



Minnesota Women of Today
2020-2021 MNJOTS CIP
 State Program Manager Living
 and Learning

Melanie Chenoweth
 15730 Radium St. NW
 Ramsey, MN 55303
 763-248-6678
 ll@mnwt.org
 www.mnwt.org



Hello MNWT members!!

My name is Melanie Chenoweth and I will be your Living and Learning State Program Manager for 2020-2021. I have always been passionate about helping others improve themselves and I am eager to help you on your journey to become your best self.

I am a wife (Pat), mother (Olivia 14, Adrianna 13) and I stay home to take care of my cousin's daughter (Addisyn 2) and when there is no school her two boys (Liam 8, Caiden 5). We just moved to Ramsey this past July and are loving the area. We have a big yard with lots of mature trees. I love when I look out my window and see deer running behind my fence. I love to read, watch tv, cook and bake. I do not have one creative bone in my body but I try and I am in awe of those are creative.

I am a charter member of the Coon Rapids chapter and have been the president twice along with other positions in the chapter. I have also served at the district level as district program manager, district director and district representative.

I am excited about this new journey with Women of Today and look forward to seeing where it takes me.

Melanie Chenoweth

There are four different aspects to the living and learning state program area and they are:

Spiritual Encouraging building strong home & family life; attend a worship service or other spiritual growth activity such as meditation, learn about a religion; lead meeting invocation or benediction

Family & Friends Family nights, share family activities, create a family tradition; learn about relationship building; create a family tree or research your genealogy, traditions or holidays.

Self-Improvement Impromptu, Effective Speaking, Effective Writing competitions; Personal Enrichment Programs

Civic Learning about history; participating in civic duties such as voting, environmental awareness, other cultures

What can you find in this CIP?

- Welcome
- Calendar of events
- Fast start information
- Presidential bonus points
- Trimester challenges for your chapter and yourself

Dates That Require Your Attention

June

12-13 USWT Virtual Annual Convention

24 Webinar on Outstanding Awards

July

1 Founder's Day

15 Early Bird Renewals Due

15 Fast Start Due

25 Committee Meetings

August

3 National Night Out

15 All Renewals due POSTMARKED to CSC

16-22 Kids' Week

31 Trimester Close Out

September

2 Project of the Trimester Due

2 Outstanding PM Due

2 Trimester Progress Report Due

Certifications are another way to help you be a well-rounded person and can be completed anytime throughout the year. Activities on the forms need to be completed between May 1st 2020 and April 30th 2021. There are three different certifications that can be completed and they are found on the MNWT website: - Living & Learning - Personal Development - Health & Wellness. Everyone that completes a certification will put into a drawing for an incentive at convention. And the chapter with the most certifications will get a special incentive at convention.

First Trimester Challenges

Chapter: Complete a PEP course and send me which one you did and a review of it. Every chapter that does this will get an incentive at convention.

Individual: Pick a book from Sarah Knight, read it and write to me which book and what you thought about it. I will forewarn you that she has a potty mouth. Titles include You Do You, Get Your Sh*t Together, Calm The @\$% Down and some of them even have journals that go along with them.

Mini Challenges:

June: Move Your Body – Do you like exercising? Do you hate it? Whatever your view is I want you to pick something new to try. Tell me what you did for a chance at an incentive. I will try something too and let you know what it was and how it went.

July: Food – Try a new food, either a specific food or a new type of cuisine. Tell me what you tried and if you liked for a chance at an incentive. I will also try a new food and let you what I thought.

August: List – Make a list of 10 things that you want to do in the next five years. Send me your list for a chance at an incentive. I will share my list with you too.

Complete your fast start for an incentive! It is found on www.mnwt.org under the forms section. It is fast start, local program manager and choose living and learning under the programming area for the online version. So simple to fill out. Contact me if you need any assistance. Everyone who turns in their fast start will receive an incentive.

IMPROMPTU COMPETITION!

Join me at Fall State convention to show your speaking skills!

**LIFE IS NOT A COMPETITION.
LIFE IS ABOUT HELPING AND INSPIRING
OTHERS.
SO THAT WE CAN REACH OUR POTENTIAL.**

**Minnesota Women of Today
Presidential Bonus Points for SUCCESS
Trimester I 2020-2021**

Donation of \$50 to the State POA
25 points

AND/OR

At least 2-chapter members attend Tri I Webinar
25 points

AND/OR

Participate in the Membership VP ROAR challenge
50 points

AND/OR

Spend \$25 at State Store
Excludes Redeemed State Store Certificates
25 points

AND/OR

Donate \$25 to any of the SPM's foundations
Funds to be sent to the chapter service center
25 points

AND/OR

MAXIMUM 100 POINTS

ADDITIONAL Presidential Bonanza Bonus Points (100 points) if all of the following are submitted with your documentation

- Sales and Tax permit
- Articles of Incorporation
- Proof of Annual Registration for 2020 (a copy of the email confirmation from the MN Secretary of State)
- Proof of insurance for current year

Proof of 990 filing for the fiscal year 6/1/2019 through 5/31/2020 (a copy of email confirmation from IRS dated after 6/1/2020)