



UFDC REGION 8 NEWSLETTER

SPRING 2020

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Tryon
Treasures Doll
Club's "Show
and Tell" with
B.J.'s new
Gebruder
Heubach doll



Jackie Wynne
brought small
dolls to the
meeting. The
doll on the
left is a
vintage Ginny.

Rowan Doll Society club members put up Miss RowAnn at the library in China Grove, North Carolina. They present two library displays at different libraries per year and four displays at N.C. Doll & Toy Museum in Spencer, NC. This is another way to educate others about dolls and entice new members to the UFDC.

Hello Spring and Everyone!!!

Believe it or not, spring is just around the corner and it will be time to go to the UFDC Convention before we know it. If you have not registered, please do so right away at UFDC.org or look for the registration form in the recent DOLL NEWS magazine. Convention is a terrific way to meet and make new doll friends, learn more about dolls and to do a lot of dolly shopping.

Region 8 is full of exciting spring and summer events this year. I plan to attend as many of them as possible and I hope that you will too. We are fortunate to live in a region with active clubs and members. If you are a Member-at-Large, I highly recommend that you join one of our many regional doll clubs. There are many learning opportunities that a club situation may offer with a lot of "hands-on" learning. So many of our members are willing to share their knowledge and love of dolls.

Remember, that I am available for programs on several topics and I would love to visit your club! Please do not hesitate to invite me. I am well-traveled, and I love to meet my doll friends in person.

And finally, do not forget to invite others to join your doll club activities and the UFDC. Do not hesitate to speak about your organization with others. Many doll collectors do not know about UFDC. I was forty years old before I knew about the UFDC. Tell your social groups, church groups, garden club and others... You may be surprised and find out there is a doll collector in your other groups. Leave your extra copies of DOLL NEWS in public places too. We truly want to share the FUN!!!

kindest and warmest Spring wishes,

Billye



- If you have not been getting your DOLL NEWS magazine, PLEASE contact me and we will find out why!
- I have digital copies of the Presidents Manual, FREE for the asking! If you would like a copy emailed to you, email me.
- Do you shop Amazon.com? Did you know that you can help UFDC by shopping there? If you go to smile.amazon.com and designate UFDC as your charity of choice, then 0.5% of the purchase goes to UFDC. A REALLY easy way to donate just by doing what you normally do.
- EBAY: One of the most successful fundraising initiatives at UFDC continues to be selling doll-related items via Ebay. If you have some unappreciated doll-related items, we will turn them into cash to help support our organization. You can find the donation form on the website, UFDC.org under "Donate to UFDC."
- **Both DOLL NEWS** and all the UFDC **Regional Newsletters** are available on the UFDC website. UFDC.org. Got an upcoming regional doll related event? Please consider advertising your event in **DOLL NEWS or on the UFDC website**. Please keep your address and email current. We don't want you to miss a thing!

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 14, 2020, Triple Crown Doll Club's Show and Sale, Sharonville Convention Center, 11355 Chester Road, Sharonville, Ohio, 10 am until 3 pm, Contact Donna at 513.675.8382 or 3CrownDollshow@gmail.com.

March 28, 2020, Land O Sky Doll Club's "A Dolly's Holiday with Jumeau" at the Kenmure Country Club, Flat Rock, NC. Keynote speaker is Margaret Kincaid on "Jumeau Dolls." Morning speaker is Catherine Peterson on "Joel Ellis and Mason Taylor Dolls." Luncheon is \$85. \$305 includes special event doll "Petit Rachele" by Sandi Walker. Registrar: Linda Campbell, 240 Hatley Drive, Columbus, NC 28722.

April 4, 2020, Junior Collectors' Adventure – American Girl Kaya Doll. Discover this Native American girl's story, craft time, snacks and prizes. A tour of the NC Museum of Dolls, Toys and Miniatures will be included. 2 pm until 4 pm. \$25 Adult/child pr. Registrar: Helen Thomas, 9425 Hambright Road, Huntersville, NC 28078 or hleethomas@yahoo.com for more information.

April 18, 2020, "It's a Mod Mod World" - Celebrate the dolls of fifty years ago at the NC Doll, Toy and Miniature Museum in Spencer, NC. Program by Bradley Justice. 1 pm – 4 pm, Country Club of Salisbury, \$60 per person includes: Luncheon and program, Silent Auctions, Helpers, New Museum Exhibit, Souvenirs, and Refreshments. Sales Tables available. Contact info: NCMDTM.com

May 16, 2020, "Patterning History, A Look at the Wardrobe of the World's Most Famous Fashion Doll" by Bradley Justice to be presented at the Kentucky Doll and Toy Museum, Carlisle, KY. Second Annual Doll Lover's Luncheon and Program \$35 per person, Contact: Jan Zeigel at dollymama45@att.net.

September 26, 2020, Southern Belles Doll Club Annual Doll Show, 9 am – 3 pm (CDT) at the Cordova Community Center, 1017 N. Sanga Road, Cordova, TN 38018. Featuring a variety of dolls, toys and related items, door prizes, Handicapped Accessible, Food for purchase on site, Adults \$5, Children \$1, Under 6 Free, contact Cheryl Manard at 662.512.0189 cbmanard@aol.com.



Photo 1: Southern Belles Doll Club, "Ugly Doll" program at their January 2020 meeting. I think the dolls are cute, but I guess the old adage may be true, "Beauty is in the eye of the beholder." **Photo 2:** Christmas tree doll costumes by the East Tennessee Doll Collector's Club and **Photo 3:** "Show and Tell" at the Queen Anne's Doll Club meeting. Nancy Pearce showing the details of her SFBJ boy's uniform.

Thank you for supporting the mission!! To Chattanooga Doll Club (in memory of Phyliss Oldaker and Joyce Rogers), Ila F. Parker, Gloria Stovall and Triple Crown Doll Club, for donating to the UFDC Unity Fund. To Laurae Dunning for her sponsorship of a competitive exhibit table at convention; Grand Total \$635. And to Pat Grams for donating a bear to the Ebay project. Thank you to everyone who supports the UFDC!

Welcome to our newest members!!! [Kim Cloninger](#) (MAL) of Hendersonville, TN, [Bonnie Davis](#) (MAL) of McMinnville, TN, and [John Price](#) (MAL) of Williamston, NC. We are so happy that you are here!

71st Annual Convention Dallas, Texas
July 21–July 25, 2020. Register NOW at UFDC.org

