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Everyone has a hobby of hobbies. A hobby is a regular activity that is done for enjoyment, typically during one's leisure time. Hobbies can include collecting themed items and objects, engaging in creative and artistic pursuits, playing sports or pursuing other amusements.

There are three types of hobbies: Indoor, Outdoor and Collection. This is a partial list of hobbies:
a) Indoor Hobbies: cooking, scrapbooking, knitting quilting, soapmaking, sewing, reading, etc...
b) Outdoor Hobbies: camping, beekeeping, rock climbing, running, fishing, traveling, swimming, etc...
c) Collection Hobbies: stamps, seashells, rocks, action figures, vintage cars, coins, baseball cards, etc...

President Amy Willman's Hobby- My hobby is traveling. I have been traveling since I was a young little girl. My first trip with my family was going to Colorado when I was 3 years old. Then, I went to Chicago with my family when I was 4 years old. At age of 8, I went to Hawaii with family. I went on many vacations with either my family or friends. Fast forward to my recently travel... I went to Dubai, United Arab Emirates. Why do I travel? I enjoy seeing different cultures, people, food, languages, and histories. You only live once therefore I want to see the world before I die. I have been to 6 out of 7 continents and 36 countries. I will continue to travel until I no longer can travel.

Dubai: Rode on a camel. Burj Khalifa- tallest building in the world. I went up to 148th floor.





Treasurer Diane Higgins' Hobby- From the time when I was in junior high, I started to take an interest in needlepointing. Since I am left-handed, it was a challenge to learn how to needlepoint. My grandma did a lot of cross-stitches and embroideries. My mom

was starting to learn crocheting. Both of them tried to figure out how to teach me and came up with an idea to try doing it the opposite way



from right to left. After a few tries and working on some small kits, I started doing some long-stitch needlepointing like those hot air balloons shown in the picture. I am currently trying to learn crocheting so I can make those cute little Star Wars figurines. I also enjoy doing jigsaw puzzles and any unique shaped puzzles like the 3D Lego figurines. They are fun to do and can be challenging when dealing with those small pieces of Legos!



ANNOUNCEMENT: NSDAA Board appointed Peggy Scherling as a secretary. Welcome to the NSDAA Board, Peggy!

Have a super summer and stay cool!

