



## **PRESIDENT'S CORNER**

**July 2008**

The Executive Board has enjoyed the opportunity to meet with the new officers and we are in full swing this summer. We are so excited to begin our year with many new, exciting, and fun ideas. Our Kick off Flip-Flop Parties for the membership drive, both scheduled for August 19<sup>th</sup>, 2008, are open to all ladies, and we want to extend our friendship to our prospective members and all returning members.

The Lantana Ladies League received two outstanding awards this year. We received the DIRECTOR'S AWARD from the Denton County Children's Advocacy. LLL presented the Children's Advocacy with a check for \$10,000.

Our other award was from the Denton Independent School District and the Denton Chamber of Commerce for being the TOP ADOPTER in the ADOPT-A-SCHOOL program. We supported the E.P. Razor Elementary School by presenting them with a check for \$10,000. Ladies, be proud that we represent the Lantana Ladies League and give yourself a big hand for giving \$20,000 to our philanthropy projects this year!

Our MEETING DATES HAVE CHANGED FOR THIS YEAR! Our General Meetings will be held from September through May on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month at 7 pm. The Executive Board Meeting will be held on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of the month at 7 pm. Our meeting place will be announced in advance, so please remember to log on to *lantanaladies.org*. Also, this year we are going to be implementing a "Big Sister" program to help our new members get acquainted with how the LLL works.

Get ready for some fun events during this coming year! LLL will start with the two (2) Flip-Flop Kickoff Parties on August 19<sup>th</sup> and work our way up to wearing Stiletto's. Other exciting venues will take place, including a vendor's shopping night, a style show, and a Christmas semi-formal. And Cody and Marge have more exciting things going on for us. Also, our major fundraiser this spring is the Celebrity Golf Tournament.

I am excited for the LLL this year, and excited to have the opportunity to work with a great board and all our fantastic members during our upcoming year. Get involved and stay involved this year! Make it come to life! Can't wait to see all of you!

**Get your running shoes on!!**

**Joni Carlton**