

# Membership Bulletin

## Summer 2011

Hello Junior Club Women! For those of you who don't know me, my name is Heather Colonna and I have been a member of a federated club since 2000. From 2000-2004 I was a founding member of the Greater Hightstown Juniorettes, where I served as Secretary (2000-2002) and President (2002-2004). In 2004 I became a member of the Junior Friday Club of Highstown (President 2009-2010) and also joined the NJ State Board! During my years on State Board I have served as Juniorette and International Chair, as well as College District Advisor. From February 2010 – February 2011 I was a member of the Contemporary Women of North County, which is a Junior Club in Escondido, CA. I am currently the President of the Princeton Area Junior Women's Club and also your new Membership guru!

### **New Member Recognition:**

Remember when you brought in a new member (or four!) and you received a pin? Did you throw yours in the junk drawer? Do you STILL proudly display yours year after year? Either way, we want to hear from YOU! Your State Board is looking for ways to recognize club women who bring in new members. Since we are "moving into the future with Juniors" it's the perfect time to get your feedback. Please email [membership@jerseyjuniors.com](mailto:membership@jerseyjuniors.com) with any ideas you might have (Be sure to tell me which club is submitting the idea). Try to keep costs low, but motivation levels high! During the fall I will choose 3-5 submissions and then have YOU, the membership, vote on how you want to be recognized. I look forward to hearing your ideas!

### **BE ON THE LOOKOUT:**

- Survey - What do you need from your State Board? How can we better serve YOU! (coming early Fall 2011)
- Recognition Contest - NOW! Submit your idea on how we can show our appreciation for those bringing in new members. The winning idea (voted on by the membership) gets a prize. (Voting in Fall 2011)
- Best Membership Practices - Tips and Tricks from clubs who have held successful membership events or who somehow continue to add a new member or two each year. Submit your clubs' BEST ideas now and I will compile them! (coming Fall Conference 2011)

**We love to hear from you! Please feel free to email [membership@jerseyjuniors.com](mailto:membership@jerseyjuniors.com) with any questions, comments, concerns, or especially – IDEAS!**

**If the Jersey Juniors work together to share ideas with one another we can *move into the future* with incredible membership gains!**