

Keeper's Corner LLC

"News"

September 2013

The Top Twelve Sales for August (before discounts):

#1----\$3663.72	#5----\$1383.89	#9----\$837.40
#2----\$3176.50	#6----\$1236.63	#10---\$649.00
#3----\$2842.55	#7----\$980.90	#11---\$614.45
#4----\$1617.23	#8----\$969.73	#12---\$597.00

Sales for the month of August 2013 were \$32,488.60. This is \$3,493.92 above August of 2012 and the highest August we have had since opening. Way to go vendors.

 Welcome to our new vendors!!!  We are very happy to have you with us!  Lot's of new faces this month! Get to know some of them, they are great people!

A big SORRY but this year we will NOT be having our annual Keeper's Corner Picnic/Bar-B-Q. The month of September is going to be really busy for us and we just can't work in a date. We may try something a little later in the year so keep listening for other news.

Light bulbs in your booths???? We have been popping some fuses lately and are having a problem with too many lights plugged into the various circuits. We had an electrician in the store to do some repairs and he strongly suggested that all of our light bulbs be of the florescent type and not larger than 15 watts. **Effective September 15, 2013, all light bulbs in vendors booths must be of the florescent type and/or no larger than 15 watts. (Example: 60 watts but only uses 15 watts) Lights not meeting these requirements will be unplugged and/or turned off.**

**CALENDAR:** The calendar comes out one month in advance. PLEASE get signed up on it as soon as you can. We will no longer accommodate you as a third worker unless all other spots are full!!! If you haven't signed up by the 15<sup>th</sup> of the current month, we will be getting someone to work your shift and you will owe the \$30. That gives you about 40 days to sign up. We cannot have empty slots; the store is just too busy.

**Reminders: (for the newbies and those of you that forget!!!)**

- A no-show for your vendor time will cost you a total of \$25.00; \$15 for the shift and a \$10 no-show fee!!! If you do not call ahead you will not be allowed to re-book your time, you will need to pay the fee so I can pay whomever filled in for you
- Anniversary rent credit! 10% off your rent during your anniversary month!
- The September work calendar will be out on August 5<sup>th</sup>! Please do not sign up before that day. Staff members have to work around my schedule, so they have to sign up early
- Rent is due on the 1<sup>st</sup> of the month, payable up to the 10<sup>th</sup> and late with a \$10 late fee after that date
- A thirty day written notice is required when you are shrinking down or vacating your booth at the end of the month. The notice MUST be to us on or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the month you want to vacate. We DO NOT pro-rate at the end of your contract!
- Ask the management about the "Finder's Fee" bonus!! Earn up to \$100.00 towards your booth rent
- Please park around the corner or across the street when you are here for more than just a few minutes

**Scott's Thoughts:** Bonnie and I are going to be gone a lot in September. Our son, Mike, is getting married on September 2, 2013 in Austin, Texas and so we are gone a few days. Bonnie is serving as the national president and I on the national board, for NaFCE (National Association for Family and Community Education) and will be gone a week in September. Bonnie is then going to India for about two weeks so the month of September is really busy for us. Without the "Fabulous Five" workers (Lynda, Dana, Cathy, Paula and Billie) and the great vendors we could not make it. Thanks to everyone's wonderful help. Very sorry about not having a Keeper's Corner picnic this year, but as you can see we just can't get it worked in to the schedule.

*Great vendors and great customers... what a winning combination.*