



VICKSBURG SAWA NEWS



The Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary of Vicksburg, Mississippi

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Calendar of Events

- June 8 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
Membership Meeting & Potluck Luncheon (noon)
- July 6 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
- Aug. 3 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
- Sep. 14 -- SAWA Meeting (noon)
Membership Meeting & Potluck Luncheon (noon)
- Oct. 5 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
- Nov. 2 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
- Dec. 7 - SAWA Meeting (noon)
Membership Meeting & Potluck Luncheon (noon)



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President's Message

Hello Ladies,

I hope this finds everyone glad that school is out and summer is here!

I always had mixed feelings as a parent when the school year ended. On one hand, it was a happy time because my child was excited, but on the other hand, as a working parent, it brought concerns as to what my child was going to do all summer. Thankfully, when she was younger, she spent the summer with my parents which she and they both loved. The memories they made during those summer months will be cherished forever. Then, during those glorious teenage years, the YMCA employed her at the pool and kept her busy during those idle summer months. I will forever be thankful to the Y for giving her, her first job. I hope you and your families will be able to gather together and have a safe, happy and memorable summer!

Kamace Priest

1 Samuel 12:24: But be sure to fear the Lord and serve him faithfully with all your heart; consider what great things he has done for you.



Welcome New Member

We take this opportunity to welcome new Auxiliary member Irene Parker Horton. We look forward to working with you on Auxiliary projects making a difference in the lives of others in our community.

2013 - 2015 SAWA Officers and Committee Chairmen

- Kamace Priest President (2013-15)
 - Trudy James ... 1st Vice Pres. (Membership Chair)
 - Martha Roberts ... 2nd Vice Pres. (Publicity Chair)
 - Carrie Callender Secretary
- Barbara Cashman – Treasurer (2014-15)
 - Mary Barnes/Barbara Cashman Co-Chaplains
 - Carrie Callender Nominating Committee Chair
- Patricia Wines..... Finance Committee Chair (2013-15)
- Jo Beth BrittAffairs of the Heart; Senior Angels
- Judy Monroe – 2014-15 - Soup & Sandwich Chairmen; Jacque Henley and Pat Wines, Co-Chairmen
- Martha Roberts – 2013-15 Silent Auction Chairman; Tina Grau, Co-Chairman
- LT B/Kamace Priest – Christmas Angel Tree Coordinator/Helper
- Pat Wright/Harriet Gray – Vicksburg Mall Angel Tree Coordinators
- Harriet Gray – Hospitality Com. Chair
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- Tina Grau Newsletter

June Meeting Theme: The Warmth and Beauty of God’s Love



Thank you Judy Monroe and Martha Roberts for serving as hospitality hostesses at our June Potluck Membership meeting. Their theme is the warmth and beauty of God’s love. Please bring a guest and a covered dish to share with others: main dish, salad, vegetables, rolls, desserts, or gallon iced teas are welcome.

Bible verse: Isaiah 40:8 “The grass withers and the flowers fall, but the word of our God endures forever.”

NOTE TO MEMBERS: Please bring one or more of the following items to the June meeting for Camp Hidden Lake: sunscreen spray, bug repellent spray, bandaids, and/or towelette wipes. Back-to-School items needed: quart or gallon zip lock bags, small book bags, washable markers, highlighters, and protractors. More supplies are needed but we are targeting these at this time.

Calendar of Upcoming Events

- June 1-5 *Soccer Camp (SAWA meeting moved to the June 8th)*
- June 10 - 9:00 *Applications taken for school supplies*
- June 17 - 10:30 *Back to School committee meets to decide how many supplies need to be purchased*
- July 18-19 & 24-25 *Back to School Supply Drive at Walmart*
- July 27-29 *Pack book bags*
- July 30-31 *Book bag distribution at theCitadel*



Salvation Army Office:

Mon – Fri. 9:00 – noon; 1:00 - 4:00
(office closed daily from noon - 1:00 for lunch)

Family Store (2600 Clay St.)

Hours:

Mon, Wed. – Sat 10:00 – 5:00

Help always needed here!

Phone 601-456-4092 for pickups.



Remind your neighbors that the Thrift Store NEEDS clothing, linens, household items (including working computers, TVs and electronics) & rags!

Soup and Sandwich is Set for Tuesday, Oct. 14th



Mark your calendar for our annual Soup and Sandwich, Silent Auction and Bake Sale It will be held on Tuesday, October 14 at Crawford Street United Methodist Church with set up and cooking day for Monday, October 13. We will be having a short meeting following the June SAWA meeting to begin thinking about what needs to be done, and we will be ready in August to get planning done so we will be ready for the event. Tickets will be available at the August meeting. Please be praying for a successful event. Judy Monroe

Food Distribution Center Needs Grocery Bags

Members are asked to bring their extra grocery bags to the June meeting or by The Citadel for use in distributing food. Thank you.



Kicks for Hope Soccer Camp/Vacation Bible School – Day ONE!

Captain Indrani Bhatnagar reports 50 children attended Kicks for Hope Soccer Camp and VBS on Monday, June 1st. This is more children (as well as volunteers than ever before for a first day). The following photos were shared by Lt Indrani and by Jacque Henley.



Office and Family Store Volunteers

call 601-218-8108.

Thanks to all of our office volunteers for May 2015: Gloria Naylor, Dot Steen, and any others who volunteered their time. An Office Volunteer Coordinator is needed; if you can fill this position, please contact Kamace Priest at KamaceP@Andersontully.com or

Thank you to the following Auxiliary members who volunteered in the Family Store during May: Jo Ann Burke, Rosemary Fairchild, Louise Derrington, Wanda Clark and Jacque Henley. If you volunteered and are not listed, we APPRECIATE YOUR HELP TOO! More help is always needed at the Family Store at 2600 Clay Street.

Family Store News – Volunteer Help Always Needed!

The SA Family Store needs your stuff! Furniture, household items (such as dishes, kitchen accessories, etc. – these items sell quickly), clothing, and bedding/linens are always in demand at the Family Store. Usable computers, televisions, and electronics are also welcome. NOTE: Broken electronics and wire coat hangers are no longer accepted. Garments can be in ANY condition because income is also derived from rag sales. (The value of your donation is tax deductible and a receipt will be provided by store staff.) Be sure to tell your friends and neighbors! **New phone number for pickups is 601-456-4092.** (Volunteer help always needed in the new Family Store at 2600 Clay Street – come any day except Tuesday between 10:00 and 3:00.). Drop-off donations can be made by driving around store rear to last bay and honking horn. [A donation box is also located in front of the store on the left for after-hour donations.](#) **Family Store hours are 10:00 – 5:30 Monday, Wed. – Saturday.**



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