

July, 2011

When I began my term in July 2010, I chose as my theme, "Striving for Sweet Success". I do believe we have been successful as a BPW group. We grew in membership, always a good sign, we had some very successful events, National Business Women's week and the Style show, we had great programs, we gave generously to help several organizations, and we made great progress in updating our bylaws.

This year, I have chosen "Take Time" as my theme. Time is something we never seem to have enough of and before we know it, a whole year has flown by. Those of you with children know how quickly they grow and change, so enjoy every precious moment.

We all have to work and that takes a great deal of our time each day, but remember "All work and no play, makes for a very boring life"

The rest of our time, we have to spread, and all too thinly sometimes, between all our other activities, family, friends, volunteering and hopefully some left over for a little "down time".

I do hope you will spend your time wisely and whatever you choose to do with you, you will do to the best of your ability.

Mary Ann and Shirley did a wonderful job with our installation and I thank them for their time. I am so happy to the new officers this year for making time in their busy schedules to serve. There are still plenty of positions left on many of our committees so there is still time for you to sign up and help out.

We will be having a planning meeting on July 9<sup>th</sup>. It will be at my house and the officers will be serving "BRUNCH". We will hopefully have some fun and get to know each other better and prepare our calendar for this coming year. You will be receiving more details on this event in a few days.

Our July meeting will be on the 20<sup>th</sup>. Bronna has promised a great program. We will be back to our regular schedule in August.

I wish all of you a very Happy 4<sup>th</sup> of July (with no fireworks) and if you are traveling, be safe and try to stay cool.

Most of all, I wish you all the "TIME" you need to enjoy LIFE.

*Glenda Knox*

President 2011 – 2012

***TAKE TIME***