

# Painting The Way

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## "My Life As An Air Traffic Controller" . . .

What a treat to hear Norm Magyar tell us about working as an air traffic controller. We learned about his career from how he chose it to his retirement. Air traffic controllers must speak very clearly, be mentally quick and in very good health.



Norm & Whitney

Norm ended his talk with the interaction between an air traffic controller and a pilot on a flight from Jacksonville to Atlanta.

## Wed., Feb. 10 - Meeting . . . . .

Our next meeting is on Wednesday, February 10<sup>th</sup> at 3:30pm in the dining room of the clubhouse. Bill Finneran is our guest speaker and will tell us about "My Life as a Rear Admiral, USN." Sally will follow up about the life as a Rear Admiral's wife. Husbands and guests are invited and should arrive by 4:00pm.

Happy Hour with drink specials and dinner will follow the meeting. For reservations, call 269-9276 x 0.

## Support our Pet Rescue Month . . . . .

Outreach Chairman Katie Bean has announced we will be supporting our 4-legged friends and CatBugs Pet Rescue from now until March 9th. The following items are needed:

- Purina ONE Dog, Cat, Puppy or Kitten Dry Food
- Tidy Cat or Fresh Step Clumping Cat Litter
- Trash Bags [13 Gallon Size]
- Bleach, Laundry Detergent
- Paper Towels
- Petco or PetSmart Gift Cards

Donations may be left at the exit side of the guard house or at Katie Bean's home at 3436 Olympic Drive.

## Welcome New Members . . . . .

Barbara Broughton . . . . . Kathleen Crook  
Sandy Hricik . . . . . Barbara Kirkman  
Marie Reader

## Leaders Needed . . . . .

Next year's President, Sandy Waldrup, is looking for a few good women to fill the open positions on next year's Board. The following leaders are needed:

- Vice President
- Fund Raising
- Holiday Boutique
- Social
- Hospitality
- Historian
- Labels for Education

If you have an interest, contact Sandy as soon as possible as the slate needs to be presented at our March meeting.

## Thanks for Supporting Wrong Turn . . . . .

A big thanks to everyone who supported the play we recently hosted at the Orange Park Community Theatre. It was probably the best show we have seen so far and the laughter in the audience attested to that.

Thanks to leader Cheryle Newman and Chef Jo Ann Johnson who did a fantastic job on the appetizers and desserts that were not only delicious, but beautiful. Thanks go to the cooks:

- Joanie Braatz . . . . . Carrie Cardascia
- Sandy Eastman . . . . . Sally Finneran
- Jo Ann Johnson . . . . . Kathryn Kossuth
- Joanne Montzka . . . . . Hattie Reddinger
- Phyllis Skarbrevik . . . . . Nelle Troyer
- Sandy Waldrup . . . . . Marsha Zupan

The net profit was \$1,425.00 including \$223.00 from the beverage sales. Proceeds will go into our scholarship fund.

## Apr 30 - Community Yard Sale . . . . .

If you start your spring cleaning and have some items you don't want or need anymore, we will be glad to take them.

The women's club will again participate in the Community Yard Sale to be held on Saturday, April 30th. Watch for more details.

Proceeds will benefit our scholarship fund.

## President's Message .....

January brought some chilly weather this year. I, for one, am looking forward to spring. You don't have to wait for spring to warm up, come on out to our February meeting and hear our own "Sweethearts," Bill and Sally Finneran, speak about their life as an Admiral and his wife. Husbands are invited and drink specials will be available.

The house was packed last month to hear Norm Magyar speak. Norm did a fantastic job - "Thank You Norm!"

A big "Thank You" to Nancy Nettuno for securing two terrific grants that will benefit our BIB program. Winn Dixie/Bi-Lo donated \$9,400 and Communities in Schools of Northeast Florida gave a \$3000 donation to help feed the underprivileged children.. Nancy does such a great job with our grant requests. She is looking for someone to shadow her this year. If you have good writing skills and would love to learn something new, contact Nancy at 904 529-7577.

We are also looking for some ladies willing to serve on our Board next year. We have positions available, including a Vice President and some committee chairmen. If you are interested in helping out, please let Sandy Waldrup or me know.

Don't forget our annual "Pet Drive" to benefit Catbug's Pet Rescue. You can drop your product donations at both the front and back gates. You may also drop off items to Katie Bean at 3436 Olympic Drive.

Don't forget Valentine's Day is coming up. The club will be having their Valentine's Dinner on Friday the 12th. Come on out and celebrate with your friends.

"There is nothing on this earth more to be prized than true friendship." Thomas Aquinas. "Happy Valentine's Day" to all my friends.

Respectfully submitted, Eloise Burman

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