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Dear Inner Wheel Friends,

“Charleston-Where Friends Meet” is where we had successful Inner Wheel Conference. We celebrated the successes of the past three years. Our National service project the “Myoelectric Limbs for Children” is successful because of the guidance of our Inner Wheel Foundation. Hanger Prosthetics is changing the lives of the children they help.

We have gained many new members but we have lost members also. It is in gaining new members that each of us will make Inner Wheel stronger. In looking forward it is the new membership-the asking of a friend to join- that the service in your community will continue. It is the dedication of each Inner Wheel member that makes a difference in your city, the nation and the world. The new membership guidelines open our doors to people of service.

The new resources of leaflets and flyers are available. The IWUSA new leaflet is available to all our clubs. From the International Inner Wheel Web Site there is available material to help us with new members with brochures that can be downloaded. <http://www.internationalinnerwheel.org/leaflets.html> It is statements like “WE ARE WOMEN IN ACTION, WORKING TOGETHER TO MAKE A DIFFERENCE AND IMPROVE LIVES” that give us the confidence to ask others to join to make a difference. So we can be inspired and make new friends. Inner Wheel USA will be stronger.

In the conference business meetings a discussion of the budget and the finances lead us to increase the dues for IWUSA. We are approaching the month of May which is the time for the collection of dues in Inner Wheel USA. This is an important announcement that there was a need to increase our dues for two reasons. There was a decrease total IWUSA membership causing our insurance rates to increase. The costs of travel have increased so we have continued increased costs at the national level. **The national dues are increasing by \$3.25.**

**Our International dues are \$8.00.(No change)**

**Inner Wheel USA dues are \$11.80.**

**Inner Wheel Insurance is \$3.45**

**ADD DISTRICT AND CLUB DUES**

Our conference guests were from Mexico, Canada, France and a possible new member from Illinois. As we left the conference we took memories, ideas, new friends, goals to reach and the desire to continue to make a difference in the world. The service of every club given in friendship makes me proud. To be associated with the women of such quality who we call Inner Wheel USA is a pleasure.

In Inner Wheel Friendship,  
Donna