



Pointing The Way



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

Weds, Jan 10th Meeting

Start the New Year by attending the meeting at **3:30pm**. The Program will be a **Bingo Birthday Bash Member Appreciation Day**. Enjoy a birthday cupcake and play Birthday Trivia.

BINGO

*** Bingo will be **FREE** ***

The Social Committee will provide CASH PRIZES

Come Join Us For An Afternoon of Fun
RSVP to Bingo Birthday Bash (we need a count) -
Contact Sandy Waldrup to let her know you are coming.

Happy Hour and a Romantic Dinner To Follow
Dinner Reservations Required - 269-9276 x 0

Luminary Night a Success

Congratulations to Chairman Terri Mast as well as coordinators Kit Seiferd and Nelle Troyer for planning another successful luminary night.



Thank you for our residents who supported the event by purchasing kits or making donations. We cleared almost \$5,000 that will be used for scholarships for girls at Clay High School.

Thank you to our many members who assembled the kits and were block captains who sold and distributed kits on their streets. Check the next edition of Magnolia Point Living for more details.

Welcome New Members

Bobbe Marion

K9s For Warriors Donation

Donations come in many forms. Our Club collects aluminum cans and pop tops to recycle for cash and in turn, purchase special vests and leashes for the dogs at K9s For Warriors.

Recently, we had a member who came up with a great idea to raise money for the same cause. Member Anna Weidner designs and makes jewelry. She sold some pieces to members Carrie Cardascia, Marilyn Cole and Nancy Mills. Then Anna donated all of the proceeds to our K9s For Warriors project.

We have been holding the \$70 in proceeds in our treasury while waiting to see if a local charity would match donations to the Warriors. Just before the end of 2017, the charity came forward to match donations, so our member's clever idea raised \$140.00, more than enough to purchase one special vest and leash. Thank you, Anna!

Save the Date

A Valentine's Day Celebration to Remember!

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

General Meeting 3:30-4:00

Program 4:00-5:00



Come join us for the Celebration beginning with

The Barbershop Singers from Penney Farms!

**Valentine's Day Dinner
Immediately Following the Program**

Save Your Brown Paper Bags

Our collection of brown paper bags for Waste Not, Want Not is ongoing. Monday thru Friday, WNWN collects food that would ordinarily be discarded and many times needs to be distributed right away. They need the paper bags to pack the food in for delivery.

WNWN has donated food valued at more than \$25,000 to the women's club for our weekend food program.

President's Message

Let me start out by wishing everyone a "Happy New Year". If you're like me, happy experiences for me are moments of feeling peaceful, relaxed, calm or relieved, the way you feel when you are staying healthy and just able to support yourself. This kind of happiness is less about what lies ahead, and more about being content in your current circumstances.

Even though my version seems less fun by standards of my younger self. My happiness has evolved, just as I am sure yours has, too. Some of us are making resolutions of appreciation of the here and now, maintaining health and vitality, keeping out mental capacities, doing things that make us feel safe.

Take a moment and remember the warm and loving moments we spent with our family and friends during the recent holidays. But, also try to imagine the wonderful moments that the children that opened gifts, maybe the only gifts received from MPWC during this same time. No matter what your resolutions or promises you made, nothing can compare to your unselfish giving of your time you gave in 2017. With the same determination we can make it happen again in 2018.

As members we are also a team striving for the same things. We all would agree that having fun and remembering to laugh is priority, right? We are all unique and what goes along with that is respecting each other's uniqueness. Some of the things that can keep us together as a team is being reliable, keeping your word and following through on the task you volunteered for.

Remember to communicate your ideas and respect views and opinions of other members. Share any creative ideas whether it is for social fun or raising funds for our cause. I will present your ideas to the board no matter how crazy or silly. Many great things come from these kinds of ideas. Most important is adapt to change and be flexible with anything that may stream-line our goals. So, team members welcome to the future year of 2018.

Grace Barber, MPWC President

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