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Boynton Woman's Club Newsletter

Michele Walter, President

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From the President

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The deadline for annual dues was May 31. If you want to be included in the decision-making for our club this summer then send in your dues immediately.

The tentative calendar for next year is included in this newsletter. We will also be sending it out by email when the concert dates are planned so you can print it and have it before the *Yearbook* comes out next fall.

The May luncheon in Delray followed by the boat ride on the Intracoastal was great fun. What a relaxing afternoon! Our next luncheon get together is at the clubhouse on June 14, a Wednesday, at 11:30. Bring a sandwich or salad and brown bag it. We are supporting our office workers and we will have some exciting items to discuss for the club's future plans. We'll also make plans for the July, August and September luncheons.

And don't throw out your nearly-new professional clothes. In the fall, we'll set a date for everyone to bring them in and we'll donate them to our local chapter of the *Dress For Success* charity.

My landline will not be available this summer so please contact me by cell phone or email. My info is in our yearbook. For immediate response – call me!

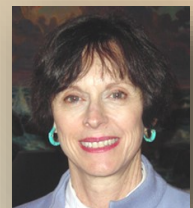
Working in the office is so easy. There are

always two people and one is experienced so you don't have to worry. Please volunteer for this summer whenever you can fit in a morning-Monday, Wednesday or Friday. Remember that we take over management of our building on July 1. Pat Waldron is in and out every day checking things out so please help. She cannot do it by herself!

Speaking of doing everything by herself. . . we have another member who does the minutes, newsletter, yearbook, publicity, emails, replacement membership chair for now, and support system for the president – Barbara E. She does all that and just finished her third novel which again involves a mystery about rare coins. It's terrific and I recommend *The Judas Hoard* – which is part of the 30 pieces of silver Judas received. I also enjoyed her first two books, *One of a Kind* and *Yesterday's Enemy*. All her novels can be ordered through on-line booksellers such as Amazon and Barnes & Noble. We are so proud of you!

Have a nice summer!

Michele



— Regional Arts & Crafts —

Barbara Grimes and I drove to Orlando on April 22 to take our Arts & Crafts entries to the GFWC Florida Convention. This year the almost three-hour journey was worth getting up before dawn because Joan White received a first place for her beaded needlework.

We have been taking our District blue ribbon winners to the State Convention and that first place has eluded Joan for quite a few years. She won blue ribbons in the past, but the judges now seem to be favoring the unusual over the traditional and her beautifully crafted pieces have been overlooked.

This year proved to be different. Joan also won third place for her crewel and beaded piece of a vase and ginger jar. I don't know what it represents, but it is colorful and its composition is different.



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OUR MISSION STATEMENT

The Boynton Woman's Club shall be organized and operated exclusively for charitable and educational purposes and the preservation of our historic building within the meaning of Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue code of 1954, and shall otherwise comply with any requirements under such section.

NEXT NEWSLETTER DEADLINE
 is SEPTEMBER 21.
 Please send your articles to
 Barbara Erlichman.

— Membership —

Annual Dues are Due

Annual dues are still due. If you haven't already sent in your check for \$60, please send it as soon as possible and make it payable to the Boynton Woman's Club. Mail it to the Boynton Woman's Club, PO Box 1135, Boynton Beach, FL 33425. Please take a look at your *Yearbook* listing and let me know if there are any changes. Only paid-up members get listed in the *Yearbook*, which I'll begin working on shortly.

If you choose not to renew your membership, we need your resignation in writing. You can either send it by mail to the PO Box or email it to bwc1909@gmail.com, but we do need written confirmation.

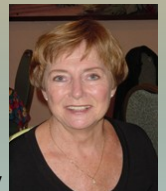
Barbara Erlichman

— Birthdays June through October —

JUNE 3	MARY SCHEITLER	SEPT. 1	ANN SCHLOSSER
JUNE 7	BETTY-JANE LEE	SEPT. 3	DARLENECIALLELLI
JUNE 9	PAMELA TAYLOR ANWYLL	SEPT. 20	MARIE SHEPARD
JUNE 10	ILIA LINDSAY	SEPT. 22	CHRISTINE FRANCOIS
JUNE 17	BARBARA GRIMES	SEPT. 23	DEVOTA SWENSON
JUNE 20	CONSTANCE LEE	SEPT. 26	MARIE GENNACI
JUNE 24	CAROLYN SCHOCH	SEPT. 27	DONNA ARTES
JULY 10	TAM PIPER	OCT. 1	LILLIAN OSTIGUY
JULY 11	JANET HAKALA	OCT. 6	LYDIA DELGADO
JULY 23	JEAN NOLAN	OCT. 8	WANDA KARAM
AUG. 14	BETTY PAFENBACH	OCT. 10	FRANCES CLOUGH
AUG. 16	MICHELE D. SCHROEDER	OCT. 10	EVELYN WEICKER
AUG. 22	MARY FALLON		
AUG. 27	ELLEN POLLACK		

— Community Caring —

Ready or not, Summer is just about here.
 A big Thank You to all the members who so graciously donated to help the poverty-stricken residents in our community.
 Wishing you all a Healthy, Safe and Happy Summer. God Bless.




Terry Markey

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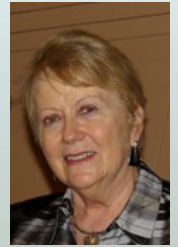
The summer mode has come to the building. Rental calls have slowed and not much is happening. I am busy getting ready to close out the lease agreement the last of June. Some of the clutter in the kitchen has been removed with the rest to go within the next few weeks.

The air conditioning unit as you enter the ballroom leaked water into the Library wall and floor. Once I know for certain it has been repaired, we will need to get a professional to repaint the wall and ceiling.

Such is life with an old building that needs lots of love and tenderness!

Have a great summer!!

Pat Waldron, Property Manager



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— Trip to Delray Beach —

On a beautiful day club members and guests visited Delray Beach beginning with lunch at Ocean One, followed by a cruise south aboard the Lady Atlantic.

Enjoying the trip arranged by Barbara Grimes were Terry Markey, Marian Ortiz, Evelyn Henry, Michele Walter and her two guests.



Barbara Grimes, Trip Coordinator



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— Arts & Crafts continued —

Barbara and I had time at the end of the afternoon to view the many entries from the clubs throughout the state. Creativity is definitely not dead. We were wowed by some of the entries in almost every one of the categories. None of the artists are professionals, yet we thought that many of the works of art are of professional quality.

I'm sorry our club has so few members who enter our competition, but I continue to hope that some will venture to bring their creations to our show next January. Taking a photo or completing a craft (even taking a class to learn a new one) lets the rest of our membership see a different side of that person. I hope some of you will begin a new project that we can admire in our next Arts & Crafts Show. Winning a ribbon is nice, but a pat on the back for producing something of your very own is much better.

Kay Baker, Co-Chairman Arts & Crafts Committee




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TENTATIVE

2017-2018 CALENDAR

**ALL EVENTS ARE ON THURSDAYS UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.
ONLY ELECTED OFFICERS MUST ATTEND EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS
BUT ALL MEMBERS ARE WELCOME.**

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETINGS ARE AT 10 A.M.

BUSINESS MEETINGS ARE ON THE SAME DAY AT 10:30 A.M.

LUNCHEONS ARE AT 11:30, TIME FOR OTHER EVENTS AS NOTED

OCTOBER

- Oct 12, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Oct 19, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Oct 19, 10:30 a.m. BUSINESS MEETING
- Oct 19, 11:30 a.m. LUNCHEON AND GUEST SPEAKER

NOVEMBER

- Nov. 2, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Nov. 2, 10:30 a.m. BUSINESS MEETING
- Nov. 16, 11 a.m. FASHION SHOW AND LUNCHEON

DECEMBER

- Dec. 6, 10 a.m. Wednesday EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Dec. 6, 10:30 a.m. Wednesday BUSINESS MEETING
- Dec. 6, 12 noon Wednesday DECORATE FOR THE TEA
(SANDWICHES PROVIDED)
- Dec. 7, 2 p.m. PAST PRESIDENTS' TEA

**2018
JANUARY**

- Jan. 4, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Jan. 4, 10:30 a.m. BUSINESS MEETING
- Jan. 18, 11:30 a.m. ARTS & CRAFTS SHOW AND LUNCHEON
- Jan. TBD, 3 p.m. Sunday CONCERT

FEBRUARY

- Feb. 1, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- Feb. 1, 10:30 a.m. BUSINESS MEETING
- Feb. 22, 2 p.m. MAD HATTER'S TEA
- Feb. TBD, 3 p.m. Sunday CONCERT

MARCH

- March 8, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- March 8, 10:30 a.m. BUSINESS MEETING
- March 22, 11:30 a.m. SCHOLARSHIP LUNCH
- March TBD HABITAT DINNER

April

- April 12, 10 a.m. EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
- April 12, 10:30 a.m. ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS
- April 12, 11:30 a.m. LUNCHEON AND GUEST SPEAKER
- April TBD, 3:00 p.m. Sunday CONCERT

May

- May 3, 11:30 a.m. LUNCHEON AND INSTALLATION OF NEW OFFICERS
- May TBD EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

Note: TBD means time to be determined

— Raffle Winner —

Once again, our Scholarship Raffle was a huge success. Everyone looked forward to the drawings which took place after our Business Meetings, luncheons and concerts. Some of our winners even won more than once. That's the fun of this raffle – your ticket keeps going back into the pot.



And here's a photo of the Big Winner along with member Eileen Dix. Congratulation, Jerry!

Michele Walter

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