

THE WOMAN'S CLUB OF WINTER PARK, INC.

SEPTEMBER 2022 HIGHLIGHTS



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President's Column

As we go to "Press," we will be right in the middle of preparing for the Annual Rummage Sale over the Labor Day weekend. Chairman, Cindy Abeel, has had two meetings to get organized and hopefully all of you that could be working at set up, being sale day workers or shoppers. We are advertising only for Saturday, but will also be open on Sunday afternoon for reduced prices. This is a real TEAM EFFORT, and remember the Sports theme!



Kudos goes to Theresa Smith-Levin and the Central Florida Vocal Arts members for an outstanding performance of the **Sound Of Music** over two weekends in August. They teamed up with the Space Coast Symphony Orchestra for 3 performances at the Dr. Phillips Center, and then the following weekend had shows in Melbourne and Vero Beach.

Many of you may not know that we are partners with CFVA and they have been using our Historic building all summer on weeknights to rehearse and prepare for this event. I attended the final show and was blown away by the professionalism of all the participants and of course the music. My son Roy was the harpist in the orchestra, so it made it all the more special.

The month of September is the kickoff for the 2022-23 WCWP season. Once the Rummage Sale is concluded, we look forward to the Membership Tea on the 22nd with Chris Bush charting out the program. There will be booths for each committee to showcase our many charitable causes and to begin to start seeing familiar faces once again. Please encourage ladies you know to join us and let us share what we love about this organization. It will be nice to get back into the "groove" of the Woman's Club programs and luncheons.

Natalie Hill, President

Announcements & Updates

Hospitality Committee



Hospitality Committee needs help with their weekly teas starting in October.

Greeters, tea pourers, cookies, set up and clean up help would be greatly appreciated. We need 2 greeters, 1 tea pourer and cookies.

Please email: Jacqueline Stewart mikjacstew@aol.com
Shannon McClain smcheermom@gmail.com

**Jacqueline Stewart & Shannon McClain,
Hospitality Co-Chairs**

Charitable Giving



Our first Charitable Giving committee meeting is on September 20th at 1 pm at the clubhouse. All club members are welcome to attend.

Please visit the Charitable Giving table at the September 22nd Membership Tea to pick up your Salvation Army Christmas stocking.

The Woman's Club Rummage Sale on September 3rd and 4th is the major source of our donations to local non-profits in the spring. Please support the Rummage Sale by volunteering, shopping and getting the word out to family and friends.

**Lucy McDonough & Kathy Parham,
Charitable Giving Committee Co-Chairs**

Historian



We are searching for missing Membership Yearbooks from the Club's early years for the archives. Please keep your eyes open at yard sales, in antique and second-hand stores, and maybe in your own collection!

Missing years: 1915, 1916, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1927, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1942, 1943 and 1946. In 1932, bulletins were substituted for Membership Yearbooks, so anything from those years might look very different from what we have today. In 1941, Membership Yearbooks were again created.

The Archival Collection is also missing a 2014 - 2015 Membership Yearbook. The archives will even take yearbooks with your hand written name and/or notes in them, which actually makes them more fun!

Also, on Wednesday, September 14, from 11:00 am - 12:00 pm, as Club Historian, I will be joining well-known Winter Park Historian Fairolyn Livingston at the Winter Park Public Library to explore the history of West Winter Park and the story of two Winter Park club members: Mrs. Mary Lee DePugh, a founder of the Ideal Woman's Club, and Mrs. Maud Kraft, an early Woman's Club of Winter Park club member. Everyone is welcome!

**Kim Mould,
Historian Chair**

Grounds and Gardens



Gardening in September, yes! Please join us. I'll be at the Club working in the gardens on September 9th and 23rd, from 9:30am to 10:30am. Please mark your calendar and come for some fresh air! Happy Gardening!

**Jackie Byrd Thompson,
Grounds Chair
(407) 740-8944, Text or Call**

Ways and Means



The first Saturday in September is synonymous with Rummage Sale!! Saturday, September 3rd, from 9 am - 4 pm and Sunday, September 4th, from 12 pm - 4 pm, our lovely Clubhouse will be transformed into a shopping mall galore with items of all kinds looking for new homes, while money from sales goes to Charitable Giving. **It is not too late to help with set up September 1st and 2nd, or at the sale Saturday or Sunday.** We can also handle last minute donations. It's great to let me know you can help, yet, if you find at

the last minute you have time, just come on down!! The more of us there, especially for the sale, the better. New members come and meet some new friends. Wear a sports themed shirt or our yellow club shirt and your name badge to be easily recognized by shoppers. Continue to invite everyone you know to the sale. Members ONLY are invited to shop on Friday for first choice of our bargains. A recap of the sale will come in October Highlights, and I will be looking forward to seeing all of you at the Membership Tea.

Cindy Abeel,
Ways and Means Chair
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Happy Birthday



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| Maria Van Warner | 9/4 | Jean Pinder | 9/14 |
| Katie Campbell | 9/7 | Diana Secor | 9/14 |
| Marilyn Cromer | 9/7 | Claudia Breese | 9/23 |
| Maureen Holloway | 9/7 | Nancy Vicars | 9/24 |
| Elizabeth Smith | 9/10 | Janet Barry | 9/27 |
| Ruth Heine | 9/14 | | |

Programs



Happy September Ladies!

Our season is just around the corner. We have been working hard all summer, lining up our events and new speakers for the upcoming year.

The Calendar will be finished for our Membership Tea.

I am looking forward to seeing everyone very soon!!

**Lindsay Pelosa,
Program Chair**

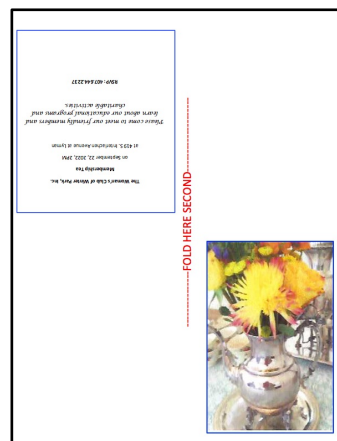
Membership News



Membership Tea- Thursday, September 22 at 2:00 pm. Please come and bring your friends & neighbors to see what wonderful programs & events that the club has planned for the upcoming year. **Please RSVP to Julie at 407-644-2237 by September 19.** Please find an invitation included with this Highlights (page 7) that you can print and fold up to present to your friends for the Tea.

**Chris Bush,
Membership Chair**

For the invitation below:



RSVP: 407.644.2237

*Please come to meet our friendly members and
learn about our educational programs and
charitable activities.*

at 419 S. Interlachen Avenue at Lyman

on September 22, 2022, 2PM

Membership Tea

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