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THE PRESIDENTS CORNER

Well, what a great turnout for our Silent Auction! Thanks to Mary Ellen Anderson and her team for making it special. Susie Nelson, from Angels Among Us, gave a very informative presentation. We have so many exciting events coming up! Join us for a Welcome Coffee at Carolyn Will's home. Meet new members and visit with current members. To kick off our holiday season, we will have our Annual Holiday Gift Exchange on December 3rd. Chris Sagenbrecht has been wonderful to open her home for this event. Check this newsletter for details

- Rosemary and LouAnn

SILENT AUCTION

Thank you, thank you, thank you. Because of all the wonderful items you donated to the Silent Auction, our total sales for the Silent Auction, the Verbal Auction and the Raffles, **generated \$6269.00** for Angels Among Us. Great job ladies. All of us with the Auction Committee hope you had an enjoyable time and a fabulous meal. Special "thanks" go out to our helpers at the Raffle Tables, the Welcoming Table, and Cashiers. What a great job!!! There may be a few more donation that come in to add to that total. Some stats: 114 members and guest, 224 items, 39 food items, 3 raffle items, 2 verbal auction items, 1 Mystery Gift. We are looking forward to next year.

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

DINE AND DONATE

Our Dine & Donated at LePeeps was a great success. The restaurant made \$569.82 from Metro Women's dining experience which gain us **\$142.46** for our Charity Fund. Great participation ladies. Our next Dine and Donate will be in January. More details in next months Newsletter.

DECEMBER HOLIDAY EXCHANGE

Chris Sagenbrecht has graciously offered to open her beautiful home for our Christmas Holiday Exchange. The event will be held on Tuesday, December 3rd, 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 Luncheons 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. The Newsletter must still go out no matter the weather.

CARDS

If any of our members need a card of Cheer, Get Well, Congratulations or Sympathy sent, please contact Linda Nelson so a card can be sent out to them.

SODA CAN TABS

Please save your soda and beer can tabs. The tabs go to The Ronald McDonald House which supports families with children that are hospitalized. Margi Vice is our contact and you may give your saved tabs to her. Thank you.

DID YOU LOSE A RING???

A ring was found in a sack that held items contributed to the Silent Auction. We may have had this bag for years before this ring was discovered. Please call Carolyn Will if it may be your ring.

LEARN TO PLAY MAH JONGG

The Mah Jongg crowd is looking for players and subs. This group will be giving lesson on how to play the game. If you always wanted to learn to play ... now is your chance. Please check with Betty Delavan if you would like to lean and join the group. They play the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month at 1:00 PM. Contact Betty

WELCOMING COFFEE, 1st TUESDAY, QUARTERLY, NOVEMBER 5th, 10:00 AM

Hostess: Carolyn Will

Co-Hostesses: Pat Bond, Diane Dobrinska

SOCIAL NOON LUNCHEON - 2nd TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 12th, 11:30AM SOCIAL, 12:00 LUNCHEON

At: Cunningham's Pub and Grill, 10904 West Dodge Road, 402-934-4385

Buffet: House Salad, with Ranch and Green Onion vinaigrette, (Italian Dressing)

Cajun Chicken, lightly Blackened Chicken Breast with creamy Cajun sauce, over crispy home fries. Grilled Salmon, grilled salmon filet topped with a lemon caper cream sauce over wild rice pilaf.

Dessert, Bread Pudding, home made and topped with powered sugar and honey.

Cash bar available Cost: \$20.00

Callers: Please contact Bobbie Montequin or Darlene Gaeta at before Noon, November 5th.

If you did not receive a call and wish to attend, call Bobbie or Darlene.

Cancellation: Any cancellation must be made by November 6th or you will be expected to pay for your meal.

Program: Tri-Faith, Rev. Chris Alexander, Associate Pastor.

BOARD MEETING - 3rd TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19th, 10:00 AM

At: Darlene Gaeta

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, <u>must</u> 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 19th, 11:45 AM

At: Vincenzo's Ristorante, 15701 Pacific Street, 402-498-3889 (Sign-up Reservation required - to Shirley) Sign up at the luncheon or call/email Shirley Raleigh. Only room for 28 in Party Room. Every one welcome you do not need to be having a birthday that month. Thank you to all that remember to cancel as well. See you there. Birthday gals are listed on back page.

GADABOUTS - NO GADABOUTS DUE TO THANKSGIVING

A sign-up sheet will be circulated at our gatherings or call / email Doris Helfrich to express your interest in attending. Any question or tour suggestions, contact Doris Helfrich. Note: No Gadabouts in November due to Thanksgiving or December due to Christmas. See you next year.

SPECIAL FUTURE EVENTS

HOLIDAY EXCHANGE - 1st TUESDAY, DECEMBER 3rd, 1:00 PM

Chris Sagenbrecht

Great Holiday kick-off. More info in December's Newsletter

WELCOMING COFFEE - FEBRUARY 4th, 10:00 AM

Hostess: Jerri Cone

Co-Hostesses: Margi Vice, Shirley Raleigh

SPRING GAME DAY - 2nd TUESDAY, MARCH 10th

WELCOMING COFFEE - APRIL 7TH, 10:00 AM

Hostess: Tina Kirby

Co-Hostesses: Chris Sagenbrecht

FASHION SHOW - 2nd TUESDAY, APRIL 14th,

THE PERSONALS

NEW MEMBERS (148 members) Shirley Fey, Birthday July 19

Deborah Merritt Jones Birthday November 30

CHANGES / CORRECTION Annelle Dent - address Myra Hoffart—email

THINKING ABOUT YOU

Pat Goodyear - Thinking of You, fell/back Jacque Bandiera - Thinking of You, Stroke Juanita Hamman - Thinking of You, health issues Marilyn Moessner - Thinking of You, physical therapy

YOU'VE GOT MAIL

Thanks to all the ladies that came to my going away lunch. It was an enjoyable couple of hours. Thank you for the cards and gifts also. I will miss you all but I do plan on coming to a luncheon once in awhile.

- Sue Odell

You have outdone yourselves with thoughts, prayers, cards, notes and food. I am a very lucky woman to be part of such a caring group of women. You have been an invaluable part of my healing process. Thank you

- Jean Cully

With heart filled thanks and appreciation for all the loving and prayerful wishes during my recent recover from surgery. In loving friendship.

- Monica Clark

SPECIAL INTEREST GROUPS

NIGHT BUNCO

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

Hostess: Pat Goodyear Results: October 2nd Most Wins: Cindy Popp

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Most Buncos: LouAnn Norton
Most Losses: Connie Gibb
Door Prize: Tina Kirby

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

DAY BUNCO

3rd Wednesday, November 20th, 9:30 AM

Hostess: Peggy Reibold Results: October 16th s: Margi Vice

Most Wins: Margi Vice
Most Buncos: Shirley Raleigh
Most Losses: Cindy Elwood
Door Prize: Marcelene Lewis

If interested in being a sub in this group, please call Diane Dobrinska.

GOLF

Golf ended October 4th. Contact **Pat Bird** for questions about the Golf League for next summer.

BRIDGE

2nd Wednesday, November 13th, 11:00AM
Boys Town Cafeteria & Visitor Center
13603 Flanagan Drive
\$1.00 to play, Lunch & Tip
To play or questions call:
Anna Nelson or Carol Fox

October 9th Results
High: Karen Lidstrand
2nd: Mary Lou Jambor
Low: Sandy House

Questions or to add your name to the sublist, contact Anna Nelson

ROUND ROBIN MARATHON

1st Tuesday - November 5th, 11:30AM Red Lobster, Oakview 2707 South 140th Street

October 1st Results

3950

2980

2710

High: Linda Nelson & Carolyn Will

2nd: Margaret Baier & Luanne Colbert

3rd: Bobbie Montequin & Marian Schiemann

Monica Clark

BOWLING

Meeting every Monday at Western Bowl at 12:30. Subs needed. Come join!!! To join call Betty Delavan

BOOK CLUB

3rd Friday, November 15th, 9:30 AM
The Garden Café - Rockbrook Village
108th & West Center Road
Book: *The Orphan's Tale*Author: Pam Jenoff
Questions Juanita Hammen

STITCH & CHAT

No Stich & Chat during November and December because of the holidays.

We will have our Annual Christmas Luncheon in December. A Potluck luncheon, Thursday, December 5th at 11:30. Please try to attend, this is always a fun way to start off the Holiday Season for all. See friends and relax for a fun afternoon.

Call **Pat Bond** or **Dolores Hughes** for any questions

MAH JONGG

1st Thursday, November 7th, 1:00 PM 3rd Thursday, November 21st, 1:00 PM Contact Betty Delavan if you are interested in joining or wish to learn how to play.

Questions or to join call **Betty Delavan**

DINNING INN

NOON DELIGHTS - A Gourmet Dinning Club 1st Monday, November 4th, 12:00 Noon Hostess: Luanne Colbert

THE LUNCH BUNCH - A Gourmet Dinning Club 1st Wednesday, November 6th, 12:00 Noon

Hostess: No Luncheon

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

BIRTHDAY GALS

Yvonne Durr November 1
Carol Fox November 4
Cherry Prochaska November 5

Chris Sagenbrecht November 14
Celeste Giery November 23
Mary Moessner November 24

Janice Wallish November 24
Clara Hohnstein November 30
Deborah Merritt Jones November 30

Happy Birthday Ladies

November 2019						
Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2
3 Daylight Sav- ings ends	4 12:00 Noon Delights 12:30 Bowling	5 11:30 Round Robin	6 No Lunch Bunch 6:30 Evening Bunco	7 1:00 Mah Jongg	8	9
10	11 12:30 Bowling Veterans Day	12 11:30 Social Noon Luncheon	13 11:00 Bridge	14	15 9:30 Book Club	16
17	18 12:30 Bowling	19 10:00 Board Meeting 11:45 Birthday Bash	20 9:30 Morning Bunco	21 1:00 Mah Jongg	22	23
24	25 12:30 Bowling	26 No Gadabouts	27 No Stitch & Chat	28 Happy Thanksgiving	29	30

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