CHAPTER BL NEWS

September, 2021

Dear Sisters,

This newsletter will serve as a sort of regular summary of upcoming meetings and other important deadlines as well as reminders about ongoing projects. If you would like to help with the newsletter or submit information to be included, please contact Sally Miley at ssmileut@charter net.

Enjoy!



Here Comes the Bride! Jeanine Olson's daughter Caitlin on her wedding day in June.

UPCOMING EVENTS

September 25: Last day of PEO Convention. Proposed amendments to the PEO Constitution that were listed in the July/August Record will be considered. Our delegate is Idalee Dowd of Chapter CW, <u>dendowd@yahoo.com</u>. You are welcome to share your thoughts with her.

October 4: Book Club: The book is <u>Akin</u>, by Emma Donaghue, with leader Carol Lawler and hostess Ann Nelson.

October 13: Zoom Business Meeting with Mary Lou Bradstreet, Wisconsin State President*

October 27: Zoom Business Meeting with Program "Effects of Covid on our Education System", presented by Suzanne Wickizer.

OTHER IMPORTANT DATES

STAR Scholarship Nomination: President Mary Brewer asks that members forward names of possible candidates for STAR scholarships as soon as possible. The deadline for submission is October 15 and we would need to approve the nomination at our **October 13** meeting. More information can be found in Mary's recent email.

Non-Event fundraiser: The Ways and Means Committee sent Non-Event invitations to members with a request that donations to support PEO scholarships be returned by **November 15**.

NEWS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Lussier Community Education Center Library is currently in need of children's books, especially for young children. Adult books are not needed at this time. There was a very good reponse to the recent survey.

Chapter BL is participating in the upcoming Wisconsin Suite for Cottey College, which is comprised of care packages for Cottey students. We are sending our special notecards with stamps and Domino's Pizza gift cards (Domino's is the closest pizza parlor to the Cottey campus).

*Mary Lou Bradstreet's biography can be found on page 35 of the latest issue of the PEO Record (September/October 2021). She is a third generation PEO and her daughters are in the fourth generation. Mary Lou was born in

Indianapolis and is a graduate of Purdue. She now belongs to chapter DT in Franklin, WI.