



International Outreach Collaboration



Times They Are A Changing...

Hello Ladies!

We have some exciting new changes to reveal to you at Fall Board this year.

I hope you are all able to make it, and are as excited as we are about everything we have to share with you.

I would like to take a minute to encourage all of you to think outside of the box for your International Outreach Community Service Project. Try to find a project that is not something you would normally do. For example, there is a charity that was started in my home town called *Mercy Uganda*. They have people working in the US and people working in Uganda. They work tirelessly to help the people of the towns that they are in. Some of their projects include digging wells, building desks for students, and teaching ballet classes. They are always taking donations of things to send to their workers in Uganda to pass out to the people in the towns they are living in. You can even sponsor a student to send them to school as their school system is very different from the public school system of the United States. If you would like more information on this wonderful group of people, you can visit their website at www.mercyuganda.org/. If you or your clubs have been involved with a project that you would like others to know about, please feel free to contact me and I would be happy to highlight it in my next bulletin.

See you all at Fall Board!!!

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Fall Board

Important Dates To Remember Internationally

March 8 United Nations Day for Women's Rights and International Peace

March 21 International Day for the elimination of Racial Discrimination

March 22 World Day for Water

March 24 World TBD Day

April 7 World Health Day

May 3 World Press Freedom Day

June 4 International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression

June 5 World Environment Day

June 20 World Refugee Day

August 12 International Youth Day

September 8 International Literacy Day

September 21 International Day of Peace

October 1 international Day of Older Persons

October 10 World Food Day

November 20 Universal Children's Day

December 1 World AIDS Day

December 10 Human Rights Day

Collaboration Explained

International Outreach Collaboration is designed for clubs to "think outside the box" of projects. It has been put in place to encourage clubs to find new and interesting projects on their own. Whether it be to get involved with a local international charity, provide toiletries to foreign workers passing through your local port, or sponsoring a child to go to school in a foreign country that would normally be unable to attain an education.

Below are a few links to help your club find a new and exciting project of your own.

Governmental

US Agency for International Development:

www.USAID.com

US Department of State: www.State.gov

Nongovernmental

American Field Service: www.AFS.org/USA

Doctors Without Borders:

www.doctorswithoutborders.com

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