



Kansas Sertoma District Governor's Newsletter November, 2008



Kansas Sertoma District Traveling Scroll



Dan Hejtmanek, Chairman of the Board of the Topeka Heartland Sertoma Club, presents the Kansas Sertoma District Traveling Scroll to Shannon Wright, President of the Jackson County Sertoma Club, at their recent club meeting. The Jackson County Club will now continue the scroll's travels as it delivers the scroll to another Sertoma Club in Kansas. The Heartland Club had 5 members travel to Holton and deliver the scroll, which is a district inter-club competition, to encourage clubs to visit other clubs.

Junction City Sertoma Club Pancake Feed



The Junction City Sertoma Club held their annual pancake feed on Saturday October 18th at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The Club's next major fundraiser will be the first weekend in December when it will be sponsoring, in conjunction with the Geary County Historical society, the annual Holiday Home Tour. This year's tour will celebrate Junction City's Sesquicentennial and will include several area historical homes. Tickets are available from any club member or at the Historical Society.

Golden City Membership Drive



Golden City Sertoma Club had a great turnout for their bi-annual membership drive on November 12th at the Lakewood Shelter House. Following a terrific chili supper provided by the membership, John Williams, Club President, Michelle Wilson Skinner, Club Secretary and Terry Cuthbertson, Kansas District Governor, presented information about Sertoma to the prospective members.

District Membership Report 2008 - 2009

Club Name	July '08	Nov '08	+ / -
Emporia	55	54	-1
Golden City	15	15	0
Jackson County	37	33	-4
Johnson County	30	31	1
Junction City	21	21	0
Lawrence	37	36	-1
Leavenworth County	19	19	0
Lenexa	16	14	-2
Manhattan Evening	30	29	-1
Manhattan Luncheon	29	27	-2
Miami County	2	2	0
Overland Park	15	15	0
Topeka Evening	46	42	-4
Topeka Heartland	45	40	-5
Total	397	378	-19



HAPPY THANKSGIVING!!

Please mark your calendars and make plans to attend the 2009 Sertoma Heart of America Regional Convention in Wichita Falls, TX, April 23 - 25th
Terry Cuthbertson, Kansas District Governor

District Calendar

Oct 10th	District Dues: Make the check (\$2.50/mbr/quarter) payable to Kansas Sertoma District and send it to the Kansas District Governor, Terry Cuthbertson. (Note: contact information is located in the next column). Regional Dues: (\$.25/mbr/quarter) payable to International Director Carolyn Collette. <u>Quarterly Activities Report</u> Send a copy of this report to Carolyn Collette, Terry Cuthbertson, and to Sertoma International.
Nov 15th	Manhattan Luncheon Club Biscuits & Gravy fundraiser, & indoor garage sale, 7am to noon at Portoff Hall located in Cico Park on the west side of Manhattan.
Nov 15th	IRS 990 forms are due. All clubs must submit either the EZ-990 or the 990 form.
Nov 18th	Topeka Evening Sertoma Club Membership Drive Dinner
Dec 1st	Club entries to the District Governor for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Service To Mankind • Sertoman Of the Year
Dec 6 – 7th	Junction City Sertoma Club's Annual Holiday Home Tour.
Jan 31st	Community Service Matching Grant Deadline
April 23–25th	Regional Convention – Wichita Falls, TX
May 9th	Lawrence SERTOMA 48 BBQ & Famous People's Choice Event
July 23 – 25th	Sertoma International Convention, Nashville Tennessee at the Sheraton Music City Hotel

Please feel free to submit calendar items for your club events.

Please share this newsletter with all club members!

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**SERTOMA PRESIDENT CAROL MOORE'S
GROWTH AWARD INCENTIVES
2008 – 2009**

Sertoma Members	Sertoma Clubs	Sertoma Districts
New Members	Positive Growth	Positive Growth
All members who bring in a new Member will receive a growth pin – “I Believe in Sertoma”	Each club that has a positive growth by June 30, 2009 will receive a medallion for growth.	The District with the highest net gain by June 30, 2009 will be recognized at the convention in Nashville, TN
2nd Chance GEM All requirements are the same as the regular GEM Award.	REBOC Award A medallion will be presented to each REBOC Club	The Governor from the top District will receive a traveling trophy which will be presented each year at the national convention.
Sertomans who bring in a new member will be eligible for prizes	Clubs achieving either of these growth awards will be recognized in Nashville, TN	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Name placed in drawing according to the number of new members sponsored 	Top three clubs with the highest percentage of growth will receive a LCD projector.	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Win a Digital Camera or 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Win a DVD Player or 		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Win a TV 		
The drawing will take place in Nashville, Tennessee		