

**Magnolia Point  Women's Club**  
**Minutes of the February 8, 2012 Meeting**

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**Call to Order**

President Mary Kendall called the meeting to order at 3:35 pm and welcomed everyone.

**Membership**

Lynn was pleased to announce 221 paid members to date.

**Acceptance of Minutes**

Kit Cella moved to accept the January minutes. Joanie Braatz seconded and the motion passed.

**Information, Susan Mitchell**

Susan announced she received the first piece of mail with our fictitious name, MPWC Charities. Both names will be linked together on the State of Florida website.

**Information, Mary Kendall**

1. Mary thanked Susan Mitchell for giving such a well prepared, informative Facebook class.
2. If you are interested in holding an office or serving on a committee for the 2012-2013 year please contact a member of the Nominating Committee. Committee members: Mary Kendall, Cheryle Newman, Lynn Kelly, Sandy Eastman, Cindy Triay.
3. Please forward all volunteer hours to Nancy Nettuno by the end of this week. They will be used when applying for grants. Nancy is busy researching new things, applying for grants, and working on Celebrate Clay. She will have a detailed report next month.
4. Nancye Hale advised Mary that all new residents have been greeted and the Hospitality Committee is up to date on visits.
5. There were three dollar (\$) commercials this month. **(1)**. Cheryle Newman our next "team leader" asked members to consider signing up for Vice President or Committee openings. She expressed the need for new ideas of interest to all members. She is also interested in any programs you would like scheduled. Cheryle wants to keep "our club" from becoming stagnant and increase meeting attendance. **(2)**. Penny Boykin is having decorative concrete edging installed around her garden and invites us to stop by and check it out. The work is being done by "Custom Edge." **(3)**. Linda Easterwood is collecting tattered, torn, faded flags to pass on to several Boy Scout troops. This will enable them to learn the proper way to retire our colors. American flags are burned with reverence when they are retired. Linda is still collecting cancelled stamps for cancer research. Flags can be placed in the plastic bin on her porch, stamps under her door mat. Both can be given to her at the meetings.

**Committee Reports Synopses**

**1.Fund Raising, Shirley Orvosh:** **(1)**. Shirley thanked all who worked, donated, purchased tickets or helped in any other way to make this year's OP Community Theatre fundraiser a success. Susan reports 70 tickets sold, \$71 made on drinks and \$250 paid to the theatre. Susan is still working on the final profit report. Shirley is hopeful we will be selected again next year.

**2.Box Tops & Labels, Geri Isgan:** Challenge Enterprise employee, Bob Rawlings was presented with 63 lbs of pull tabs to be donated Saturday to the Ronald McDonald House. Bob was so appreciative and thanked everyone. Photos were taken and will be sent to the local papers.

**3.Outreach, Debbie Brown & Eloise Burman:** Debbie reported on our next outreach opportunity; to assist in the annual St. Johns River Cleanup, (3/17/12, 8-12 noon). Lunch will follow at Camp Chowenwaw. Groups of 10 or more will be kept together and assigned a specific area. She passed around a volunteer sign-up sheet and explained husbands and children are included in this project. Please bring a canned good or book to donate. Debbie has written an article with the details in the MPWC February issue of "Pointing The Way." More information will be provided as it becomes available.

**4.Social, Kathie Cardon:** Kathie has a Fashion Show & Luncheon planned on March 14. A short business meeting will follow. Mary explained (8-10) models will select and be fitted for outfits at Beall's OakLeaf. She then passed around a model sign-up sheet. Exact start time will be announced. The trip to Blue Springs State Park to see the Manatees has been postponed due to the warm water.

**Adjournment:**

There being no further business, President Mary adjourned the meeting at 3:55 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Penny Murphy  
Secretary

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After the break Cynthia Addison, DAR Regent of the Sophia Fleming Chapter, gave a brief history of the organization. Significance of the United States flags and associated wars was explained as we participated in a patriotic sing-a-long.

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