

Central Region

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Happy September from Central Region!

We hope you had a wonderful, warm summer and are ready for the colorful, chillier days of Fall! In August we continued to welcome new members and a new group in our region! Some of us also attended an accessible recreation day at Dunn's Park in Gardner, where we saw a lot of people we know.
Sammy planned and led our "Chill and Chat with Coffee". Even though the end of summer is near, we still have lots to celebrate, and we did! We had a lot of fun with "end of summer jeopardy", remembering

celebrations, games, August special days and of course, coffee!





Some of us also attended the statewide drop-ins where we always have fun!
In Central, our regional meeting happened on Monique's birthday! Sue zoomed in from Tennessee! We all did appreciations and met some new members. We got updates about the upcoming MASS conference on October 26th! Justin kept us up to date on the latest legislation! Beth shared news about SDM. We are thankful that some of our members are working hard at raising funds! We also continued to discuss transportation.
Our annual cookout was held on August 27th . We have so many August birthdays that we celebrate with a cake! We love getting together in person!
In September we look forward to celebrating Hispanic Heritage month.



We will continue our advocacy and prepare for a presentation on self-direction on September 10th. Once again, happy September from Central!

