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Congratulations Cindy !!

And, many thanks for your leadership and another great year for the Magnolia Point Women's Club! Former Presidents Nancy Nettuno and Dorothy Wood presented Cindy with an engraved pitcher as a remembrance of her term.



Cindy passed the gavel to Lynn Kelly, our President for the coming year. Our officers include:

- President Lynn Kelly
- President Elect Denise Beauchamp
- Vice Pres-Programs Gwen Alter/Dee Pratt
- Vice Pres-Membership Jeanne Gorman
- Secretary Barbara Barclay
- Treasurer Susan Mitchell

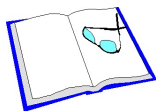
Wed., June 11 - Meeting

Our meeting is Wednesday, June 11 at 3pm in the clubhouse. Our guest speaker will be Ray Zerba, our Clay County Extension Agent. Come learn more about Xeriscape – Native Landscaping, Plants, and Water Conservation.

Happy Hour from 5-7pm will follow the meeting. The dinner for the night will be Fresh, Oven Roasted Turkey Pot Pie. Call Dyal for reservations - 269-9276 x 0.

June Book Club

The Book Club will meet on Wednesday, June 25th at 11am at the home of Joy Gregus, 3600 Long Cove Ct., to discuss the book *Crow Lake* by Mary Larsen. Bring your lunch and drinks and dessert will be provided. If you have any questions, call Donna Medara at 529-7524.



Wanted: Beginner Bridge Players

Anybody interested in **BEGINNER'S BRIDGE**? Some of you have indicated you would be interested in learning the game from the very beginning. Ed Szymanski is a great teacher – we are fortunate he is willing to share his knowledge of the game. If you are brand new, rusty or just want to learn from the VERY BEGINNING (Ed's way),

please call Judy Williamson (284-9680) or email jmwmsn2@bellsouth.net.

We are in the process of planning and need to know who and how many are interested and then will get a schedule going. Some Tuesday nights/some Wednesday nights are possible.

Charles E. Bennett Shoppers

We are looking for volunteers to help put smiles on the faces of Charles E. Bennett students on the first day of school. How can you help? By signing up to be a shopper for back to school clothes.

JoAnn Johnson will be forming a committee of members who like to shop this summer. Each shopper will purchase three outfits (one shirt and one pair of pants) for \$50.00.

For those new to the club, supporting the Charles E. Bennett Elementary School is one of our major projects. The school is composed of many low-income families who need assistance in securing basic clothes for the school year.

JoAnn will be taking names at the June meeting or you can give her a call at 284-7831.

Five (5) \$1000 Scholarships Awarded ...

Many thanks to Thresa Oliverio and her committee for their work in selecting the recipients of our scholarships. Although it is very rewarding in the end, the decisions can be difficult. This year, we were able to award an additional two scholarships as the State of Florida matched funds that we had at St. Johns River Community College.

The following girls were awarded \$1000 scholarships at Clay High School's ceremony on May 23:

- Lili Chen FCCJ
- Krista Cruise St. Johns River CC
- Amanda Green St. Johns River CC
- Chelsy Tracz Univ. Of Central Florida
- Kayla Wilkerson St. Johns River CC
- Meghan Wilkes St. Johns River CC

President's Message

Hi, to all of you! We are very busy women and I promise to try and keep my messages short and to the point. With that said, I do need to repeat some of what I mentioned in my email that was sent out after last month's luncheon.



Pres. Lynn Kelly

The luncheon was so lovely and delicious!! Cindy was very generous with her kind thoughts about her Board members and her homemade flower pots were just darling. Thank you, Cindy! Dyal and her staff did an outstanding job and the menu was delightful. Thank you Dee, and Gwen, for organizing it all.

Being your President is truly an honor. Before our monthly meeting at the club, the Board always meets at the President's home the week before. I just had my first meeting, and I cannot tell you how impressed I am with each and everyone of the ladies. They are all truly dedicated in fulfilling their positions as chairwomen. There is an enormous amount of work that goes into becoming an outstanding and successful women's club. And, Magnolia Point Women's Club is just that!! We are all very lucky to live in this community, and be a part of such a wonderful organization!!

With this being my first note to you all, I really don't have much more to report. Cindy, you were a Wonderful President. From all of us -- thank you for being you!! So until next time — remember, stay well, and make sure to have Lot's of Fun!!

My Best, Lynn

We Have A Winner



Congratulations Marguerite Martin – who won the beautiful “Magnolia” wall decoration.

Again, thanks to Toby Riley who handcrafted the plaque and donated it to the club for a raffle. The raffle raised over \$200 for the club.

Bingo Is Going On Vacation



Bingo is taking the summer off and will return on the 4th Wednesday in September. Mark your calendar for the 24th.

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