HISTORICAL REPORT

Year 2006

President's Name Sandra McLain

Goals for the Year---1) Cooperate with life members to assist life members to be more active within the Association, 2) Recruit life members to present concurrent workshop on information for retired staff

List of Board Meetings (include winter, mid-year, pre-board, post-board and teleconferences)

Date Winter NEAFCS Board meeting, Dec 12-13, San Antonio, TX May 22-23, 2006---NEAFCS Spring Board meeting, Denver, CO October 3 – 6, 2006 NEAFCS Annual Meeting, Denver, CO

Location

List of Leadership Workshops

Feb. 1-3, 2006---JCEP Regional Leadership Workshop, Southern Region (Nashville)

Feb. 7-9, 2006---JCEP Regional Leadership Workshop, Western Region (Phoenix)

Feb. 22-24, 2006---JCEP Regional Leadership Workshop, Northeast Region,

Feb. 28 - March 2, 2006---JCEP Regional Leadership Workshop, North Central Region (St. Louis)

April 24 – 27, 2006--PILD, Washington, DC

Annual Session Information

Date: October 3-6. 2006

Location: Denver, CO.

Name of Hotel: Hyatt Denver Convention Center

Theme: Reaching New Heights

Objectives: Reaching New Heights by 1) conducting programs that show impact, 2) in funding through enhanced grants-man-ship and entrepreneurial skills, 3) through collaboration and partnerships, 4) through marketing of Extension Family and Consumer Sciences and 5) in professional and personal organizational skills.

Major Accomplishments:

We featured a registration of members attending the Annual Session. We asked what year

they started their extension career. We called this the <u>Hall of Fame Recognition</u>. This was done with registration on sheets listing employment history. We had a few that started extension employment in 1940's and 50's, (13), 1960's (35), 1970's (92), 1980's (101), 1990's, (51), and 2000 (46). They also listed behind their name what states they had served with extension employment.

Also in 2006, we started the process that the spring board meeting was held at the city and site hotel of the Annual session. This met 2 goals: 1—the board members would be able to scout the area for fun activities, sightseeing and good food/restaurants. 2) Board members could then return to their state and recruit for better attendance at the Annual Session as they could highlights fun activities and places for others to visit while they attended the annual session in their free time. Also, this gave the board members a chance to enjoy the area as many board members are committed to annual session responsibilities in the fall meeting.

List of Any First Time Events, Activities, Happenings, etc.

- 1---We held 1 preconference workshop: Sneak Preview of the All-New National Endowment for Financial Education High School Financial Planning Curriculum.
- 2—First-timers/New member orientation was held on October 3rd.
- 3—Life member informal gathering was held on October 3rd.