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## BULLETIN BOARD

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Department Special Project Chairman, Becky Rowe has requested that the following information be shared with all members. Anyone planning to attend the upcoming Council of Administration meeting in Greensboro is encouraged to attend this event, and if possible to bring some of the items noted.

### **The Special Project Fundraiser is "Boot Scootin' Benefit"**

It will be set up for as a Western Social. The Commander's theme for the Friday night Hospitality Room is Western, so it seems fitting to carry that theme over to the fundraiser/social. Polish up those cowboy boots, and dust off that hat! Come prepared to have a **Boot Scootin'** good time while raising money for the Special Project. Bank tellers will be on hand to sell tickets that will be good for all three of the fundraising events.

**Event 1** - Is the Cake Walk. Purchase tickets 6 - \$5.00. Large circle of Numbers.

- ◆ Stand on your chosen Number.
- ◆ Music will start to play. Walk around the circle and make sure you are standing on a number when music stops.
- ◆ a number will be drawn. If you landed on that number...you win a cake to take home to bake.

(I believe I have enough of these donated to cover this event)

If you have told me you are bringing this item, please still plan on doing so.

**Event 2** - Sarsaparilla Straws - Purchase straws 6 - \$5.00. Inside each straw will be a slip of paper. Some paper will have a Number on it, some will have "Instant Win" printed on it, and some will be blank. If your slip has a number on it you are going to win one of the "Large Prizes", Instant Win will get a small token prize, Blank paper means "better luck next time". The winning numbers will be revealed at the end of the event.

(I still need these items donated; they should be **valued at \$25.00 or more.**) Baskets, single item, gift cards, etc.

**Event 3** - General Store - Purchase tickets 6 - \$5.00. There will be prizes displayed with a small bucket in front of each item. You drop your ticket(s) in the buckets you would like to win. All drawings will happen at the end of the event.

(I still need these items donated, they should be **valued at \$20.00 or less.**)

***This is not a White Elephant event. All items must be new / never used.***

I'm still in need of a few volunteers to help set-up and man the different stations. If you or your members want to help, ask them to bring a cowboy hat and contact me as soon as they arrive.

Help me spread the word, I will share this with District Presidents in a email. If you have questions contact me.

Thanks,  
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