

CONTEST CORNER



Uncommon Prize For Common Sense Ideas

(NAPSA)—Those words of wisdom you learned at your mother's knee may prove to be more than handy—they could help you win \$25,000.

To honor common sense passed on through generations, one major household products company is asking people to share their “mom-umentaries” in a common sense “Pass it On” contest. A mom-umentary is a short essay of up to 250 words revealing Mom's best common sense advice, along with a photo with Mom.

Through July 31, 2007, common sense tips from a maternal figure, such as these, can win one lucky person \$25,000:

- **“Have a plan before you head out the door.”** On your way to work, are there errands you can run to eliminate errand time during nights and weekends? Keep a small notebook to jot down checklists and errands to make sure you overlook nothing.

- **“Anything worth doing is worth doing right.”** Rushing through a task usually costs you in the long run. Think about soiled dishes fresh from the dishwasher because they weren't rinsed off first. Use Mom's advice and take your time and then admire the results.

- **“Don't overschedule yourself.”** Remember to make time to renew your energy. Whether you read for 10 minutes or take a yoga class, if you're feeling refreshed, you'll procrastinate less.



Eighty-one percent of people consider their mothers their common sense foundation.

- **“Teach your kids to help around the house.”** Show children how to empty the dishwasher, do laundry and clean their rooms. An extra set of hands goes a long way. Believe it or not, this can also serve as great quality time with kids.

The winner of the contest gets \$25,000. Five semifinalists each receive a year's supply of Scott Tissue and Towels products and \$1,000.

Visit the Common Sense Community at www.ScottCommonSense.com, to share and discover common sense and find additional contest information. This online community offers practical tips for saving time, getting organized, saving money, healthy living and cleaning from people all over the U.S.