prayers...

Jeff Lare has returned to Iraq. Please keep Vikki's husband and his unit, Delta Co. 116th IN BN, in your thoughts and prayers!! As well as all our service men and women who are fighting for our freedom!!!

Happy Anniversary

- Paula & Rob Loder... ..10/7
- Rhonda & Travis Sipe... ..10/7
- Susan & Rob Bast... ..10/11
- Stephanie & Matthew Hartwig... 10/15
- Katie & Bobby Poole... ..10/30

Thank You!

Germa Batton would like to thank everyone who helped her with counting tags for the Fall Yard Sale! It helped a great deal!!!

Sell Sell Sell!!!

MAKE SURE YOU SELL THOSE RAFFLE TICKETS!!!

October 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i> 7:00 pm Bus. Meeting/ Silent Auction	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>
<i>7</i> Fall Festival 2-5 p.m.	<i>8</i> MMO McDuff Park 10:00 am	<i>9</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>
<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i> MMO Starbucks 8:30-10:30	<i>18</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>
<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>25</i> MNO TruLov's 7:00	<i>26</i>	<i>27</i>
<i>28</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>31</i> Happy Halloween!			

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The Daily Double is the official publication of the Fredericksburg Area Mother of Multiples. It provides information about the club meetings and activities, as well as other articles of interest. The purpose of FAMOMC is to broaden the understanding of those aspects of child development and rearing that relate especially to multiples. The policy of FAMOMC shall be to give assistance and understanding to mothers of multiples and those responsible for the care and raising of multiples.

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