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THE PRESIDENTS CORNER

Fall is here with the smell and taste of all things Pumpkin Spice! It's almost here - SILENT AUCTION! Our biggest fundraiser and the Committee is hard at work. Hopefully all of you have been busy shopping, cooking and baking for this big event. Keep in mind that all proceeds will go to our charity "Saving Grace". **PLEASE REMEMBER THAT GUESTS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME!**

Thank you to Doris Helfrich for graciously agreeing to lead Gadabouts. And a big Thank You to Sharon Price for filling in the last few months when needed. Also, Celeste Giery has volunteered her beautiful home for our Holiday Exchange Party on December 4th. We sure have lots of fun events to look forward to in the next few weeks.

Our dining out for charity night at Jaipur earned us \$107.33. Thanks to Sharon Price and Sarah Chvala for arranging and all who participated. We will be doing another one in January at Village Inn.

- LouAnn and Rosemary

JAPIUR FUNDRAISER

Your dinning out has netted our charity **\$107.33**. Great participation ladies. Another Dinning Fund Raiser is scheduled for January 29th at Village Inn.

SILENT AUCTION

NOTE: Only food items excepted the day of the Auction. If you are bringing some fabulous baked goods or candies, please call Marcelene Lewis so we can register your goodies and have a place reserved for your items.

Our famous Silent Auction is here! What a great event and **you** make it possible. Every penny we raise from our Auction goes to our chosen charity. **Doors open at 10:30 AM** for you to start making your bids. At the table where you select to sit, will be a "Bid Number" at each seat. That is the number you will use to bid on items, we no longer have you write your name on the bid slips. You **MUST** print your name on the Bid Sign-up Sheet (placed in the middle of each numbered table). That number corresponds with the Bid Number you have selected and it registers you to bid. We will have Ushers to help you get seated and explain your Bid Number and the Bid Sign-up Sheet. Have Fun!!! There will be tons of wonderful items to bid upon. **Bring lots of guests. This is an event where we shine.**

We would like volunteers to be Ushers the day of the Auction. If you would like to volunteer call Marcelene.

Committee: Mary Ellen Anderson, Peggy Christ, Barb Fazzini, Juanita Hammen, Bert Harrifeld, Dolores Hughes, Mary Lou Jambor, Marcelene Lewis, Kay Porter, Pat Tonar.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY EXCHANGE.

Celeste Gary has graciously offered to open her beautiful home for our Christmas Holiday Exchange. The event will be held on Tuesday, December 4th at 1:00 PM. Bring a \$10.00 gift item for our Secret Santa exchange and a savory or sweet treat to share. This is a wonderful event that sets the Holiday Season on the right path.

WINTER CANCELATIONS

1. **Activities:** When Omaha schools are closed, Metro Women's Club functions are also canceled, ie. Bunco, Bridge etc.
2. **Luncheons:** When Omaha schools are closed our luncheons are canceled, only if they are at a Restaurant. All Lunches held at a private catered venue, such as Arbor Hall, **are not canceled**. If the venue is a private catered venue you will be charged for your luncheon if you are a no-show.
3. **Board Meetings:** **Board Meetings are an exception to the Omaha School closing rule..** Board Meetings will only be canceled if travel is not recommended by our Police Department, Mayor Office and our Roads Department. If weather is a problem, Officers and Chairpersons must email their Newsletter information to Marcelene Lewis or be phoned in. The Newsletter must still go out no matter the weather.

LUNCH/DINNER CLUB ????

Pat Goodyear would like to start a monthly Dinner Club. Pat loves to cook and entertain and hopes there are other ladies in our Club that would enjoy taking turns making a monthly meal and entertaining at different homes. The parameters and guidelines are open to suggestions. Please contact Pat Goodyear if you would also like to participate in a Dinner Club.

GADABOUT CHAIRPERSON POSITION FILLED

We are happy to announce that **Doris Helfrich** has offered to become our new Gadabouts Chairperson. If you have suggestions on trips and special interest locations, please give her a call or email or just join her on our next Gadabouts Trips.

FUND RAISER - VILLAGE INN, TUESDAY, JANUARY 29TH

3839 North 138th Street, 402-965-9620

Another Fund raiser is scheduled at Village Inn. They will contribute 20% of your ticket to Metro Women's Club to go to our charity. Mark your calendars.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

WELCOMING COFFEE - 1st TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6th, 10:00AM.

Hostess: **Carolyn Will**

Co Hostess: Anna Nelson, Bobbie Montequin

This is a great time to introduce a potential new member to our Club in a very relaxed, friendly atmosphere. Plenty of friendly faces and yummy treats. Bring a friend.

SILENT AUCTION – 2nd TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 13th, 10:30 AM SOCIAL/BIDDING, 12:00 PM LUNCHEON

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

Buffet: Fork tender Pork Tenderloin with Dressing and Butter Sauce

Cranberry Sauce

Asiago Mashed Potatoes

Salad

Steamed Vegetables

Rolls with Butter

Cupcakes for dessert

Coffee and Tea included (Cash bar is available)

Cost: \$16.00 per person.

Callers: Please call with your list of attendees and their guests to Bobbie Montequin or Mary Lou Jambor by November 7.

Any cancellation must be made by November 8 or you will be expected to pay for your meal.

Program: Silent Auction. **Invite Guests!** Representative from Saving Grace Perishable Food Rescue will speak.

BOARD MEETING - 3rd TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 20th, 10:00 AM

At: **Carolyn Will**

Those that should attend: Board Members, Committee Chairpersons, Socials and Special Event Chairpersons and 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, NOVEMBER 20th, 11:45 AM

At: **Steak & Grapes, 16920 Wright Plaza, #118, 402-884-8966**

Southwest corner of 168th & Center Street.

Everyone is welcome to celebrate with the Birthday girls. A sign up sheet will be circulated at our luncheons or call or email Shirley Raleigh. Thank you to all that remember to cancel as well. See you there. Birthday gals are listed on page 3.

GADABOUTS - NO GADABOUTS DUE TO THANKSGIVING

Any question or tour suggestion, contact Doris Helfrich

SPECIAL FUTURE EVENTS

HOLIDAY ORNAMENT/GIFT EXCHANGE, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4th, 1:00 PM

Celeste Giery, Great way to kick off the Holiday Season. Bring a sweet or savory treat to share and a \$10.00 gift for our Secret Santa Exchange. Lots of fun and fellowship.

DINING FUND RAISER, - TUESDAY, JANUARY 29th

Village Inn, 3839 North 138th Street, 402-965-9620

WELCOMING COFFEE - FIRST TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 5th, 10:00 AM,

Hostess: **Tina Kirby,** Co-Hostesses: LouAnn Norton, Shirley Raleigh

BIRTHDAY GALS

Yvonne Durr	November 1	Chris Sagenbrecht	November 14	Marilyn Moessner	November 24
Carol Fox	November 4	Darlene Wiegert	November 14	Janice Wallish	November 24
Cherry Prochaska	November 5	Celeste Giery	November 23	Clara Hohnstein	November 30
Susan Mundie	November 14	Happy Birthday Ladies			

THE PERSONALS

NEW MEMBERS (144 members)

No new members this month

THINKING ABOUT YOU

LouAnn Norton - knee issues.

Jerri Cone - knee issues.

Diane Dobrinska - shoulder issues.

Bobbie Montequin - fall resulting in broken ribs, shoulder issues.

Phyllis Leaver - broken ankle

YOU'VE GOT MAIL

I want to express a heartfelt thank you to all who sent cards, prayers, and well wishes my way during my recent surgery. Your expressions of caring concern were much appreciated and did wonders to lift my spirits. I treasure my association with this wonderful group of women who comprise Metro Women's Club.

- **Mary Lou Jambor**

SOCIAL LUNCHEON RAFFLE WINNERS

Judy Mumm, Marian Pierce, Marcelene Lewis, Sarah Cavala, Connie Gibb, Carolyn Hall, Carolyn Will, Diane Dobrinska, Bobbie Montequin, Anna Nelson, Carolyn Miller, Lennie Wollen, Mary Beth Manninger.

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

NIGHT BUNCO

1st Wednesday, November 7th, 6:30 PM

Hostess: **Pat Goodyear**

Results: October 3rd

Most Wins: Pat Tonar

Most Buncos: Cindy Elwood

Most Losses: Tina Kirby

Door Prizes: Margi Vice

We are always looking for subs and permanent members in this group. If interested call Diane Dobrinska.

DAY BUNCO

3rd Wednesday, November 21st, 9:30 AM

NO BUNCO DUE TO THANKSGIVING

Results: October 17th

Most Wins: Peggy Reibold

Most Buncos: Carole Thompson

Most Losses: Dian Dobrinska

Door Prize: Carolyn Will

We will be signing up for next year in AM Bunco because we don't play in November. If you have questions please call Diane Dobrinska.

GOLF

Golf has ended for the winter. If interested in joining next spring call **Pat Bird**.

BRIDGE

2nd Wednesday, November 14th, 11:00AM Boys

Town Cafeteria & Visitor Center

13603 Flanagan Drive

\$1.00 to play, Lunch & Tip

To play call:

Anna Nelson or Carol Fox

September Results:

High: Carole Thompson

2nd: Clare Hohnstein

3rd: Rosemary Bliss

Low: Linda Pauli

You MUST make reservation with Anna.

There has been interest expressed by some Club members about playing bridge on a regular basis.

We can add a 5th table at our 2nd Wednesday at Boys Town if we get several more. Call Anna Nelson

ROUND ROBIN MARATHON

1st Tuesday, November 6th, 11:00 AM

Red Lobster, Oakview

2707 South 140th Street

October 2nd Results

High: Mary Lou Jambor 3110

Mary Beth Manninger

2nd: Pat Bond

Phyllis Weckerlin 2580

3rd: Jean Cully

Berdinnne Roemich 1960

Monica Clark

BOWLING

Bowling begins!!! Call Cheryl Rath to join the fall team. Great exercise !!

BOOK CLUB

3rd Friday, November 16th, 9:30 AM

The Garden Café - Rockbrook Village

108th & West Center Road

Book: The Things We Do For Love

Author: Kristen Hannah

If you have questions, please contact

Juanita Hammen

STITCH & CHAT

Last Wednesday, November 28th, 1:00-3:00

NO MEETING DUE TO THANKSGIVING

There will **no Stitch and Chat meeting during November and December** because of the holidays. We will be having our annual Christmas luncheon early in December. Date and details will be shared in our December Newsletter. Please try to attend, this is always a fun way to start off the Holiday Season for all. Pat Bond or Dolores Hughes.

November 2018

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 <i>All Saint's Day</i>	2 <i>All Soul's Day</i>	3
4 <i>Daylight Savings Time Begins</i>	5	6 10:00 Welcoming Coffee Round Robin Bridge <i>Election Day</i>	7 6:30 PM Evening Bunco	8	9	10
11	12 <i>Veterans Day</i>	13 10:30 Silent Auction	14 11:00 Bridge	15 	16 9:30 Book Club	17
18	19	20 10:00 Board Meeting 11:45 Birthday Bash	21 NO Morning Bunco	22 <i>Happy Thanksgiving</i>		24
25	26	27 No Gadabouts	28 1:00 No Stitch & Chat	29	30	

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Here's your Newsletter