



Metro Women's Club

Just Between Friends

NEWSLETTER

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Friendship

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THE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Hello Ladies of Metro Women's Club!

It was very exciting to see so many of you at our May Luncheon at Oak Hills Country Club. Despite the parking lot being torn up, and finding out about it when we arrived, plus one of our members getting sick and having to leave (Sally Ann is fine now), these were a couple of hiccups to be dealt with, but by and large, it was successful! The food was scrumptious, and of course, the atmosphere there is lovely. It was a very busy event!

Luncheon Highlights:

..A check in the amount of **\$10,582.50** was given to Detective Tony Espaho for the organization, P.A.C.E., which was our charity this past year! Way to go, ladies!

..The **Merit Award** went to a very deserving person, **Jean Cully**! Besides being our Treasurer for the past several years, she has been instrumental in heading up, and working on many activities for us. Thank you, Jean, for all that you do for MWC!

..The **Match Game drawing for the Bonefish Restaurant** went to **Ann Thomsen**. Congratulations, Ann, and thank you for your donation!

Now onto the June 8th Garage Sale & Picnic at Chalco Hills. Get your gently used unwanted items, price them, then take them out to the sale. It makes for a very relaxing afternoon!

Silent Auction committee is looking for brand new items to be donated for the October event! Also remember, any Raffle items donated to the Hospitality Committee for our luncheons need to also be brand new! One last note – the new CDC guidelines on mask wearing has eased up for those vaccinated! Great news!

- Chris

THANK YOU

Dear Metro Women's Club Friends, I have been honored to be able to handle our clubs' finances during the last few years. I have enjoyed working with so many of you on fun projects, fundraisers and having just plain fun, plus eating together of course. I cannot thank you enough for honoring me with this years Merit Award. I cannot do my job without all of you doing your part which you have outdone yourselves during this difficult year. I have been truly privileged to be able to collect the monies you so generously donated. You are a phenomenal group, I am truly lucky to know you. Thank you again. Hugs.

- Jean Cully

NEWSLETTERS

Starting in June all who are receiving their Newsletter both Email and US mail will only get your Newsletter via Email. All those that have a Email address will also get their Newsletter via Email instead of US Mail. If you are not comfortable with Email, please inform Margi Vice to have your name remain on the US Mail list.

MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

May was Membership Renewal month !!! If you have not paid your dues you can pay them at our June Picnic but you will be assessed a \$1.00 late fee plus the \$25.00 dues. Margi Vice will be able to accept your dues at our Picnic. Or, mail your membership dues to Jean Cully.

SILENT AUCTION

We have started collecting your lovely items for our Silent Auction. Because our auction is in October all holiday decor is valued. Most wanted items have been jewelry, purses, home good, kitchen items, gift certificates, just to mention a few. You may bring your donated items to any of our Luncheons, there will be someone from the Auction Committee there to collect them. Remember we want new or very gently used items. You gals are great in hunting down beautiful, unique bargains. Shop, shop, shop!

Silent Auction chairs: Mary Ellen Anderson and Marcelene Lewis

CARDS

If any of our members need a card of Cheer, Get Well, Congratulations or Sympathy sent, please contact Linda Nelson. Linda will send a card out to them. Staying connected is extremely important for us.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June 2021

ANNUAL GARAGE SALE AND PICNIC , JUNE 8th, 11:30 SOCIAL, 12:00 PICNIC

Chalco Hills Recreation Area, 8901 South 154th Street, 402-444-6222, Box lunch by Eddie's Catering

We will be located under a covered picnic shelter so this event will be **rain or shine**. Bring your slightly used treasures to sell with prices posted on them. All proceeds go to our charity.

Full direction listed in May's Newsletter. Mini - enter from 154th & Giles, 1st stop sign turn right, 2nd stop sign turn right.

Make a left at "Picnic Area" sign. Or follow the balloons.

Please do not make reservations or cancellations with our box lunch providers. Call Lori or Shirley listed below.

Menu: Choice of one

1. Chicken Salad Croissant - homemade chicken salad, lettuce and tomato on a croissant
2. Italian Club Sandwich - ham, salami, pepperoni, lettuce and tomato, served on marble bread.
3. Chef Salad - mixed greens and julienne turkey and ham, cheese, hard boiled eggs, cucumbers, carrots and tomatoes. Served with Italian dressing.

Each box lunch will include: Marinated Pasta Salad and a Cookie! Bottled water will be available. If you prefer another beverage, please feel free to bring your favorite soda or tea with you.

Cost: \$13.00 Cash or Check only, we are unable to accept credit cards.

Members: If you do not receive a call and wish to attend, please call Lori Briggs or Shirley Raleigh
If you are bringing a guest, please give your caller your guest's name and luncheon choice.

Callers: Please have your attendees' choices to **Lori or Shirley Raleigh by June 2nd**

Cancellations: Any cancellations must be made by June 2nd or you will be expected to pay for your luncheon.

Program: Garage Sale

Note: Our Second Vice Presidents are always looking for new luncheon venues that can accommodate a large group for luncheons. If you have suggestions please forward them to Lori Briggs or Shirley Raleigh.

BOARD MEETING - 3rd TUESDAY, JUNE 15th, 10:00 AM

At: Garden Cafe at Rockbrook, 11040 Oak Street, 402-393-0252

Those that should attend: All Board Members, all Committee Chairpersons, all Socials and Special Event Chairpersons and all Special Interest Activities Chairpersons are expected to attend the Board Meeting or send their reports with someone. You may also call or email your information prior to the Board Meeting to Marcelene Lewis, our Newsletter Editor. **All** information needed for the Newsletter, **must** be submitted at or before the Board Meeting in order for the Newsletter to go to print. Thank you, Ladies.

BIRTHDAY BASH - 3rd TUESDAY, JUNE 15th, 11:30 AM

At: Garden Cafe at Rockbrook, 11040 Oak Street, 402-393-0252

Limited menu of four choices, all \$9.00. Choices will be listed on the sign-up sheet. We will be in the Banquet Room where the Board Meeting will be held. (Please note that there is an entrance directly into room on the West side of the building.) You can sign up at the June Picnic or call in your reservation to Birthday Bash Co-Chairs Rosemary Bliss or LouAnn Norton. Everyone is welcome, you do not need to be having a birthday that month - it's lunch!

GADABOUTS - 4th TUESDAY, JUNE 22nd, CAR POOL 12:00, LUNCH 12:30, TOUR 2:00 PM

Car Pool: 12:00 noon, Meet at Family Fare , 14444 W. Center Street, Omaha

Lunch: 12:30 PM, Buck Snort , 419 Sharp Street, Glenwood IA

Tour: Cute Shops to stop in at Mltzi Mo's, 514 East Sharp Street, Glenwood IA,
J Wren Boutique, 16 North Walnut Street, Glenwood Iowa

Brewery: 2:00 PM, Keg Creek Brewing Company, 22381 221 Street South, Glenwood IA (This is the correct address)

Dessert: Sugar Makery, 204 East Sharp Street, Glenwood IA (Home made fudge and ice cream shop)

Gals who don't like the interstate - you can go south on 72 or 84 and get onto Highway 34 and drive a beautiful scenic route without getting on the interstate. Sign-up sheet circulated at Social Noon Luncheon.

Committee Chairperson: Doris Helfrich

FUTURE EVENTS

WELCOMING COFFEE - QUARTERLY, 1st TUESDAY , AUGUST 3rd, 10:00 AM

Hostess: Jean Cully

Co-Hostesses: Karen Saunders and Pat Goodyear

SILENT AUCTION - 2nd TUESDAY, OCTOBER 12th, 10:30 AM SOCIAL/BIDDING, 12:00 LUNCHEON

At: Arbor Hall, 14040 Arbor Street, 402-884-2269

Committee Chairperson: Mary Ellen Anderson

SPRING SOCIAL AND GAME DAY - MARCH 9th, 2022

Committee Chairpersons: Doris Helfrich, Jean Cully and Rosemary Bliss

THE PERSONALS

June 2021

NEW MEMBERS

Cindy Frieling, Birthday April 2 (Past member rejoining)

Marcella Best, Birthday September 20.

Linda Tesnow, Birthday December 14 , (past member rejoining)

Donna Arlt, (Ron) Birthday March 18th

Donna Pollock Birthday August 20

Joanne Groethe, Birthday March 14.

Mary A Sweetman, Birthday October 11

YOU'VE GOT MAIL

THANK YOU TO YOU WONDERFUL WOMEN - for helping me and for your concern for my health at Tuesday's Luncheon.
- Sallyann Willett

THINKING ABOUT YOU

Lois Moore - Thinking of You , verdigo.

Mary Flodine - Thinking of You, shoulder surgery.

Mimi Dryden - Thinking of You, health issues.

Margi Vice - Thinking of You, hip surgery.

CHANGES / CORRECTION (DIRECTORY)

Sue Odell - new address effective 5/29, same phone

Name spelling correction - **Kris Gravelle**

Sallyann Willett - new cell number

LUNCHEON RAFFLE WINNERS

Alice Esce, Carol Bauer, Sharon Hardage, Betty Delavan, Peggy Christ, Monica Clark, Susan Christiansen, Donna Pollock, Dolores Hughes, Cindy Frieling, Karlene Currier, Anna Nelson, Connie Gibb.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

NIGHT BUNCO

1st Wednesday, June 2nd, 6:30 PM

Hostess: Juanita Hammen,

Welcome back ladies.

Any questions or to sign up as a member or a sub, please contact: Diane Dobrinska

BRIDGE

2nd Wednesday, June 9th, 1:00AM

Vincenzo's Ristorante

15701 Pacific Street

\$1.00 to play, Lunch & Tip

To play or questions call:
Anna Nelson

Results

High: Bobbie Montequin

2nd: Marilyn Conner

3rd: Karen Lidstrand

Questions or to add your name to the sub list, contact Anna Nelson

BOOK CLUB

**Garden Café, Rockbrook Village
11040 Oak Street (108th & Center)**

3rd Friday, June 18th, 9:30 AM

Book : *The Pearl That Broke Its Shell*

Author: Nadia Hashimi

Contact Juanita Hammen

STITCH & CHAT

Last Wednesday, June 30th

1:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Hostess: Cathy Yates

Everyone Invited! Come and enjoy an afternoon with good friends, fun crafts, lots of goodies and fellowship. Please notify your hostess if you are coming or not.

Pat Bond or Dolores Hughes

DAY BUNCO

3rd Wednesday, June 16th, 9:30 AM

Hostess: Carol Bauer

Welcome back ladies

Any questions or to sign up as a member or a sub, please contact: Diane Dobrinska .

ROUND ROBIN MARATHON BRIDGE

1st Tuesday, June 8th, 11:30AM

Red Lobster, Oakview

2707 South 140th Street (Oakview Dr)

ON HOLD

Stay tuned, more information on start-up this September.

Celeste Giery

CINEMA CHICKS - ON HOLD

3rd Thursday,

Call to get your name put on the list for notification. Chris

GOLF

Golf started May 1st. Please contact **Roberta Courter** if interested in joining the league.

MAH JONG

Mah Jong meets the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of the month at 1:00 PM. Contact Betty Delavan for lessons or location of where we will be playing,
Betty Delavan

DINING INN

NOON DELIGHTS - A Gourmet Dinning Club

1st Monday, June 7th, 12:00 Noon

Hostess: Margi Vice

THE LUNCH BUNCH - A Gourmet Dinning Club

1st Wednesday, June 2nd, 12:00 Noon

Hostess: Connie Gibb

Questions or to sign-up to become a sub, contact Pat Goodyear,

BIRTHDAY GALS

Joyce Bluhm June 7

Mary Ellen Anderson June 12

Doris Helfrich June 21

Carol Edwards June 10

Juanita Hammen June 13

Rae Cacioppo June 24

Happy Birthday Ladies

June 2021

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 11:30 Round Robin - HOLD	2 12:00 Lunch Bunch 6:30 Evening Bunco	3	4	5
6	7 12:00 Noon Delights	8 11: 30 Picnic & Garage Sale	9 11:00 Bridge	10 1:00 Mah Jong	11	12
13	14 <i>Flag Day</i>	15 10:00 Board Meeting 11:45 Birthday Bash	16 9:30 Morning Bunco	17 Cinema Chicks-HOLD	18 9:30 Book Club	19
20 <i>Fathers Day 1st Day of Summer</i>	21	22 12:00 Gadabouts	23	24 1:00 Mah Jong	25	26
27	28	29	30 1:00 Stich & Chat			

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