

June 2015

www.goMOMS.org

On Tuesday, June 9th, goMOMS will be hosting the annual goMOMS Installation Dinner at The Detroit Zoo at 7pm.

goMOMS wants to thank everyone who has volunteered throughout the year, from putting away chairs at the end of a meeting to lending a helping hand at an event, every bit helps!! We couldn't do it all without the help of our members!

As an additional thank you, each volunteer has had their name entered in to a raffle to show appreciation. The raffle to win some awesome prizes will take place during the goMOMS June Installation Dinner.

Thank you again for a great goMOMS 2014–2015 year!

Welcome to our new 2015-2016 goMOM Board

President-Sarah Leiteritz

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Website Administrator-Lori Przybyl

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Tuesday, June9th, 2015

Installation Dinner at The Detroit Zoo- 7:00pm









Looking to renew your goMOMS membership for the 2015-2016 year or become a new member?

Annual full membership is \$40, the goMOMS calendar year runs from September to August.

Membership is discounted to \$35 if renewed before June 30th, 2015.

Alumni memberships are also available. Visit our website to print a membership form: http://gomoms.org/wp-content/uploads/2015/04/2015-2016-goMOMS-Membership-Form.pdf

You may also contact Andrea DeBusschere, Membership Coordinator, for additional information: gomomsmembership@gmail.com

Kroger Community Rewards

Register your Kroger card and help goMOMS with the Kroger Community Rewards program. Members need to renew their membership by linking their Kroger card to goMOMS. Our group receives a percentage of all your Kroger purchases quarterly. Just follow the instructions below and then shop and use your Kroger Card.

If you already have a Kroger online account:

- 1. Go to www.krogercommunityrewards.com
- 2. Sign in with your email address
- 3. Enter our organization number: 83164
- 4. Click on Greater Oakland Mothers of Multiples
- 5. Confirm



If you do not already have a Kroger online account:

- 1. Register online at www.krogercommunityrewards.com
- 2. Have your Kroger card handy and the organization number: 83164
- 3. Click on sign in/register
- 4. If you are a new online customer, click on SIGN UP TODAY in the 'New Customer?' box
- 5. Sign up for a Kroger Rewards Account by entering your zip code, email address, and agreeing to the terms and conditions
- 6. Click on Edit Kroger Community Rewards information and input your Kroger Card Number
- 7. Enter NPO number of our organization: 83164

June Mom's Night Out

Location & Host To Be Determined

Are you ready for a night out!? Consider hosting the June Mom's Night Out!

Mom's Night Out can be any night during the third week of the given month (June 15th-19th).

Visit the following link below and fill out the Evite Request Form to request an Evite, it is easy, convenient and just plain fun!! http://form.jotform.us/form/42976740461158



Interested in becoming more involved with goMOMS?

Consider joining a committee!

Committees are an important part of our group and we always appreciate volunteers. Being part of a committee is a great way to be involved in goMOMS and meet other members.

Check out the Committee section on our website, under the Members Only heading: http://gomoms.org/members-onl

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For additional information, contact goMOMS Committee Chairs, Sarah Genovese or Jenna Olsen,

gomomscommittee@gmail.com



Summer Play dates

Looking for something fun to do with your multiples!?

Any goMOMS member can host or attend a play date for the group! Summer play dates are a excellent way for goMOMS and their children to connect!

To host a play date, fill out the Evite Request form:

http://form.jotform.us/form/42976 740461158

Any additional questions, contact Michelle Tedder, Secretary, gomomssecretary@gmail.com



Meet Our goMOMS Members!



Laura Shullman

My name is Laura Shullman and I live in Beverly Hills with my husband of almost 4 years, Graham. I am a manager of a local Michigan-based bank and my husband is a financial advisor. I enjoy flea markets, bike riding, an occassional yoga class and wine. Our dog Greta, a husky/shepard mix, is our baby....until this September.

We have struggled to get pregnant ever since we got married and we were determined to have a family. For the last 2.5 years, I have been to 2 doctors, had 6 iui cycles with various medication support, 1 chemical pregnancy, months of highs and lows, months of taking time off from treatments and 1 final attempt with IVF. I am happy to report that we are expecting our miracle triplets sometime this September.

I am so excited to have found goMOMS! Not only am I thrilled beyond belief for these miracle babies, but I am scared to death. I never thought in my wildest dreams that I would become a mother of 3 at one time!!! I attended the recent Mom's Night Out and met many wonderful people, received some great tips and even shared an email with a lovely lady (Marie) who provided me with endless information about her triplet knowledge. Thank you, Marie. I attended the goMoms sale and found amazing deals and great clothes. I can't thank you enough for everything that this organization has already given to me. I look forward to becoming an asset to this group, making new friends and helping others.

Laura pictured Left

New and returning goMOMS Members!!

Welcome to goMOMS!!! We are glad that you found our group, where Moms of Multiples can share their experience with the joys and adventures of raising multiples.

In our newsletter, the Meet Our goMOMS section is a place where members can introduce themselves to the group in a handful of sentences (age of twins (or due date), hobbies, interests, city you live in and anything else you choose to share) and include an image.

Introductions and images can be sent to, Marisa Kallie, goMOMS Newsletter Editor, gomomsnewsletter@gmail.com



Melissa Trella

Hello GoMoms! My name is Melissa and my husband's name is Adam. While going through IVF I took time off from full time work and coached cheerleading. Adam is a Mechanical Engineer who works for an automotive supplier in Auburn Hills. After meeting in 2008, we lived in Japan and in Royal Oak before settling back in my hometown of Lake Orion where we are currently live. We have 12-week-old boy/girl twins Gage and Everly. I am so excited to be a part of this group and can't wait to make friendships and learn tips from you moms who have already gone through this crazy fun adventure being a mom of twins!

Gage and Everly pictured Left

Melissa and husband Adam with
Twins Everly and Gage Pictured
Below





Katie White

Hi goMOMS! My name is Katie and my husband is Toby. We've been married for 6 years and have 6 month old fraternal twin girls, Brynn and Elise. They were born in November, 2014 at 38 weeks with thankfully no NICU time. We live in Bloomfield Hills and I'm currently a stay—at—home—mom, but prior to the girls I worked as an engineer for GM for 13 years. I am a new goMOMS member and am really looking forward to meeting everyone and learning as much as I can!

Katie holding Brynn and husband Toby holding Elise, Pictured Left

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Kate Hallett

I am so excited to have found GoMoms and can't wait to get involved with the organization. My husband, Kevin, and I were blessed with twins on February 23, 2015. Stella & Hunter, I am a CPA and work at Fiat Chrysler Automobiles in the Finance Department. In my spare time I love baking, gardening and going to barre classes. I look forward to sharing this journey ahead of me with all of you moms!

Stella and Hunter Pictured Right





Erin Spies

Hi goMOMs!

After three years, we were blessed with boy/girl twins Connor and Sadie. They are now five months old and already a handful...or two! We could never have predicted how much they would change our lives, but we wouldn't have it any other way.

Lance is my husband and my rock. We have been married since August 2011 and we live and play in Orchard Lake. Just before I got pregnant, we bought a pontoon and now we can't wait to get the babies out on Upper Straits lake! I work for Pandora radio in Birmingham as a Supervisor of Account Management. I love my job as much as I love music of all genres.

I have been to a couple of monthly meetings but it's tough to get away with the babies being so young, especially now that I'm back to work full time. I look forward to being a lot more involved with goMOMs. I'm really impressed by those of you I have met already. If I haven't met you yet, I hope to do so very soon!

Erin, husband Lance, and twins Connor and Sadie pictured Above



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Tiffany Skop

Hello, my name is Tiffany, and I am so excited to be a part of this group! A little bit about me: I've been married to my wonderful husband Gary for 5 years now. We have a 2 1/2 year old daughter named Lily, and I am expecting twins September 9th. We were excited to find out that Lily will be getting a little brother AND little sister! Right now I love to take Lily out and about and she loves to shop (such a girly girl like her momma). I know nothing can prepare me for the adventures that are ahead so I'm glad that I found a place to somewhat prepare me!

Tiffany and husband Gary, with daughter Lily pictured Left



Meet Our goMOMS Members

Announcements

Expecting? Or delivered recently? Let us know, and we would love to share your exciting news with our goMOMS members. Please include your name, spouse's name, babies' names and birth information (date, time, weight), a photo, and any sibling information that you would like to include.

Send all information and images to,
Marisa Kallie, Newsletter Editor, gomomsnewsletter@gmail.com



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Meeting Location:

Abiding Presence Lutheran Church 1550 Walton Blvd Rochester Hills, MI 48309

Take them a Meal

For those times in life when filling their table will warm their hearts. Simplifying meal coordination so friends, family, neighbors and co-workers can show they care.

Help out a new mom by providing a meal for their family when they bring home their new bundles of joy!! Or request meals after your delivery. Meals can be homemade or take out!!



goMOMS uses the, <u>Take</u> them a <u>Meal</u> website to coordinate meals for new families. Please contact Sandra Maki, meal coordinator,

loveoct2005@aol.com to request meals or for more information.



<u>Facebook Search:</u> goMOMS- Greater Oakland Mothers of Multiples

Since it is a closed group, click on, "join the group", and let the fun begin!!

More Information about goMOMS

goMOMS is a nonprofit, 501(c)(3), organization. We bring together mothers of twins, triplets, quadruplets (or more!) for support in the unique situations we encounter with pregnancy and raising multiples. Contributions to goMOMS are tax deductible. Consult your tax professional for details,