



Bostonia Woman's Club The Buzz

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:Clever and Quick on Our Feet in Federation"

Dear Club members and friends,

I want to thank each of you that supported the difficult decision to raise our yearly dues an additional \$5.00. The money will go to help pay for the cost of having our website on the internet for one year. Our website has proved to be a very valuable asset to the club. Brenda and her staff have done an exceptional job of building the website and the posting of our current events and the newsletter each month. Thank you Brenda for all your hard work in making the website for our club.

I want to welcome our newest members to our club, Donna Van Ert and Nonie Beach. Nonie presented our program at the January meeting on Project Linus. She provides blankets to children who are seriously ill or traumatized in some way. If you would like to make a blanket or help her sew tags on the blankets she has in her garage please give her a call @ 619 258-9910.

Cheri Rose and I met with the director of the Pregnancy Care Center of East County over coffee at Starbucks. Josh was interested in our women's club and how we could help him continue to provide free assistance to pregnant women. He has a program that consists of filling a baby bottle (which he provides the bottles) with coins. If you want to put dollar bills or a check that would be great also. Cheri passed out the bottles at the February meeting. It was agreed that we would bring the bottles back to our March meeting and turn them into The Pregnancy Care Center. They will count the total money collected and send us back a receipt .

I want to thank Carol Sue Mills for standing in as parliamentarian and Barbara Lanphere as secretary at our last meeting for Mary and Jan who were sick at home. We wish both Mary and Jan a speedy recovery.

Hugs to all of you,
Linda

Mark your calendar

Feb. 12, 09 - Make Tea Baskets and Art Festival Baskets at Mary Gabaldon's house 10:00 A.M.

We will discuss our upcoming Bunco party also.

Feb. 13, 09 - El Cajon Woman's Club Chocolate / Chocolate fundraiser. You need to RSVP to Linda by 2/6/09.

Meet at Bostonia Rec. Center at 9:30 A.M. to carpool.

Feb. 18, 09 - Southern District Executive Board meeting at CoCo's

Feb. 25, 09 - Southern District Art Festival, St. Dunstan's Church 11:00A.M. - 3:00P.M.

Meet at Bostonia Rec. Center @ 10:30 A.M. to carpool.

Spiritual Values

Where there is great love there are always miracles.
 _____ Willa Cather



Prayers

Mary Thompson has been under the weather for two weeks. Hope she recovers soon. We miss you. Cheryl Ripley's husband had open heart surgery on 2/5/09. We wish him a speedy recovery. Get well wishes go to Jan Lowell, she is fighting an upper respiratory infection.

Presidents Project-El Cajon Cancer Relay

The El Cajon Relay for Life is June 6 & 7, 2009. Linda Cowle is co chair for the food booth and is a Team Captain. The team name is "BWC Pink Lipstick Jungle." Please save the date and sign up for a time to come and walk the field as well as to help manage the food booth with her.

Our February Club Meeting

Brenda completed the Adopt a Street sign art work and the sign is ready to post on a Greenfield location. It was suggested to post by to the stoplight before getting on I-8.

We have a new fundraiser of Cookie Lee jewelry. We passed out catalogues at the last Club meeting to try and get outside orders. We will have the Cookie Lee representative at our May club meeting to look at the jewelry and pick up your orders. Contact Mary Gabaldon @ 619 588-6866 to place orders or pick up a catalogue.

Conservation

Mary Ann Evan's has asked for our help in collecting empty potted plant containers of any size that you would otherwise dispose of them. The potted plant containers would be used to support Julian continuation school. They received a grant for a hot house and are in need of the containers. Please bring the containers to club and Mary Ann will see they are delivered to the school.

High Tea Party

We still have openings for people to signup and work the tea. We also have food donations if you are unable to work it. There are people needed to take the boxes of table settings home to wash both before and after the tea. Please call Brenda to help @ 619 270-5497.

Bostonia Elementary School

The Bostonia Elementary school will be participating in our Southern District Art Festival on February 25, 2009. This will be there first time to enter.

Festival of Arts: Wednesday, February 25, 2009. St. Dunstan's Church. Cost: \$12.00 per person. Luncheon served by Cupid's Catering. Bring a craft to enter. Tickets are now on sale.

DUES ARE PAST DUE

Pay \$30 for the year 2009. Mail your check to: Barbara Lanphere, 1233 Navello St., El Cajon, CA 92021.

Current Projects

Abused Women	Fire Depts. of El Cajon & Bostonia
Adopt a Street	Glorias Rest home
Adopt-a-Family	Historical Society
Arts & Crafts	Hospice
Bostonia School and activities	Leadership
Bostonia Tea	Mexican Orphanage
Breast Cancer	Pregnancy Care Center
Call to Protect	Project Linus
CHP-1199	Recycle Eye Glasses
Conservation	Ronald McDonald House
Crisis House	Salvation Army
East County Chamber of Commerce	Spring Fling
Educational Projects	Summer Bunch
Festival of Arts	

**We have no February Birthdays
So I wish you all a happy Valentine's Day!**



HOSTESSES

The hostesses for the March meeting are Mary Gabaldon and Lucinda Peck.

Our Newsletter

Please submit any items you would like put into the newsletter for subsequent issues, at club or call Linda Cowle before March 4, 2009 at **(619) 938-1623**. Any donations, either monies, copy paper, cartridges, or stamps, etc., to offset the expense of the newsletter, will be lovingly accepted.