



This month's spotlight is on

Lucy Belson

This month's spotlight loves to make you beautiful. People-loving Lucy Belson is salon manager at JC Penney in the Rushmore Mall.

"I have been a hairdresser for 36 years. I wanted a job that I could enjoy and have fun with," she said. "What other business can, you meet a lot of people from different walks of life and help each and every one of them feel good about themselves?"

Before managing the salon here, Lucy worked for private salons, owned one of her own, and leased a station. Since starting with JC Penney in 1992, Lucy has trained as a platform artist, Matrix trainer, Paul Mitchell Market trainer and Master Designer.

Lucy has also been a salon manager since 1996, starting in Flagstaff, Arizona. "I was transferred to Rapid City 18 months ago. I have won Personal Best in the salon division for three years, which is a special recognition by JCP for excellence and in the top 13 percent of salons in JCP." To put that in perspective, JC Penney has 850 salons throughout the United States.

Married for 30 years, Lucy and her husband have two sons: 29-year-old Joshua is a mechanic in Arizona and is planning on getting married next month, while 26-year-old Luke manages a strip mall in Oregon. Lucy's 5-year-old granddaughter is much closer, living in Minnesota.

Although Lucy hasn't lived in the Black Hills for long, she already enjoys the area. "My husband and I still have a lot of exploring to do," she said. "This is a great place because there is so much to do around here."

In addition to sight seeing, Lucy enjoys gardening, sports and antique shopping.

A member of Women's Network for only three months, Lucy has also enjoyed meeting many of our group's members and is looking forward to the opportunity to meet even more!



THANKS FOR THE DOOR PRIZES!

Roxie Peterson, Rushmore Travel

- + Chocolate Golf Balls, won by Fran Hatfield
- + "The World According To Mr. Rogers," won by Sharie Hance

Fay Swenson, Avon

- + Tressell Touch-On Perfume Rollette and Body Souffle, won by Kathy Cline

Fran Hatfield, Prudential Kahler Realtors

- + Floral Arrangement, won by Lisa Seidel

Jen Blake, JAB Publishing

- + IOU Coffee Cup (2), won by Elke Didio and Kay Johnson

Kathy Jones, Academic Year In America

- + Your Choice of Violet, won by Connie Forstner

Jo Prang, Medicap Pharmacy

- + Red "Goodie" Basket, won by Peggy Minter

Julia DeHaven, Tastefully Simple

- + Oh My Itty Bitty Chai (2), won by Carol Lawhun and Darlene Kramer

Betty Bonawitz, Betty's Flowers Candy Too!

- + Mini Vase Rooter, won by Kayte Halstead

Margie Rosario, Imagination Station

- + 1 Free Week Camp Session AM or PM only, won by Heather Morijah

Lisa Seidel, Gifts By Dakota Expressions

- + Flower Can Cookies, won by Marie Updike
- + Bird House Cookies, won by Kathy Paulsen

Deanna Forman

- + Planner/Address Book, won by Julia DeHaven

Carol Perrigo, Humorous Inspirational Speaker

- + Your Choice of Any One of Carol's Tapes or CDs, won by Lisa Sissenstein

Kayte Halstead, Acupuncture 4 Health

- + Refrigerator Memo Board, won by Jo Prang

Marie Updike, Home Interiors

- + Tropical Blend Candle, won by Kelly Marker

Sande Lofberg, Aglow International

- + Ahava Hand Cream, won by Pam Snyder-Varns

Ann McGuire, Phase II Salon

- + Bag of Trix, won by Kathy Jones

Connie Forstner, Arrowhead Country Club

- + Sunday Brunch For Two, won by Maureen Hensley

Carol Perrigo, Sentinel Federal Credit Union

- + Memo Box With Cool Stuff, won by Mary Wilson

Marie Updike, Tastefully Simple

- + "Thank You For Decorating My Life" Candle, won by Roxie Peterson



CONGRATULATIONS

Lynny Schriock, winner of the July Spotlight and Jen Blake and Kathy Cline, who shared \$19 in the May 50/50 drawing.

NEXT MEETING
June 9, 11:45 a.m.
The Radisson Hotel

PROGRAM
Networking

MENU
Turkey Croissant with Potato Salad
or
Veggie Wrap

GREETERS
Pam Denke, Rushmore Mall;
Linda Wishard, Wishard & Associates and
Jen Blake, JAB Publishing

BUSINESS INFORMATION TABLES
Kelly Marker, Parenting With Ease; and
Elke Didio, Home & Garden Party
Guests are welcome to attend up to two meetings as
non-members. For reservations, please call 787-4372
by noon Monday, June 7.

NOTES & ANNOUNCEMENTS

NEW NAMETAGS? — Women's Network is transitioning from a teal color to burgundy. If you'd like a new nametag to reflect the color change, they can be ordered from the secretary for \$5 each. The new nametags are magnetic, and won't poke holes in your clothing, either!

DUES NOTICE — Anyone who hasn't paid their dues by June 30 will not be included in the 2004-2005 Women's Network Directory. See Kay Stambaugh for more information.

DIRECTORY UPDATES — Is your contact information up-to-date? What about your hobbies and activities? Check your information on the web site! You need your user name and password. Contact Jen Blake at jennifer@jabpublish.com for more information.

NO FISHING — The "Fish For Lunch" program has been discontinued due to lack of interest. Feel free to make your own lunch dates with Women's Network members you'd like to get to know better.

NEXT BOARD MEETING
Wednesday, June 16, at noon
The Beanery at the Creamery Mall

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