

Painting The Way

"To offer a nonprofit, educational and service-oriented organization to its members"

Magnolia Point Singers

The Singers presented a stirring concert of patriotic favorites at our July meeting. Selections included "God Bless America" and "Thank You, Service Men and Women."



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Director Allen Eastman presented a moving rendition of Johnny Cash's 'Ragged Old Flag,' complete with an authentic, spotlighted ragged old flag.

The Singers received a standing ovation upon conclusion of their program!

Meeting, Wed., Aug 8

Our next meeting is Wednesday, August 8 at 3:30pm in the clubhouse.

It is "Member Appreciation Day" with a quiz on how much you know about your fellow members plus we will have complimentary light snacks.

Welcome New Members

Virginia Hall Jan Morse
Jean Thrasher Gloria Walker

Directory Ads On Sale

The deadline for directory ads is August 31st! Please let us know if you can recommend a service to advertise with us.

If you have any questions, contact **Virgene Wildner** at 531-9008 or **Susan Mitchell** at 529-7215.

Oct. 6 - Community Garage Sale

MPWC will again participate in the community-wide garage sale on Saturday, Oct. 6 from 8am - Noon. Some of us are setting a box aside and depositing things we find around our house to donate to the sale.

Nov. 9 - Holiday Boutique at the Elks . . .

Our annual Holiday Boutique will be held on Friday, November 9th from 10am - 4pm at the Elks Lodge south of town. If you are interested in having a table to sell your arts and crafts, contact Coral Nettuno at 529-8205.

Chairman Shirley Orvosh will be collecting donations for the raffle baskets and door prizes. If you have any questions, give Shirley a call at 284-6793.

A Big Outreach Thank You

Chairs Eloise Burman and Pat Jolly send a big thanks to everyone who supported the recent drives for school and hygiene supplies.

An estimated \$500 worth of school supplies were donated for the J. P. Hall Children's Charities backpacks to be given to those students in need.

Also, 125 hygiene kits filled with shampoo, conditioner, toothbrushes, toothpaste and deodorant were donated to the Way Free Medical Clinic for distribution to students.

As always, our membership comes through in times of need! Thank you again!

President's Message

Here's a few "shout outs" to our hardworking and loyal members:

First, thank you Magnolia Singers again. Although we have heard them before, this time they blended wonderfully without the benefit of microphones. The spoken tribute to the flag done by Allen Eastman, brought tears to a few eyes. A new resident and guest even voiced a desire to join the group. Great Job singers!

Second, thank you to the Program/Social Committee who worked very hard on getting the survey out, compiled and posted on the website. They have committed to provide our membership with some fun and exciting things this year. If you haven't attended a meeting lately, come on back and take part in what they have to offer for your enjoyment. Stay connected; some of the activities will be a luncheon meeting, Happy Hour or even a day trip or two.

Kudos to Joanie Braatz, Sandy Eastman, Mary Kendall and Dotti Curry.

Next up are the CEB Chairs, Dee Pratt and Phyllis Skarbrevik. They worked with CEB Principal Evelyn Chastain and came up with a new plan for back to school shopping! Gracias, Ladies!

Blessings in a Backpack chairs Jean Cosby and Marilyn Cole stepped forward to take on a very large challenge and we are ready to kick it off. Jean has worked with the principal and management at Walmart to have everything in place to make this project happen. Marilyn has worked on forming and scheduling the teams to package the food each week. Thank you to the "Team Leaders" for putting teams in place to get this project on task...More to come on Jean and the Internet contest.

The most important *Thank You* goes out to *You*, the membership, who never fail to answer the call whether it is personal hygiene items for Way Free Clinic or school supplies for J.P. Hall Charities. You are an awesome group of women and this year, we are going to have some fun along the way.

Upcoming will be the drive for the Food Pantry and the community garage sale. Don't throw away those knickknacks and stuff, drop them in a box and donate to the garage sale on October 6th.

Make sure to put our next meeting, August 8th., on your calendar as it is Member Appreciation Day.

See you at the meeting, Cheryle

***** Classified Ads *****

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