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Hello everyone,

Holiday greetings to all. I hope everyone had a great Thanksgiving. I'm sitting here listening to a recording of a song called "I Gotta Feeling" by the Black Eyed Peas. It's also the theme song of the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer 3Day Walks. As the song says, "I gotta feeling" that the coming year is going to be a great one for us all.

Thank you to Rochelle Trefry for planning the fun November meeting at Mad Potters. Don't forget to pick up your pottery and please bring your finished pieces to the Leadership Coaching Workshop on December 12. It would be fun to see how they all came out.

Don't forget to sign up for the Leadership Coaching Workshop on December 12th in Muscatine in the Stanley Consultants' Auditorium. See inside for details. I have only received a few RSVP's to date. We do have at least one person from Iowa City planning to attend.

I'm very happy to report that I returned to work December 2nd after a four month leave of absence. If I don't see you December 12th, be sure to have a wonderful, safe, happy Christmas and New Years with your family and friends.

Sincerely,
Nancy A. Shell
President

SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS

LEADERSHIP COACHING WORKSHOP

Hosted by Quad Cities/Muscatine Section
Presented by Betty Leonard, SWE Leadership Coach

DATE: December 12, 2009

TIME: 10AM – 3PM

LOCATION: Stanley Consultants, Inc.
Auditorium
225 Iowa Avenue, Muscatine, IA

TOPICS: Membership, Burnout, and
Leadership Styles

LUNCH: Provided by Elly's Tea and
Coffee House, cost \$10

RSVP: Please sign up by emailing Nancy at
shellnancy@stanleygroup.com or
MethiasMeganC@JohnDeere.com
no later than Wednesday, December 9, 2009

Photo's of the November Meeting:



Everyone concentrating hard on their projects.



Membership info:

You can join SWE on the web. Go to <http://www.swe.org/membership>. Follow the easy instructions from there to join or renew your membership. Forms can either be printed or you can join online. The Online Application for new members will take you approximately 20 minutes to fill out. Keep in mind that many companies will pay dues for professional organizations, so be sure to ask!

Once you are a SWE member, you will then be able to log into the member directory to update your registration and search for other SWE member contact information. You will be helping not only yourself, the regional organization and the national organization, but you will also be helping our section. Twenty percent of the funds comes back to our section.

SWE Portfolios for Sale:



Cost is \$10 each; they are available at meetings and through Paula Raney (RaneyPaulaJ@johndeere.com)

2010 Region H Conference
January 29-31, 2010
University of Illinois, Champaign, IL

Visit our section's
website:

[http://www.swe.org/SWE/
RegionH/Sections/Quad_
Cities/](http://www.swe.org/SWE/RegionH/Sections/Quad_Cities/)

SWE 2009-2010 Meeting Schedule*			
Date	Topic	Planner	Location
Saturday, Sept. 19, 2009	Niabi Zoo	Megan Mathis	Quad Cities
Tuesday, Oct. 27, 2009	Heinz Plant Tour	Karmen Heim	Muscatine
Tuesday, Nov. 17, 2009	Pottery	Rochelle Trefry	Quad Cities
Tuesday, Jan. 26, 2010	Self Defense/Sgt. Frances Wilson (DPD)	Paula Raney	Bettendorf Library
Tuesday, Feb. 23, 2010	HON LEED Building Tour	Brenda Murphy	Muscatine
Tuesday, March 23, 2010	Speaker - TBA		Quad Cities
Tuesday, April 27, 2010	Gardening	Nancy Shell	Muscatine
Tuesday, May 25, 2010	Family Event- Mini Golf/Pizza	Angel Jacobs	Quad Cities
*Depending on facility availability meeting topics may change.			

Help Plan at Meeting

Know of a great meeting place? Want to help plan a meeting? Please consider volunteering to help plan a meeting. There are several meetings that are in need of a meeting place and someone to coordinate them. If interested in being involved, contact Angel Jacobs at ajacobs@jacobandhefner.com for more details.