

# Painting The Way

"To offer a social, educational and charitable organization to the women of Magnolia Point"

## "Celebration of 15 Years" .....

Founding members Kathie Cardon and Barbara Szymanski recapped how the women's club started and has progressed over the years. Members should be proud to know they have donated more than \$300,000 to those in need in our area.



Barbara & Kathie

Members celebrated with a beautiful anniversary cake and soft drinks. Many thanks to Cheryle Newman who provided a glass of champagne for a congratulatory toast.

## Wed., Apr 13 - Meeting .....

Our next meeting is on Wednesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am in the dining room of the clubhouse.

Following the meeting, our guest speaker is Tim Deegan, a meteorologist for First Coast News. Tim will talk about hurricane preparedness. A luncheon will follow the talk. Previous reservations are required.

## Apr 13 - Books & Bling Event .....

Following the luncheon, the social committee has planned a "Books & Bling Event." Members will be able to exchange costume jewelry and/or books.

Members will receive a ticket for each item of jewelry they bring and one for each book. A maximum of five (5) books is allowed with no maximum on the jewelry. Members may use their tickets to purchase an item from another member.

## Dues Payable on May 1 .....

Our fiscal year ends on April 30<sup>th</sup>, so member dues are payable on May 1. Dues continue to be only \$20.00 a year.

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**On June 1, member dues will be \$25.00.**

## Upcoming Hygiene Products Drive .....

Beginning on June 1, the Outreach Committee will start its annual drive for hygiene products. This year's donations will go to The Way Free Medical Clinic and to organizations that help the homeless.

Items needed include (full or hotel size):

- Soap
- Shampoo & Conditioner
- Toothpaste & Toothbrushes
- Deodorant
- Combs & Hairbrushes
- Body Lotion

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

While you are spring cleaning, if you find any unwanted items, we will be happy to take them to sell at the yard sale. The women's club will again participate in the Community Yard Sale on Saturday, April 30<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds will benefit our scholarship fund.



Chairman Cheryle Newman is looking for the following items to be donated by members for use during the sale:

- Tables - 6 ft. and card tables
- Canopies
- Portable hanging racks for clothing & hangers

We need volunteers to work starting at 7:00am to set up. We will close down at noon.

Donations may be dropped off at 7:00am on April 30<sup>th</sup>. Please, no televisions. Thanks again to Exit Magnolia Point Realty for allowing us to use their parking lot.

## President's Message .....

With all the beautiful weather we are having, I hope you all took advantage and visited the Clay County Fair.

I know everyone was saddened by the loss of Pat Ezzell and Lori Masucci. Our thoughts and prayers go out to their family and friends.

Thanks to all the ladies who came out to help us celebrate our 15<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Barbara and Kathie did a great job providing the history of the club. If you haven't had the opportunity, check out our Facebook page. There is also an article in the Neighbor to Neighbor. Susan Mitchell has posted some excellent pictures depicting the spirit of our Women's Club. Who knows, you might just find yourself in one.

Where has the year gone? It has been a terrific year thanks to my board members, committee chairmen and all the ladies supporting them. The new regime will be installed next month. Sandy has also chosen a wonderful board and committee chairmen. I am sure they will continue to build on the momentum we have had over the past few years.

With Spring in full swing, it is time to clean our garage and house. While cleaning, if you run across any items you no longer need, don't forget the garage sale is coming up. You can donate new or used items.

Remember to smile! After all, a smile is your best accessory.

Respectfully submitted, Eloise Burman

## Pet Drive for CatBugs A Success .....

Katie Bean and the Outreach Committee thank everyone who donated items to our recent pet supply drive. The donations of food, litter, paper goods, etc. were given to CatBugs Pet Rescue, Inc., a "no-kill" pet rescue and re-homing 501(c)(3) not for profit corporation.



June Hatlestad

June Hatlestad, Executive Director of CatBugs, was very appreciative of our donations.

## MPWC Sponsors Summer Kids Program . .

Members of Friends of the Library attended our March meeting and accepted our check for \$1,000.00. This will be used to sponsor summer programs at the Green Cove Springs Library.

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Recommended by Sandy Waldrup