



October 1, 2014

To: SED Board Members, SED Auxiliary Presidents, Guild Leaders and Volunteer Group Leaders

WOW! I would like to thank each of you for making the 2014 SED Fall Legislative and Networking Meeting a great success. I have reviewed the evaluations and they were very positive. Thank you all for your input as we work together to strengthen the SED of MAHA! We had 14 of our 17 member hospitals present and that is a great representation along with two guest hospitals represented. We are working hard to strengthen our communication so please contact us with any ideas, questions or concerns. I know all of you will have a GREAT time at the MAHA Fall Conference at Crystal Mountain, Oct. 13-15. Since I will be unable to attend due to a prior commitment, I will look forward to hearing from all of you about the sessions, networking and your great fun! Our SED President Elect, Pat Esselman and SED Counselor, Jean Backlund will be there at registration to greet you and help you with any needs or concerns. Have a great time of learning, sharing and caring!

Upcoming events to mark on your calendars:

Deadline for articles for the MAHA Highlights – SED Auxiliary Presidents, Guild Presidents and Volunteer Group Leaders please have your articles emailed to me by Monday, October 27, 2014 that will give me time to compile them and then I will forward the entire article to the MAHA Communications Editor by her deadline.

March 11, 2015 – SED Spring Workshops – Greater Grace – Detroit, MI
I have forwarded your list of ideas for workshops to our Vice President, Juanita Dickerson and I know that she will do a great job of planning this event for us.

March 17, 2015 – MHA Healthcare Advocacy Day – Lansing, MI

May 21, 2015 – SED Annual Meeting and Installation of Officers – Glen Oaks, Farmington Hills, MI

I am looking forward to visiting St. Joseph Mercy Chelsea in December and January; and Henry Ford Wyandotte in January; I would love to visit your group and hospital. Please contact me if there is a meeting or time that you would like to have me come and visit. Thank you for all you do! Thank you for giving from your heart and planting the seeds of volunteerism.

Inspire change! Lead with love, laughter and life lessons!
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