

WAHCE Creed

We, the Homemakers of Wisconsin,
believe in the sanctity of the HOME,
the cradle of character,
blessed by motherly devotion,
and guarded by fatherly protection.

We pledge ourselves:

- To work for the preservation and improvement of home and community life.
- To strive for healthier minds and bodies and better living.
- To promote the welfare of our boys and girls, the nation's greatest asset.
- To be true to God and country and of lasting service to our homes and communities.

*written by
Mrs John Meise
Sauk County*

WAHCE Prayer

Dear God,

Give us the grace to see
 The blessings which have come from thee;
Give us the strength to do our duty
 To see in everything some beauty;
Teach us that love and cheerful giving,
 Tolerance and decent living,
Make of our home a place sublime,
 Where there's no room for hate or crime,
A place where good friends gather round,
 Where laughter, mirth, and cheer abound,
Not selfish thoughts nor worldly greed.
 Let this, Dear Master be our Creed.

*written by
Mrs James Hutton
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2026 Clark County Association for Home & Community Education



"HCE - Caring to Make A Difference"

Member's Name

Club Name

State Officers

Notes

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Watch the HCE newsletter for other leadership training sessions

**Mission Statement of the
Wisconsin Association for
Home and Community Education**

HCE offers opportunities for:

- Learning in a social setting
- Sharing what we learn
- Caring to make a difference in our homes, communities, and the world

Wisconsin Association HCE Values

- Families and communities
- Opportunities for personal growth through learning, sharing, and volunteering
- Meeting great people and forming friendships and enjoyment
- Volunteering to make a difference
- Leadership

District Directors

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of the following counties:

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Clark
Jackson
Juneau
La Crosse
Monroe
Trempealeau
Wood

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December						
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Project: _____

Leaders: _____

No Executive Board Meeting

November

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November 4– Elections

- Executive Board Meeting
Greenwood Fire Hall
6:00 p.m.

Clark County Standing Committees

(chairperson of each committee is listed first)

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1st Person Needed

2nd Person Needed

3rd Person Needed

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- West District Fall Meeting
Wood County
DATE TBD

October 6

- Fall Business Meeting
Greenwood Fire Hall
6:00 p.m.

September						
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No Executive Board Meeting in September

September 20-23, 2026

- State WAHCE Conference
Lismore Hotel
Eau Claire, WI

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Spring West District Meeting

Trempealeau County

Monday, April 13, 2026

Immanuel Lutheran Church
109 Elm St.
Strum, WI

Fall West District Meeting

Wood County

TBD

Suggested Order of Business

1. Creed and Mission
2. Roll Call
3. Project Presentation for the Month
4. Business Meeting
5. Secretary's Minutes
6. Treasurer's Report
7. Committee Reports
8. Old Business
9. New Business
10. Any Other Business
11. Prayer
12. Evaluate

June						
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June Dairy Month

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July 1

- Fair entries due
(online / UW-Extension Office)

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Executive Board Meeting

- August 18

Clark County Fair

- August 5-9

June / July / August
(No Executive Board meetings in June / July)

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**Goals of Wisconsin Association for
Home & Community Education, Inc.**

- To provide continuing education for members and others on issues that will strengthen families and communities.
- To develop and improve leadership skills of members.
- To build coalitions with other organizations and agencies having similar objectives and concerns as WAHCE, Inc.
- To promote friendships and understanding, with all people of the world.

A Good Member

- Keeps an open mind - tries the suggestions presented by the project leader. Reports on the use of these suggestions when requested.
- Is willing to take turns serving as an officer or on the committees.
- Attends meetings regularly. If unable to attend, contacts another member.
- Cooperates in all club activities. Shows appreciation to officers and project leaders for their efforts.
- Refrains from talking unnecessarily during the club program or business meeting.
- Takes part in meetings when asked and serves as project leader when possible.

Officer's Duties

President

Presides at meeting, contributes responsibility, represents group at county meetings, helps secretary and project leaders to get reports in on time, encourages participation in youth clubs, etc.

Vice President

Assumes duties of president, secretary, or treasurer in case of absence of such officers; may act as Program Chairperson.

Secretary

Has charge of roll call, keeps the minutes of meetings, handles all club correspondence, and is responsible for oral and written reports of all club activities.

Treasurer

Handles all records pertaining to money and economic reports; collects dues.

April

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April HCE Day

- TBD

April 13

- West District Spring Meeting (Trempealeau County)
Immanuel Lutheran Church
109 Elm St., Strum WI 54770

Don't forget to tell your grandchildren and friends about HCE Scholarships!

January

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Now is the time to plan your yearly club program. Decide now! Good programs will result from good planning. Select from county program and plan some of your own for good balance.

January 6

- Executive Board Meeting
Greenwood Fire Hall
6:00 p.m.

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February 3

- Executive Board Meeting
Greenwood Fire Hall
6:00 p.m.

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March 3

- Executive Board Meeting
Greenwood Fire Hall
6:00 p.m.