

## Northern Kentucky Area Extension Homemakers

### 2016-2017 Report

Northern Kentucky Homemakers have been busy this past year. Homemakers held an all day workshop on information about downsizing, retirement, long term care and insurance policies. The Boone County Water Rescue conducted presentations.

Programs were held on "Money Management", Disaster Preparedness, Computer Training Projects, and Consumer Protection and Rights.

Many Clubs adopt families for Christmas and Thanksgiving. Fleece quilts were made for Foster Children and Ronald McDonald House.

Environment hosted programs on "Feed People, Not Landfills", "Is this Recyclable" and bees in our environment.

533 people had annual physicals. We volunteered for Foodbanks, and implemented "Recipes for Life" and "Lunch & Learn".

Family & Individual gave programs on "Creating and Maintaining Family Traditions", "The History of Aprons". Homemakers support homes, families and individuals in their communities.

Over 145,000 volunteers hours were logged in the Area. Almost \$12,000 was given out in Scholarships. \$642.45 was raised for Coins for Change.

The Area supported all water programs and the Kentucky Academy Project.

98 homemakers took a trip to English Ky. 39 went on a trip to Michigan and Macinaw Island. 42 people went on a trip to North Carolina and South Caroline.

40 members were screened for Ovarian Cancer. Every County had 100% or more participation for the Ovarian Cancer Research Fund.

"Cooking Up Some Fun" theme in Carroll County reached out to youth through "Recipes for Life" Culinary Skills Program. This helped over 250 children see how

FUN it is to cook.

Money was donated to support 4-H Camp and Scholarships. Over 100 dolls were made and donated to the Military Lounge at Cincinnati Airport.

One homemaker in Boone County has made over 911 Cancer Caps.

Homemakers taught 4-H Sewing Boot Camp with 2 girls winning 1st and 2nd place at their State Meeting.

This has been a busy year for us. Leadership Training and Drug Addiction will be our focus for next year.

Northern Kentucky Area President

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