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Dear Northeast Region Members:

Can you believe we are just over a month away from Convention! Registrations are starting to trickle in and if you misplaced your packet, you can always find it on the ADDC website. Even though the deadline to register is not until August 31st, 2023, the earlier you send in your registration form, the better for the GAC to get an idea of how many are attending.

The credentials form (CRED-1) was sent out to the Club Presidents on July 7th, 2023, and the deadline to submit the form is Friday, September 1st, 2023. Even if your club will not be sending a Delegate/ Alternate, the form still needs returned to the Registrar Committee Chair, Keith Atkins at keith.atkins@murphyusa.com. Thank you to the Three Rivers club for getting their form turned in already!

On July 14th, the Slate of Officers for the 2024 ADDC Board was sent out to the Club Presidents. Please take a few minutes to review the candidate qualification forms and discuss at your upcoming meetings to ensure your Delegates are informed for voting at Convention.

President-Elect - Katherine Martin, Lafayette Club, Southeast Region
Secretary - Kelli Hiltbrand, Tuscarawas Valley Club, Northeast Region
Treasurer - Sue Weaver, San Antonio Club, Southeast Region

If you have any questions or concerns that you would like addressed at Convention, please let me know so that I can bring it to the Board's attention at our Pre-Convention Board Meeting. There will also be an Open Forum at Convention where any member may speak about their concerns with the Association.

The ADDC Board has been in conversation regarding bringing back membership cards and member ID numbers. Do you know how our original members' numbers were decided? I learned this last night at our board meeting and thought I would share a little history with you. The first digit in your member number stood for the region you joined. The second two digits represented your club in order of organization with ADDC. The final four digits signified the member number you represented in your club. Thanks to Val Williams for informing us! The ADDC Board is going to come up with a new numbering structure going forward to represent where we are as an organization now 😊.

Until next month,

Kelli Hiltbrand