

OLCA NEWS

Ohio Lactation Consultant Association



The President's Corner

September 2008

Madam President
Donna Walls, RN, IBCLC, RLC

Dear OLCA Members,

It is hard to believe that summer is almost over, but time marches on!

The Las Vegas ILCA conference was great. We had a wonderful Ohio showing. The speakers were wonderful with lots of new and updated information to add to our practices. We have ordered the entire set of recordings which includes all available general and breakout sessions. Expect the recordings to be received within 2-3 weeks. They will be available through the OLCA Library. You will be able to request the CD's through our Librarian, Linda Barrett, at the OLCA web site, "Contact Us".

Please mark your calendars for the next OLCA member meeting, Saturday, September 13th from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Mt. Carmel Hospital in Columbus. There will also be an educational CERP offering from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. Come, join us! Your suggestions, input, and support are needed and welcomed.

Please continue to send any information on educational opportunities to me through the "Contact Us" button on the web site. The information and contact person will be posted under the Resources tab. Many Ohio Lactation Consultants are requesting educational opportunities closer to home these days!!

We are tabulating your responses to the recent newsletter survey. Those of you who have requested an email newsletter will begin receiving electronic newsletters or a link to the newsletter soon. Our goal is to start with the next quarterly newsletter.

Remember that our new permanent address is as follows:

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Come and Join Us. OLCA needs YOU!



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OLCA Board Meeting

June 13, 2008

Present at the Meeting:

Board Members: Donna Walls, Tracy Waller, Judy McCurdy, Laura Atkinson, Susan Bash, Michelle Price, Debra Zwolinski, Liz Maseth, Dee Keith, Lynn Schwaberow.

Visiting Members: Madonna Fasimpaur, Mary Sauder-Tyler, Linda Barrett, Pat Bucknell

Absent: Jean Cooper

Minutes of November 9th board meeting reviewed and approved with corrections by members on motions by Madonna and Tracy. Corrections were as follows: *Under Old Business: Names of new L.C.'s from IBLCE not ILBECE, Under Northwest Rep. Report corrected spelling of Nancy's last name to Cohen, under Central Rep. Report initials for Human Milk Bank corrected to be HMBANA.* Under New Business type error of Denise's name corrected. Board members introduced themselves. Michele Price brought a guest who may be the next NW representative. Her name is Mary Sauder-Tyler. Madame President Donna Walls gave Past President Madonna Fasimpaur a Willow statute as a thanks for her service as OLCA President and then Past President this past year. All members present offered their thanks to Madonna for all the work she did for OLCA.

Treasurer's Report- Laura Atkinson

Breastfest Report: Profit of \$5,273.99 was seen. Expenses: Room cost was more expensive because of the suites and longer length of stay. Speakers cost up \$1,000 over last year. Total expenses were \$19,639.02. Income: Registrations \$22,292.08, plus Exhibitor fees and profit from Barnes & Nobel books. Total Income \$24,913.01. Current Balance of OLCA: \$10,000 in CD plus \$5,950.63 in checking for **total of \$15,950.63**. Scholarships and Grants: 3 of 5 scholarships have been dispersed; All Grants have been cashed by the recipients. Laura notes that mileage is currently 50.5 cents per mile. The miscellaneous expenses are up because of some organizational fees that came due this year. She stated that OLCA does have a vendor's license.

Membership Report- Pat Bucknell

Members list on Web site has been updated. Some members wanted their home email in addition to their work email. We have 215 lactation consultants. Total membership is under 300.

Area Representative Reports:

Central: Debra Zwolinski- Elizabeth Blackwell lactation services are going to be moving to the Riverside hospital. They will still have retail space but smaller. The conference rooms are also smaller. Debra discussed some of their services and how the move will affect them. States the need to see moms is there but there are not enough LC's to do the consults. Susan stated that L.C.'s from Oklahoma stated that there was 1 L.C. for every 748 moms at a level 3 hospital. Noted that there is 1.9 FTE budgeted at her hospital. Complaints have to be from the mothers on the patient side. Further states that the Elizabeth Blackwell center was the gold standard of care.

South West Report: Susan Bash- **Southview will have revisit second week in July for BFHI certification. YEAH!!**

South East Report: Jean Cooper- Jean was absent. The following report was sent to the board.

Breastfeeding Coalitions and WIC offices in the Southeast region are busy preparing for World Breastfeeding Week activities and utilizing OLCA grant money. Coshocton County Hospital received an OLCA grant for breastfeeding-friendly discharge bags, a continuation of last year's highly successful project. They have already purchased 100 bags and Sally Gartner is approaching additional companies for freebies to include in the bags. She has obtained a grant from Kiwanis for the purchase of breastmilk cooler bags to include in the diaper bags.

Monroe County WIC will use their grant for radio ads during Breastfeeding Awareness Month, as they did in 2007. Coshocton Co. WIC is planning a Baby Shower with Help Me Grow during B.A.M. with many breastfeeding supportive gifts for participants. They also hope to have a Breastfeeding Awareness walk in a park during W.B.W.

Tuscarawas Co. will again provide special gift bags for breastfeeding mothers during World Breast-feeding Week. The Ohio Valley Breastfeeding Coalition will hold their annual Breastfeeding Awareness Walk at the local mall on 8/2/08 with gifts, t-shirts, and fun for all. At this event, they will announce the recipients of the Employer Award for the most breastfeeding supportive workplace (s) in the Ohio Valley. Belmont Co. WIC will use their OLCA grant to provide slings as door prizes at their "Mom's Night Out" event during World Breastfeeding Week. A local breastfeeding mother, who is also an RN, will speak on the benefits of baby wearing.

The Ohio Valley Breastfeeding Coalition is planning their annual fall educational conference for November 1, 2008. This year's speaker is Linda Smith who will present on (1) "The Impact of Birthing Practices on Breastfeeding," (2) "Forbidden Bedfellows; Breastfeeding Babies and Their Mothers," and (3) "It's All About Money" (for LCERPS). For more information contact Jean Cooper at 740-633-4294.

North West Report: Michelle Price- Recent meetings/education offerings in the Northwest Area were reiterated. Some of them have already occurred, the following are going to happen before the next OLCA meeting.

Perinatal Region III Education Consortium Conference. Topic: "Breastfeeding: Hospital Support After Delivery Evidence-Based Guidelines." Speakers: Unknown at this time. Date: Thursday, October 16, 2008 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Location: Bellevue Hospital, Bellevue, Ohio. To register contact: Kim Rosin at 419-291-4645 or e-mail kim.rosin@promedica.org

Perinatal Region III Lactation Consultant and Breastfeeding Educator Meeting. Topic: Unknown at this time. Speaker: Unknown at this time. Date: Tuesday, November 11, 2008 12:00 – 3:30 p.m. Location: St. Charles Mercy Hospital, Oregon, Ohio. To register contact: Kim Rosin at 419-291-4645 or e-mail kim.rosin@promedica.org or go to the **** Region III Perinatal Education Consortium web-site*** <http://www.perinatalconsortium.org>.

North East Report: Lizz Maseth- Akron newspaper had article about Dr. Harriet Feick. Topic was about prematures and human milk and it was noted that she won the OLCA award for most Breastfeeding Friendly Professional. Liz will give written report for newsletter on the OLCA grant. Dr. Hale will be at St. Vincents October 10th, Elyria Memorial Hospital is looking at becoming Baby Friendly. The Lorain Breastfeeding Coalition put out a questionnaire to local businesses to see if they have a nursing room. NOLA is having a day at the Zoo August 4th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon. They are looking for sponsors. Admission cost is free if you live in Cuyahoga county. WIC from Cuyahoga and other counties will be there. Lake West is sponsoring their first NOLA meeting.

Cerps Report: September OLCA meeting will have Dr. Valentine as a speaker and Donna Walls will be the speaker in November.

Library: Linda Barrett- Linda states that several resources have been added. Planning on adding some more for about \$320 dollars. Donna could get some of them when she is at the ILCA conference.

Old Business:

Breastfest Report- Dee Keith

Denise asked for direction on vendors. States Medela hasn't paid yet and came to OLCA without a signed contract. Dee noted that monies to cover the expense of attending conferences comes out of the sales representatives personal expense account. Otherwise the Sales Representatives are their own managers. After discussion it was approved on motions by Tracy Waller and Madonna Fasimpaur that they send an invoice and certified letter to Lynda King (Medela Representative) with a certified receipt asking for payment. Dee recommends that if they do not pay by date requested they should not be allowed to exhibit at the next breastfest.

Dee states that the questions from Activia showed that 90% liked the Friday-Saturday conference. She noted that it is cheaper than a Thursday-Friday Conference. Activia did increase the cost to OLCA and we may want to pass along that cost. Tracy states that we need to have an end date for refunds and processing fees. 112 people paid on line and it cost \$2-3 extra. ½ of people used Activia to registrar. The 2009 Breastfest – Date is set, will be at same place. Rooms costs will increase by \$5. If over 12 exhibit tables we will have to pay \$15 per. Table Noted that on this last conference \$1,000 was given for Dinner on Friday night. Did discuss about having 2 days starting at 12 noon on Friday. We could use local speakers and have breakout skill sessions. No action at this time.

By Laws and P & P revisions

Board and committee attendees evaluated and assessed the Current OLCA Code of Regulations By Laws last reviewed in 2004. Secretary noted that she was unable to find where and when or by who the By Laws were approved. The same with the Policy and Procedures. Members looked at each section of the By laws and made recommendations. Dissemination will reflect the current informational pathways- email, web site. After reviewing, the Board members voted on motions by Pat Bucknell and Judy McCurdy to place the proposed By laws on the Web site for members to view. Donna will also place on the web site an announcement asking members to comment on the recommendations. Discussed the possibility that we could vote on the recommendations at the next member meeting in September. An announcement would also be placed in the August Newsletter.

Newsletter updates- Judy apologizes for the lateness of the previous newsletter. Nancy was unable to help as her husband was having cancer surgery at Mayo. Judy and Nancy thank Donna for her support and for jumping in and seeing that the newsletter was printed and mailed.

New Business: Fundraiser? Discussion took place among members regarding ways of increasing our income. After much talking it was decided that we should look into increasing the membership dues by \$5 Pat will give a report at the September meeting.

Meeting Adjourned by Madam President on motions by Judy and Michelle at 9:30 p.m.

Respectfully submitted

Judy McCurdy RN, IBCLC , OLCA Secretary



Good News!

September 2, 2008—We received some great news today. Southview Hospital in Dayton has officially received the Baby Friendly designation. We are thrilled and look forward to continuing our support of breastfeeding families.

From Donna Walls

risk mitigation strategy for all scenarios investigated.” Growth standards: 77% of developing countries have adopted the 2006 standards; implementation is progressing in countries where national standards exist. Long-term effects of BF: There growing evidence for normal nutrition during a critical period affecting development of chronic diseases and mental & physical development. Preterm / LBW: preterm birth is a direct cause of 27% of neonatal deaths. Donor milk is included in the 61st WHA resolution for the first time. Complementary feeding is emerging as a very critical area that needs LC input. An updated list of medical reasons for formula supplementation (Step 6) is in progress now; Evidence for Ten Steps is also in revision now. BFHI UK reports that BFHI is cost-neutral in about three years, including costs of training; detailed analysis in development right now. BFHI helps strengthen the continuum of care between prenatal and postnatal care. Mother-friendly birth practices: strong evidence for companion of choice; non-drug pain relief and avoidance of unnecessary interventions. Ukraine changed birth practices country-wide and from the “top down” because of the impact of birth practices on breastfeeding (!) Bedsharing / co-sleeping: Flawed research & definitions interfere with skin-to-skin and rooming-in programs. SIDS most related to smoking in pregnancy & formula feeding; most smothering is on unsafe surfaces or with non-parents. The BF dyad is different from everyone else who might sleep with a baby.

Gold 08– Health-e-Learning

By Pat Bucknell

I just “attended” an online lactation conference put on by Health-e-Learning. Health-e-Learning is the business of Denise Fisher, midwife and LC, of Brisbane Australia. I first “met” Denise online. She said that she was attending ILCA when it was in Acapulco and then was traveling in the US before going on to Europe. She said she would like to meet up with those she only knew by e-mail, so I invited her to stay with our family in Avon Lake. She took me up on it! She is a lovely, friendly, outgoing lady! And of course as mothers and LCs, we had LOTS we could talk about. I have since been receiving her monthly newsletter (FREE by going to www.health-e-learning.com).

I’m not attending ILCA in Las Vegas this year because I’m signed up for grandma/LC duty for a new grandbaby expected in late July. So when Gold 08 was advertised with many of the same presenters that will be in Las Vegas, I decided to go for it. What a great decision that was!! The conference was live May 23-25, but all sessions were recorded so you could “attend” on your computer whenever it was convenient for you, whether it was 2 pm or 2 am. The technology boggles me, but essentially the speakers were in their homes all over the world, their Power Point presentation was at Health-e-Learning, and you could hear their talk, watch the Power Point (some even had videos inserted), and they could use a pointer to emphasize something on the screen. If you “attended live” you could ask questions in the “chat room” and the speaker would answer your questions then. If you watched later and had questions for the speaker, you could e-mail the speaker at the site, and the speaker would answer sometime during the conference. Originally we had a week to listen to as many speakers as we wanted, as many times as we wanted, but the time was extended for a second week. I listened to 17 different speakers for 17.7 CERPS. Additionally there were some sessions just for expanding your world view with speakers talking about the breastfeeding culture in their countries—Norway, Rwanda, Australian Northern Territory, Singapore, Kenya. This only cost me \$180 and I didn’t have to travel anywhere. I could even attend in my jammies with a cup of cocoa!

Some of the speakers that I heard:

Mark Cregan (Hartmann’s team)—Stem Cell-like Cells in Breastmilk

Donna Geddes-Nipple Pain (including her ultrasounds of nipple compression)

Katsumi Mizuno—his study on infant respiration pre- and post-MER

Christa Herzog-Isler—babies with clefts and breastfeeding

Lars Hanson—superb!! immunological components in breastmilk

Ching Tat Lai (Hartmann’s team)—optimizing breastmilk volume when pumping, especially for a preemie

Genevieve Becker—hand expression

Marta Guoth-Gumberger—practical tips for using a supplemental feeding system

Tom Hale—epidurals and their impact on breastfeeding

I’m definitely attending again next year! Pat Bucknell



Thank You OLCA



.....For enabling the Erie/Huron County WIC Program to sponsor our First Annual “Celebrating Breast-feeding Families” gathering. The celebration was held July 26th from 1:00-4:00pm at the EHOVE complex in Milan, Ohio. Our goal was to reward the efforts of breastfeeding mothers and heighten community awareness about breastfeeding. Personal invitations were given or mailed to each breastfeeding mom on our program. Also the celebration was advertised in a local newspaper with a follow-up article soon to come. Organizations such as HMG, Easter Seals, LLL, etc. were included to allow moms to learn about other programs in the area. Moms were able to network with other moms and breastfeed together while snacking on cake, crackers and cheese, and punch. Some stayed for several hours and enjoyed the party. We had a photographer on hand who took pictures of the families. Oh, we had free chair massages too. All together we hosted sixty-one people, forty-seven adults and two sets of twins [yes, of course breastfed]. Each mom received a colorful canvas bag with a t-shirt, breast pads, lasinoh, snack cups for toddlers, a swaddling blanket and a bookmark, etc. Also due to generous donations from area businesses, nearly every mom present won a drawing for a gift. These gifts included movie tickets, a hair cut, golf tickets, a flower arrangement, Pampered Chef items, discount for a bed and breakfast and much more. OLCA was recognized by inserts placed in each bag, having the OLCA display board present and OLCA named in a news paper article which followed the event. We hope to continue this event yearly.

June Myers and Emilie Parenti, Peer Mom to Mom Helpers

This is the initial grant report on the 2008 Ohio Lactation Consultant Association Grant funds utilized to provide evidence-based breastfeeding information resources for families. Resources identified by the Akron Children’s Hospital Breastfeeding Committee including books, brochures and audiovisual programs were purchased to supplement family education provided by lactation consultants, dietitians, nurses and physicians to promote breastfeeding for well and special needs infants. Most grant-funded materials are stored in the Akron Children’s Hospital Family Resource Center, a pediatric consumer health library. Some grant-funded materials are stored in the Reinberger Family Center for use by mothers in the breastfeeding room. Books, magazines and audiovisuals are loaned for two-week periods and must be picked up at the Family Resource Center during hours of operation Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 3.p. The center is a Midwestern branch of the National Library of Medicine National Networks of Libraries of Medicine. Located next to the third-floor information desk in the hospital’s atrium lobby, the center features books and audiovisual materials on topics ranging from well-child care and parenting to acute and chronic illness, Internet searches and support group information.

The Family Resource Center will promote use of these resources through listing on the hospital web site with links to Maternal Fetal Medicine site and distribution of the resource list at professional meetings, continuing education presentations, Parent Mentor program, patient care units, Breastfeeding Classes and the Nurturing Spring Breastfeeding Mothers Support Group. These materials will supplement family education provided by our knowledgeable lactation consultants and dietitians on topics including benefits of breastfeeding, proper techniques to establish a positive breastfeeding experience, managing breastfeeding challenges, pumping, and returning to work. This project will strengthen support of the mother-baby dyad through the combined education, information and support resources available for families. Akron Children’s Hospital encountered no problems with implantation of this project.

All grant funded materials feature a bookplate recognizing the Ohio Lactation Consultant Association as the funding source. Hospital publications will also recognize Ohio Lactation Consultant Association as a financial provider for this project.

Akron Children’s Hospital, a 253-bed pediatric hospital in downtown Akron, cares for more than 400,000 patients each year in more than 30 specialty areas with pediatric care offered at more than 40 locations throughout the region. In addition, Children’s provides more than 100 advocacy, education, outreach and research programs to children and their families. Akron Children’s Hospital has earned The Gold Seal of Approval from The Joint Commission and Magnet Recognition Status from the American Nurses Credentialing Center

Respectfully,
Cheryl Libertin MS, CPNP, Patient and Family Education Coordinator

Global and National Breastfeeding News – August 2008

From Linda J. Smith, US Breastfeeding Committee and ILCA's Liaison to WHO/BFHI

USA: The 2008 Breastfeeding Report Card is now available on the CDC site http://www.cdc.gov/breastfeeding/data/report_card.htm. The national BF initiation rate is now 75.2%, the highest ever, with 23 states exceeding the HP2010 goals of 75% initiation, and 7 states meeting or exceeding the HP2010 goals at ALL points: Alaska, California, Idaho, Oregon, Utah, Vermont, and Washington. Ohio's initiation rate is 65.0%, any breastfeeding 31.5% at 6 months; 14% at 12 months. 22.9% are exclusively breastfeeding at 3 months, and 9% exclusively BF at 6 months. Since 2007, 8% more births take place in a BFHI hospital; 3.7% more IBCLCs per birth; 2.2% more state legislation protecting breastfeeding in public; 6 more states (40% increase) have legislation about breastfeeding and employment; and 7 more states have active BF coalitions. Ohio and Missouri are the only 2 remaining states without statewide coalitions.

The CDC's mPINC survey of all hospitals and birth centers in the US was released in the June 13, 2008 issue of MMWR: <http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/mm5723a1.htm>. In August 2008, mPINC benchmark reports are being provided to each facility that completed a survey, comparing the facility's subscale and total scores with the scores of all other participating facilities, other facilities in the state, and facilities of a similar size nationally. Aggregate data is being shared with state health departments to facilitate their work with birth facilities to improve breastfeeding care. Ohio's mean score of 67 out of a possible 100 indicates that Ohio hospitals are not fully supportive of breastfeeding mothers. Only 2.3% of Ohio babies are born in Baby-Friendly facilities.

The National Partnership for Women & Families is actively lobbying for workplace fairness (including during pregnancy and breastfeeding) laws. Lisa Summers and Stephanie Sterns presented an update to USBC on several congressional activities of the Partnership. For more information, contact the National Partnership for Women & Families, 202/986.2600, www.paidicksdays.org or www.nationalpartnership.org.

The FDA / CDC Infant Feeding Practices II survey is now complete. A special supplement to the October 2008 issue of Pediatrics will contain 14 special reports including "Effect of Maternity-Care Practices on Breastfeeding" and "Infant Sleeping Arrangements and Practices During the First Year of Life." Watch for this supplement!

The CDC is so busy with breastfeeding initiatives that they are recruiting a new full-time fellow to work on breastfeeding issues in a renewable position for up to three years. The Office of Personnel Management is reviewing ALL federal employment policies for breastfeeding-friendliness.

US: Rear Admiral Royall of the Office of Disease Prevention and Health Promotion addressed USBC, describing the process of developing the Healthy People 2020 goals. USBC colleagues were present at every Regional Meeting and Secretary's planning session so far, and stressed to Adm. Royall that breastfeeding affects ALL current goals, and 6 out of 9 of the WHO/UNICEF Millennium Development Goals. Go to www.healthypeople.gov to subscribe to the HP2020 list, get updates or more information.

The WIC Interim Food Package Rule comment period ends February 2010. States will implement either the new package or current one statewide starting in 2009. Donor human milk is NOT included as a special food in the Interim package. The interim final rule comment period ends on February 1, 2010. Reauthorization legislation is also in progress; send comments until October 15, 2008 to www.regulations.gov/fdmspublic/component/main?main=DocumentDetail&o=09000064805f47dd

FDA's **Center for Drug Evaluation and Research** Pediatric and Maternal staff recently published proposed changes regarding drug labeling to include use of drugs during pregnancy and lactation. The proposed Pregnancy and Lactation Labeling Rule published May 29, 2008 in Federal Register vol 73 Number 104. It is open for comment until August 27, 2008. www.fda.gov/CDER/regulatory/pregnancy_labeling/default.htm.

WHO/UNICEF

Linda Smith was invited to present two talks to WHO's meeting of BFHI National Coordinators in Industrialized Countries in Geneva in June. Over 20,000 hospitals in ~150 nations are now designated as Baby-Friendly Hospitals. WHO Assistant Director Alwan said "BFHI is an important initiative for WHO;" "Breastfeeding is the singular most important strategy for preventing child death" and "BFHI is central to achievement of the NDG for child survival, 6 out of 9 of which are directly relevant to BFHI."

Highlights: BFHI affects breastfeeding rates at 3, 6, and 9 months. There is a strong need for more published data and examples of how BFHI affects mortality & morbidity. Mothers with HIV: exclusive BF is recommended for 6 months; there is no advantage to quick weaning. Safety of Powdered formula: <http://www.who.int/foodsafety/publications/micro/pif2007/en/>. Long holding at room temperature is most risky; "rehydration with liquid of 70°C is an effective

**OLCA September 13, 2008——Member meeting starts at 10:00 a.m.
Educational session starts at 1:00 p.m. Topic is “Human Milk for Human Health
Speaker: Christina J. Valentine M.D.,M.S.,R.D.,FAAP.
Currently the Medical Advisor for The Lactation Program for Children’s
Neonatal Services and Neonatal Nutrition.**

Objectives:

The learner will be able to:

1. outline the beneficial biology of human milk
2. describe physiologic and human milk interactions
3. delineate delivery and storage, and pasteurization effects on human milk
4. overview human milk studies in the neonate

Schedule:

9:45 am Arrival Time
10:00 am Business meeting
12:00 pm Sign in for CE credit
1:00 pm Program
3:15 pm End

Location:

Mt. Carmel Medical Center
Medical Staff Building
Second Floor Meeting Room
111 Davis Street
Columbus, Ohio

Directions to Mount Carmel:

Mount Carmel West: 93 State St., Columbus Ohio 43222—Located west of downtown Columbus, just north of I-70 and west of SR315.

From I-71 traveling south: Take I-71 to I-70 west, Take Rich/Town St. exit 99C, Turn left on Town St., Turn right on Green St.

From I-71 traveling north or I-70 traveling west: Take Rich/Town St. exit 99C, Turn left on Town St., Turn right on Green St.

From I-70 traveling east: Take Broad St. exit 97 Turn left on Broad St., travel 1.5 miles then turn right on S. Davis.

Audience:

Lactation Consultants, MDs,
RNs, LPNs, RDs, LL
Leaders, and others who are
helping mothers and infants
achieve successful
breastfeeding.

Parking

There is an available parking lot on Saturday that is east of the medical staff building on Green Street. (Davis Street is only a pathway between buildings in this area. The Medical Staff Building entrance is south of the emergency vehicle entrance and north of the nursing school area. It is southwest from the parking garage and west of the Green Street outdoor parking area)

Future Meeting Dates

**OLCA Board Meeting November 7, 2008
(Location and Time To Be Announced)**

**Membership Meeting November 8, 2008
Mt. Carmel Medical Building.
Business Meeting 10 a.m. to 12 Noon
Education session, CERP offering starts at 1 p.m.
OLCA President Donna Walls will speak about the “Road to Baby Friendly”.**

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Time to renew if box is marked



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