Featured Program: India Literacy Project

- **Project:** Dining for Women’s collective donations will serve 61 tribal villages in India with girls’ education scholarships, job skills training, and implementation of women’s self-help groups.
- **Our Goal:** $35,000
- **Monthly Theme:** Providing education and economic and personal empowerment
- **UN Millennium Development Goal(s) Focus:**
  - #2 Achieve universal primary education
  - #3 Promote gender equality & empower women
- **Ice Breaker:** Have you ever visited or do you have any friends from India?

2011 Net Program Donations

- January, Matrichaya: $34,293
- February, PINCC: $36,698
- March, Village Enterprise Fund: $38,893
- April, Lotus Outreach: $39,761
- May, Mujeres Aliadas: $42,263
- June, Shining Hope: $36,263
- July, Emerge Global: $31,880
- August, Nurturing Minds - $29,091
- September, Fistula Foundation - $44,944 (as of 10/27)
- Total Net donations . . . $334,092.

News & Reminders

- DFW and Hyatt Regency Chicago teamed to raise awareness and support for women and girls’ causes in the developing world with a five-day, Halloween-themed “Scare Poverty Away” campaign, including a pumpkin-carving contest. Springfield, Ill chapter leader Anne Capestrain was DFW’s admirable pumpkin carver, and she garnered the third-highest number of votes. Revelers also enjoyed a special “Scare Poverty Away” cocktail—with all proceeds for DFW. The Hyatt Regency Chicago did a tremendous job posting DFW success stories and photos from our programs around the world.
- ABC Million Moms Challenge: ABC, with the United Nation’s Foundation, has launched the Millions Moms Challenge, to build an at least one-million-member-strong movement of Americans committed to helping mothers and children around the world. DFW is supporting this important project. More details on our website and at: [http://abcnews.go.com/MillionMomsChallenge](http://abcnews.go.com/MillionMomsChallenge)
- Next month’s featured program: Project Muso, Mali

New Chapters That Have Met

- MO, Parkville-1, Sieglinde C. Othmer
- PA, Easton, Christina Lincoln
- NC, Chapel Hill-3, Jacqueline Grace Uffman
- NC, Greensboro-7, Amy Clark Blalock
- FL, Coral Springs-1, Joan Fiebrandt

New Chapter Registrations

- NY, Fort Salonga-Roseann Casale-Berlenbach
- OH, Holland-Cynthia Beekley
- IA, Center Point-Kathy Lariviere
- CA, Irvine-Deborah Hirsch
- CO, Boulder-Paige Lawrence
- CA, Agoura-Julie Kassan
- NY, New York--Danielle Gubitosa
- AR, Springdale-Edna Rothwell
- BC, Mission-Fern Wainwright
- OR, Bend-Leslie Weaver
- CA, Pacific Palisades-Mary Cappelli