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DIETARY MANAGERS ASSOCIATION**

## ***The Crab Chatter***

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### **News from Sister Pauline M. Kelly, CDM, CFPP**

**Jeanne Jugan Residents  
Little Sisters of the Poor, Washington**

***In the latter part of September one of the DMA members e-mailed me that a Food Service Manager from Australia, Mary Whelan, Food Service Advisor, would like to come to see a nursing home in the USA, "A food service management working day". I told her we would be delighted to have her visit.***

***When Mary arrived, we took her on a tour of the kitchen and showed how the preparation for lunch took place. We then went to the dining rooms to show how the meals were served to the 100 elderly residents. Mary was interested in our preparation and***

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**how the meals were served to the 100 elderly residents. Mary was interested in our preparation and serving. She was able to enjoy lunch with our residents and talked about how they did preparation and serving in her place in Australia. After lunch she had to leave to go to her brothers home in Virginia. She would leave from there to go to Australia**

**We were happy to learn that she knew the Little Sisters of the Poor in Melbourne and knew about our Home for the Elderly there,**

**When she got home, she e-mailed me to thank us for her interesting day. Her e-mail is :**

**[Muhelan@FOODSERVICESADVISOR.COM.AU](mailto:Muhelan@FOODSERVICESADVISOR.COM.AU)**

**She would love to hear from anyone in USA who is in food service.**

**How wonderful to keep up communication with the other side of the world.**

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## **MISSION**

**THE DIETARY MANAGERS ASSOCIATION IS AN ORGANIZATION OF PROFESSIONALS DEDICATED TO  
ACHIEVING EXCELLENCE IN THE FOOD SERVICE INDUSTRY.**

## ***HELP WANTED***

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### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

*Another year almost over! Can't believe how fast the year has gone. The holidays are fast approaching and before you know it, it is all over. I hope everyone has a safe and wonderful holiday. Try to sit back and relax a little and enjoy the holidays. I know for us in foodservice, it is hard to do that. We like to make sure our residents are getting the best out of the holiday and enjoying the food that our staff is preparing. I know the residents are getting the best out of the holiday and enjoying the food our staff is preparing. I know the resident's at my facility look forward to the meals and entertainment provided. We have a Candlelight Dinner in my facility. This is a big hit every year. How about letting me know what you do in your facility over the holidays. I will have it published in the newsletter. You can fax me at 410-374-44000, e-mail me at [bhollingsworth@lvnh.com](mailto:bhollingsworth@lvnh.com) or sent it to me at 54 Carroll Street Westminster, MD 21157. I would love to hear from you.*

*Maryland DMA now has the 50th Anniversary Cookbook put together by DMA. I will bring copies to the spring meeting in April. I am not sure of the price at this time but I will find out and you can contact me. So for now I want everyone to have a great holiday season and I will see you next year.*

*Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year,  
Bonnie Hollingsworth, CDM,CFPP,DTR  
Maryland State President*

**DID YOU KNOW**.....

**DMA WILL BE CELEBRATING THEIR 50TH ANNIVERSARY IN CHICAGO IN JULY, 2010. MAKE PLANS NOW TO ATTEND.**

**JULY -8 \* HILTON CHICAGO**

**50 years - 50th Annual Meeting & Expo**

**THE LAST ISSUE HAD INFORMATION FOR PRIDE IN FOOD SERVICE WEEK  
FEBRUARY 1-5, 2010**

**LET BONNIE HOLLINGSWORTH KNOW WHAT YOU DID.**





### ***GOALS FOR 2009-2010***

- 1. Continue Vendor participation e.g.: Sponsoring Maryland DMA*
- 2. Continue to gain recognition and awareness for CFPP in Maryland.*
- 3. To retain and recruit current members of MD/Delaware and D.C. Members.*
- 4. To increase Membership by 3%.*



***Did you know that wreaths*** are one of the oldest symbols to greet visitors into someone's home? Before the birth of Jesus, the Romans placed decorative wreaths outside their doors as a sign that joy and happiness could be found inside.

After Jesus was born, different traditions evolved on what materials should be utilized to make a Christmas wreath.

Holly was initially used, since some believed the crown Jesus wore on the cross was made from it. Soon others



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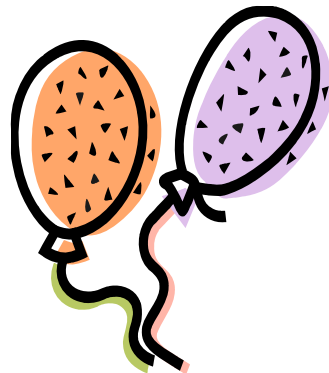
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## ***MARK YOUR CALENDAR***

**2009**

**December 3 Metro District– Masonic Home, Cockeysville, MD**

**2010**

**February 1-5 Pride in Food Service Week**

**March 1-31 National Nutrition Month**

**April 5-9 National Hunger Week**

**April Spring Workshop at Baywoods of Annapolis**

**July 4-8 50th DMA Annual Meeting and Expo –Chicago**