

THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF WINTER PARK, INC.

JUNE/JULY 2017 HIGHLIGHTS



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Dear Ladies of The Woman's Club of Winter Park, Inc.



Although summer is here your board members and committees have been busy planning for the upcoming year. Sandra Blossey and her program committee have met several times to plan a very exciting year of programs for us. Beginning in October we will have a luncheon each month: 3 catered lunches (October, December and March) and four lite lunches. Our lite lunches have become popular with the ladies (sharing meals is a blessing!) Search for favorite recipes that you'll be willing to share with the membership and let Sarah Eagan or Frances Biddix know what you'll be willing to bring.

The board is meeting with financial advisers to see how we might possibly increase our scholarship investments to promote an increase in scholarship revenue. We desire to serve as good stewards of the money entrusted to us as well to serve as many needy qualified students as possible.

The Talbots's shopping event, which was held on May 18th, was very successful. Talbots's management said it was the most successful fundraiser that they have had. They would like to make it an annual event.

Thank you to the members who responded to becoming more involved by chairing a special event.

Fall Luncheon Oct. 19th: Natalie Hill and Jo Ann Palmer

Tree in the Park: Carol Card and Bette Blanchfield

Holiday Luncheon Dec. 14th: Kathy Dunn

Fashion Show Spring Luncheon March 15th: Lucy McDonough and Tamila Vitko

Bingo April 5th and 50/50 fundraisers: Linda Heinl

These ladies need committee help for each of these events. Please contact them if you're available to help. Please complete your membership forms and send in your dues. The new membership tea will be on Sept. 21st at 2 PM.

Judy Allen

In Memoriam

Gertrude Barbee "Molly" Magee died on June 4, 2017 after a brief illness. Molly was President of the Woman's Club of Winter Park from 2001-2003 and was a wonderful role model for many of us. In honor of Molly's memory, reach out to a fellow member who might be going through a difficult time. Just letting someone know that you're "thinking of them" could be the uplifting moment that they need for today.



Wishing a Happy Birthday to:

June birthdays:

JoAnn Bandy 6/12

Maxine Gay 6/9

Linda Manzonelli 6/11

Ann Polasek 6/29

Eileen Schiavo 6/21

Carolyn Cooper 6/3

Cynthia Gerken 6/29

Susan Fowler O'Sullivan 6/5

Shelby Roberts 6/23

Shawn Shaffer 6/26

Sarah Eagan 6/21

Ann Hunter 6/10

Marie-Claire Penot 6/30

Midge Ruff 6/22

July birthdays:

Danilee Cassinelli 7/23

Eleanore Kaney 7/18

Eileen Long 7/25

Barbara Sullivan 7/23

Kathryn Di Mauro 7/16

Elaine Kerr 7/19

Sally Martin 7/7

Marisa Worley 7/4

Iris Grimmer 7/15

Gerry Liff 7/21

Nancy Schiff 7/15

ANNUAL RUMMAGE SALE

Donations for the Rummage Sale will be accepted beginning Monday, 8/28 to 9/1, from 9am to 1:30pm.

Volunteers Needed to sort, price and tag items any time beginning Monday, 8/28 to 9/1, from 9am to 1:30pm. Any amount of time you can give, even just an hour would be helpful. We also need volunteers for the actual sale on Saturday, 9-2-2017.

If you have a strong son or son-in-law we would like to invite them to assist with crowd control, especially in the morning.

Contact me if have problem with those drop off dates. The Bake Sale was very popular last year, hope you are planning what you will be baking for this year's Sale.

Contact Mabel Rasmussen if you wish to volunteer for the week before or the sale or if you have questions. My new # [407-840-4548](tel:407-840-4548) or via email: mjr1340@hotmail.com. Thank you and enjoy your summer, Mabel

2016-2017 Scholarship Annual Report
Prepared by Barbara W. Hughes

I am honored to have served as Chairman of the Woman's Club of Winter Park, Inc. Scholarship Committee for a third year. This year the following members served on the committee:

Barbara Bergstrom, Arlene Bridges, Marilyn Cromer, Beverly Cox, Sharyn Jontz, Patricia Johnson, Elaine Laegeler, Bonnie Mizell, Karen Rodda, and Diane Sandquist were returning members. Sharyn Jontz served as Secretary and Patricia Johnson served as Treasurer.

Our new members were Elaine Kerr and Sheila Spitler.

The Returning Committee met on August 15, 2016, to review the year, to refine the rubric utilized and to make adjustments to the Applications. The committee also made a recommendation to be taken to the Woman's Club Board regarding the Scholarship Investment Policy.

On November 2, 2016, The Board of Directors of The Woman's Club of Winter Park, Inc. amended the second paragraph of the Scholarship Committee Investment Policy. The second paragraph now reads:

"Donors to the Scholarship Fund shall have the choice of placing their donation(s) in a capital fund in perpetuity with only income from these invested funds to be used for scholarships OR donors may choose to designate to have all or part of their donation(s) be utilized for scholarships in the current fiscal year. If no designation is indicated, then the donation(s) will automatically default to be placed in the capital fund in perpetuity and therefore only the income from these invested funds shall be utilized for scholarships."

We hosted a Scholarship Table for the Membership Tea on September 22nd.

Our first meeting with the returning and new committee members was on November 9. We looked at plans for the year ahead of us and we began in earnest to plan for the Scholarship Reception to be held on December 15th. On both December 14th and 15th, we were very busy decorating the Woman's Club and preparing food for the Scholars' Reception.

We had a very well attended Scholars' Reception on December 15th. Gift of Music entertained us and Dr. Robert Smither, Dean Emeritus Rollins College, College of Arts and Sciences, provided a thought-provoking talk on Leadership. A few of the student scholars also shared about their college experiences. We ended the evening with several Raffle winners - thanks to generous donations of members and others.

In January 2017, I prepared a report of last year's scholarships for the Central Florida Foundation. We receive earned income annually from the Pauline Mossman endowment housed at the Central Florida Foundation to utilize towards our scholarship awards.

Applications were due on March 1, 2017. On March 6, 2017, the committee met to study the applications of both new applicants and renewal applicants. The committee diligently examined the material received from each applicant and narrowed down the number to interview. Over fifty applications were received. The committee interviewed new applicants on April 1, 2017. The Renewals do not need to be interviewed again.

On April 3, 2017, the committee met to determine the actual scholarship awards for 2017-2018. We are proud to be awarding 15 Renewal Scholars in the amount of \$500 per scholar and 12 New Scholars in the amount of \$2,000 per scholar and 2 New Scholars in the amount of \$1,000 each. The total awards are \$33,500. The Committee hopes you will join us in December of 2017 to have the opportunity to meet The Woman's Club of Winter Park, Inc. outstanding Scholars at a reception held to honor them.

The moneys awarded to the students are derived from the income earned from the Pauline Mossman endowment at the Central Florida Foundation, the Morse Genius Foundation, the earnings from a capital fund at Morgan Stanley, and donations made specifically to be utilized for scholarships in the current fiscal year. The capital fund at Morgan Stanley has been built and sustained by members who have made donations over the

years or by bequests that have been made by members or their families and friends. We thank each and every one of you who have made our scholarships possible.

In July checks will be sent to the colleges and universities of our scholars.

Our committee met on April 10, 2017, to evaluate this year and to prepare for our upcoming year – perhaps with some new ideas!

It has indeed been an honor to serve with some amazingly dedicated woman over the past three years.

Respectfully submitted,
Barbara W. Hughes

Our 2017 Scholars:

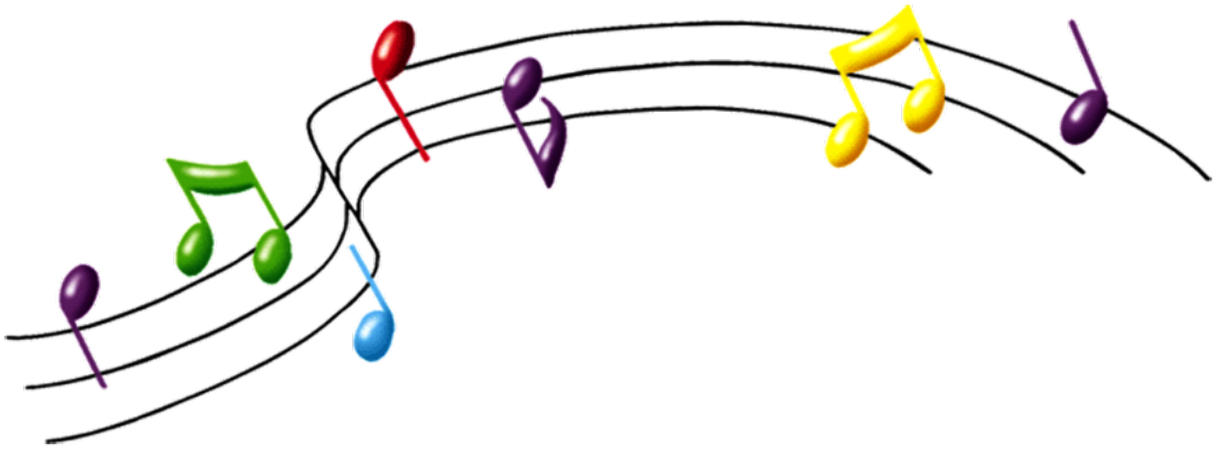


Renewals

Nikhila Anand	University of Central Florida
Jasmine Cabrera	University of Central Florida
Lauren Culbreth	University of Florida
Huong Dang	University of Central Florida
Kristina Groetsch	University of Central Florida
Ryyan Kassoo	University of Florida
Donald Phan	Rollins College
Allyson Reinneck	University of Florida
Shannar O'Connor	University of Miami
Jack Henry Reckmeyer	University of Southern California
Julie Sparks	Rollins
Gregory Seel	Florida State
Mariah Trainor	Assumption College
Antoinette Thomas	Florida State
Angela Zhu	University of South Florida

New Scholars – Some have not made their final decision on college of their choice

Elizabeth Abel	Winter Park High	University of Florida
Sara Bartlett	Winter Park High	Samford University
Sydney Capers	Dr. Phillips High	Augustana University
Joseph DeRienzo	West Orange High	University of Florida
Sierra Hittel	Hagerty High	University of Alabama or Florida State
Sophie Krist	Lyman High	Presbyterian College
Alexandra (Sasha) Moore	Winter Park High	Stanford University
Chantale Ninah	West Orange High	University of Central Florida
Shanara Ramirez	Winter Park High	Rollins College
Trinity Turlington	Hagerty High	University of North Carolina
Kimberly Welsh	Lake Brantley High	Florida Atlantic University
Brooke Woehr	Lyman High	Palm Beach Atlantic
Day Toscano	Boone High	Savannah College of Art and Design
Madison Tharp	West Orange High	University of Florida or University of Pennsylvania



Woman's Club and Central Florida Vocal Arts Fundraiser

August 4, 2017

Join Central Florida Vocal Arts as we welcome Orlando Light Opera to our production family in an original cabaret, "New Beginnings!"

Help us celebrate Central Florida Vocal Arts and Orlando Light Opera kick off our second season together with "The Merry Widow", opening August 10th at The Orlando Repertory Theatre.

Cabaret guests will relish in previews from the upcoming performance, as well as favorite pieces from golden age musical theatre, operetta, and opera.

Together, we will cherish our collaboration with the Woman's Club of Winter Park, share some exciting news, and enjoy an evening of music, art and "Merry"ment!

6:30 pm Wine and Hors D'oeuvres

7:00 pm Live Entertainment

Dessert and Coffee to follow

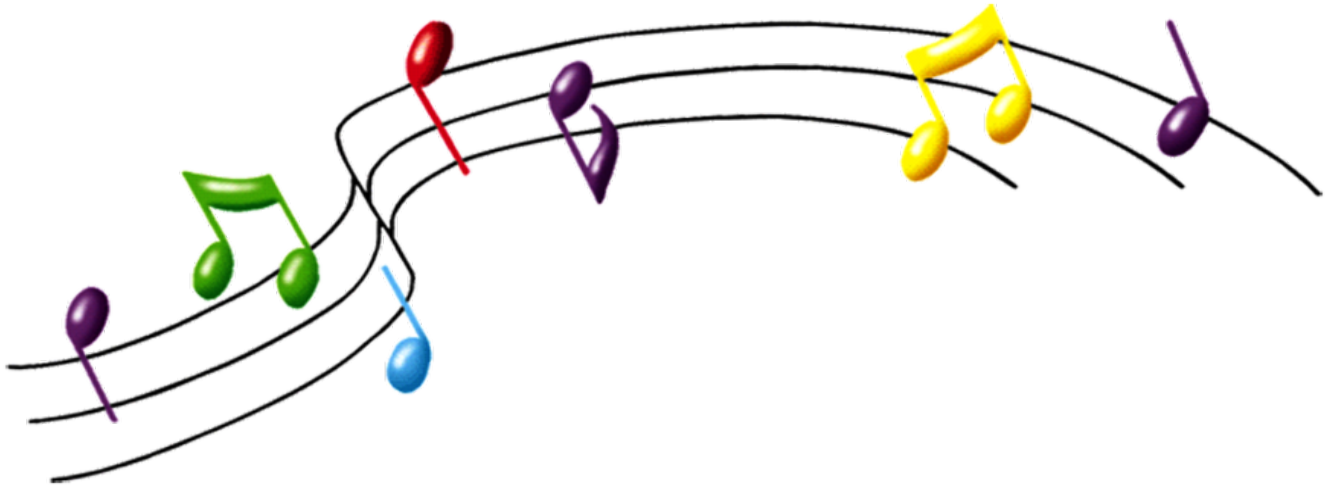
\$25 Woman's Club Members

\$30 Non-Members

Reservations at www.womansclubofwinterpark.com

Or

Reservation form in these Highlights



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Fundraiser
August 4, 2017*

6:30 pm Wine and Hors D'oeuvres

7:00 pm Live Entertainment

Dessert and Coffee to follow

\$25 Woman's Club Members

\$30 Non-Members

Name _____

Number of Guests _____

Amount of Check _____



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3/27/2017

Winter Park Women's Group
Judy Allen
244 Rippling Lane
Winter Park, FL 32789

Dear Judy and the Winter Park Women's Group,

Thank you for your recent donation of the Move-In Kit supplies on 3/20/2017 to Family Promise. With your generous donation, you helped our families who are homeless find their way back home and have much-needed supplies when they got to their new place! Because of you, we can continue to help children like Elyza'ann.



Because of you, Elyza'ann has a crib of her very own.

Elyza Ann's mom lost her job. Life became difficult and scary. She happened to find Family Promise just at the right time. She worked hard to meet their case management goals while in the program and now they are back to living independently in an apartment of their own.

Because of your donation, we are able to continue to help families like Elyza'ann's. Your donation truly impacts the lives of the families in our program. Thank you for your generosity.

Sincerely,

Tia Aery
Executive Director

Thank you, ladies!!

P.S. If you are interested in learning more about Family Promise, we offer regular "No Place Like Home" tours. Email me at tiaaery@familypromiseorlando.org to reserve a spot. We would love to see you!

Building Communities, Strengthening Lives

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**MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION
WOMAN'S CLUB OF WINTER PARK, INC.
P.O. BOX 1433 WINTER PARK, FL 32790**

Your Name _____ Today's Date _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email Address _____ Birth Month _____ Day _____

Please check if you do **not** want your information published in directory: Phone ___ Cell ___ Email ___

Please list professional experience and volunteer interests:

Please indicate your interest in other committees:

Ways & Means: Labor Day Rummage Sale _____ Spring Woman's Show _____ Founder's Day _____
Bake Sale _____ Auctions _____ Bingo _____ Raffles _____

Community Service: Adult Literacy _____ Salvation Army _____ Orlando Rescue Mission _____
Winter Park Housing _____ Dress for Success _____ Other? _____

Programs: Music _____ Art _____ Literature _____ Travel _____ Health _____ Drama _____ Other? _____

Hospitality: Greeter/Pourer _____ Centerpieces _____ Kitchen Assistants _____ Sandwiches/Cookies _____
Linen cleaning _____

Lunches: Fall _____ Holiday _____ Fashion Show _____ Dinner on the Avenue _____

Scholarship: Review applications, Interview Candidates & Make Decisions _____

Publicity: _____ Website & Facebook _____ Finance Chair or Treasurer _____

Fundraising Committee _____ **House Preservation Committee** _____ **Club History** _____

Membership Committee _____ **House** _____ **Landscaping** _____ **Legal Issues** _____

Holiday Parade _____ **Holiday Tree in the Park** _____

Please add check for your dues -----(\$95)

New member initiation (one time)----- (\$25)

Voluntary donation-----

Total _____