

## Membership—August

Yes, your membership matters! Everyone is important and a vital piece of the puzzle to make our organization strive. Every member's opinion is

Let us tackle membership with a vengeance and all be 100% early in the year and then we are not scrambling at the end of year to reach our goal. I hope that you have all sent out your first due notices for the continuous members. Follow up with a phone call or a visit or invite them to the meeting.

Retaining our members and keep them involved. Stop by and visit them and ask them to attend your meeting and have them get involved. The past couple of years my auxiliary has been doing a day trip for members and it has been very well received. We make a day of it. This year we are starting out about 10:30 in the morning and doing a tour of a gardens and then following up with lunch at a cute little restaurant in a nearby town. In the afternoon we are going to a museum and the opera house. We did a day trip last year and everyone enjoyed it so much and they were asking what we would do this year. We included members that live in this town as they are unable to attend meeting but it is a perfect way to get them involved and network with our other members.

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