Get the "scoop" on our summer connection idea! Plus, connect Susan Miller with your group through Facetime or Skype.



Connection and support

May 2021

Dear Paulette,

It's been an unusual year and a hard time for so many. Thank you for your continued care and compassion for uprooted women.

How are you doing, Paulette? How we can pray for you and encourage you? What feedback are you getting from the women in your study? Send me a quick note by replying to this email. I would love to hear from you.

Summer is around the corner! As you know, even if women have completed your study, the combination of continuing covid restrictions and programs stopping for the summer can mean a lot of lonely summer days. Encourage the women in your study to make plans to keep getting together!

Something that we started several years ago that is always a hit among the women is what we call, "Get the Scoop." It gives the women something to look forward to during the summer and gets them reconnected.

Here's the "scoop" on what we do



- Send email invitations to all the women from all past study groups who still live in town. You could say, "Cool off with a scoop of ice cream as we reconnect and get the scoop on your summer experience!"
- Along with different flavors of ice cream and a variety of toppings, serve lemonade and cookies. Use colorful paper plates and napkins.
- Ask for volunteers to come up with one word that describes their summer and any updates about how they're doing. Was there a highlight or is there something they're looking forward to?
- There may be some who are not ready to share. You may take that as a cue to follow up with them in a one-on-one conversation.

Whether it's ice cream or a summer salad, be thinking about how you can give your newcomers the opportunity to gather and connect over the summer. Even if it's only once, it will be worth it.

Have a safe and memorable summer! My tip for travel: take pictures of people, buy postcards of places!

Love you to the moon and back.



Connect with Susan online



Susan loves meeting and cheering on women in study groups around the world! An online session with your group is a wonderful opportunity for your study group

members to connect with Susan and to ask her questions. Graduation day is a great opportunity for Susan to encourage your newcomers as they" move

forward."

Facetime, Skype and Zoom are easy ways to enjoy direct, real-time encouragement from Susan.

Schedule your Facetime, Skype or Zoom with Susan by emailing paulettemiller@justmoved.org or calling 480.991.5268.

A Group Leader in Ohio shared, "I encourage other groups to skype with Susan if they can. Susan instilled an excitement in our group that was not there before. Everyone has eagerly enjoyed each other but now we feel a part of a greater group. Susan helped us to feel a part of the whole. Wow!"

Facebook post correction



A recent post on the ABAU Leaders' Facebook page was in error. It stated that, for those of you who have access to our Teaching Resources, the link has been changed.

Good news! The link has not changed! You can still access these helpful resources with the original link!

Questions? Email <u>JoAnnSmith@JustMoved.org</u> or <u>PauletteMiller@JustMoved.org</u> or call 480-991-5268, M-Th, 9:00-4:00pm, MST.

Interested in these time-saving resources? Check them out in our <u>Just Moved Shop</u>.



Summer office hours at Just Moved Ministry will go into effect June 1 - July 15. Our summer hours are Monday - Thursday, 9:00am - 3:00pm, MST. Please note that our office is always closed on Fridays.

May After the Boxes Study Group Spotlight



Lake City Community Church, Lakewood, WA Julee Dilley, Group Leader

Susan Miller recently joined Julee and her study group on Zoom. Julee sent this encouraging response following their time together:

"My ladies were so thrilled to meet you!!!

I love these girls so much and truly wish you could have met every single one of the 14. I know you heard about some of their hard moving scenarios. [One woman in the group] hadn't gone to church in three years and had barely spoken to anyone for over a year. It was a miracle she walked through those doors for the study. After being with our Just Moved girls, she said "I love you all and I am glad to be in church again!"

Susan, look at what the Lord is doing through your ministry! I know you hear these stories all the time but I just wanted you to hear another one.

Bless you, Paulette, JoAnn, and all the Just Moved staff!!! Lives are being changed as you point them to Christ and truth through this study!"

Julee

Email <u>Paulette</u> or <u>JoAnn</u> your fun photo of your newcomers or graduation celebration to be submitted for a future <u>Group Spotlight</u>. <u>Click here</u> for instructions for taking a screen shot of your online group.

Cheering you on,
Paulette & JoAnn
Your Support Team at Just Moved Ministry

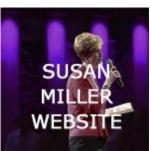
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