



The Tri Club Tribune

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President: Mariett Eggleston

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CALENDAR

- November 3: Tri Club Meeting
- November 15: America Recycle Day
- November 17: **1 PM** Board Meeting
- November 24: Thanksgiving Day
- December 15: Writing Entry Deadline

REMEMBER

- Read October Minutes (page 2)
- Bring food for Lamb's Basket
- Bring pull tabs
- Bring Christmas Shoe Boxes
- Work on Arts & Crafts projects
- WALK WALK WALK WALK**
- Bring Box Tops 4 Education
- Vote
- Write to your Representative (page 6)
- Buy a Christmas Angel (page 6)
- Bring items for Safe Harbor (page 7)



Tri Club Meeting

November 3, 2011

10:30 am

Day Chairman: Anne Howard

Luncheon: Gretchen Bradley, Lee Childress

Devotions: Shirley Spangler

NOVEMBER SPEAKER

William (Bill) Lohmann

Columnist, Richmond Times Dispatch

"Back Roads and Byways"



Tri Club General Meeting Minutes, October 6, 2011

The general meeting of Tri Club was held at the West End Community Center October 6, 2011. President, Mariett Eggleston called the meeting to order at 10:30. Mariett welcomed everyone to today's meeting and thanked El Gordon for sharing her music with us. The meeting was opened with devotions given by Barbara Bowry followed by the Salute to the Flag of the United States of America, Song and Club Collect.

Mariett thanked the Chairman of the Day, Janet Cocke and the Luncheon Chairmen, Betty Riley and Sibyl Telfian.

Mariett announced the minutes from the last meeting are published in the newsletter. Those minutes were read by Gwen Glasser and Janet Cocke. Mariett asked if there were any corrections to the minutes and announced the minutes stand as approved. Today's minutes will be read by Jane Hostetler and Jean Martin.

The **Treasurer's Report** was presented by Jane Hostetler. The treasurer's report will be placed on file.

Corresponding Secretary, Carol Decker, No Report.

Second Vice President, Nancy Kindervater announced the Executive Board approved Dolly Lacy's application for membership. Nancy read Dolly's bio and presented her with a Tri Club pin and yearbook. Nancy said it was with regret that Tri Club accept the resignations of Mary Noble and Lou Jackson. Nancy also stated that Barbara Rice has passed away.

Nancy introduced today's guests, who were Cathy Critcher, guest of Nancy Kindervater and Pauline Mitchell, guest of Mary Crawley. Janis Facker, J. Sargeant Reynolds Scholarship Recipient in the 1980's

Nancy recognized the birthdays being celebrated this month. The winner of the October birthday gift was Jackie Stansbury.

Nancy reminded members of the WECC board meeting to be on Monday, October 10th at 7:30pm. Ten percent of the 35 Tri Club members who are members of WECC are required to attend.

First Vice President, Mary-Meade Lee, announced the program for next month will be Bill Lohmann from the Richmond Times Dispatch speaking about back roads and by-ways. Today's speaker will be Richard Hubbard, President of Bangladesh Basic Needs Project.

Mary-Meade introduced President Mariett Eggleston. Mariett stated she and Mary Meade-Lee attended the Richmond Area Presidents' Council on September 22nd, she will also be attending the WECC Board Meeting Monday Night. Mariett reminded everyone that the Lee District Fall

Conference with Delores Apsley presiding will be October 15th from 9:00am to 2:00pm at King William Fire Station, Aylett, Va. There will be 7 members from the Club attending the conference.

October 20th is the date of the Tri Club card party. The October Board Meeting will be on October 20th at 2:30 at WECC.

GFWC Committee Reports:

Arts - No Report, Conservation - No Report

Education - Evelyn Kerschbaumer stated she has 8 members working at the State Fair. She thanked everyone for the school supplies donated last month and will be collecting supplies again today.

Fundraising - Pat Thiel said Jean Ray will be passing around sign-up sheets today for working the card party. The card party will be from 10:30am to 2:00pm. They are looking for volunteers to work Bizarre-Bazaar December 1st - December 4th. Pat stated they have collected 585 greeting cards for their project. Pat and Sibyl will be selling Civil War Angels today for \$10.00 for Safe Harbor.

Health - Jean Martin is passing sheets around for recording mileage for walking from State Capital to State Capital.

Home Life - Anne Hunnicutt thanked everyone for their support to Food Basket and Food Bank.

International Outreach, Meals-on-Wheels - Safety No Reports

Legislation - Gracie Tingle gave a report on the latest legislative issues.

Public Issues - Nancy Golden reminded everyone of Bingo coming up and she is asking for donations to provide drinks and snacks. Sibyl reminded the members of the upcoming deadline for the helmets and lap blankets that our members knit for our veterans. Nancy is still collecting paperback books for the veterans.

Club Committees:

Courtesy - Janice Halloran reported she sent a donation for a memorial gift to Masonic Home in memory of Barbara Rice.

Hospitality -Telephone- WECC Co -WECC Building & Grounds - No Reports

Special Committees:

Bridge-Chorale - E-Contact -Yearbook - Photographer, No Reports

Unfinished Business: - None

New Business - Mariett announced that it is time for a Nominating Committee to be appointed so she asked for nominations. Jean Martin, Beverly Lee, Jean Ray, Gwen Glasser and Page Peyser were nominated.

The following alternates were also nominated: Sherry Kerley, Louise Strange-Boston, Dottie Wright, Dot Robelen and Sandy Ashworth.

Mariett called for a motion to approve the committee and alternates. The motion was made and approved.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:30am. Barbara Bowry gave the blessing.

Respectfully submitted: Joan Hanna. Acting Secretary

PRESIDENT:
MARIETT EGGLESTON

As Halloween pumpkins turn into Thanksgiving pie which paves the way for all those other seasonal goodies, I want to thank all of you that make it such a pleasure to be the president of this group! Your generosity was demonstrated once again at the October meeting when we were able to present our speaker Richard Hubbard \$344 in addition to his \$100 honorarium. His program was inspirational, was it not? I'm looking forward to hearing Bill Lohmann this month, I always enjoy his newspaper columns.

Seeing the hall filled with Christmas shoeboxes at the November meeting helps start the holiday mood. If you are able, I know that you also will find other ways to share the season in articles of this newsletter. It is good to have these opportunities presented by our hardworking board members so that we can support what appeals to us personally.

Thanks to **Jean Ray and Mary-Meade Lee** and their committee for a fun and very successful card party. Thanks to **Nancy Golden** and her helpers who entertained the Veterans at the October bingo party. Thanks to **Jean Martin, Beverly Lee, Jean Ray, Gwen Glasser and Page Peyser** for agreeing to be on the nominating committee and to **Sherry Kerley, Louise Strange-Boston, Dot Wright, Dot Robelen and Sandy Ashworth** for accepting the alternate positions. I hope you will make their job easy by agreeing to serve as an officer if asked!

I hope that all of you have a wonderful and blessed Thanksgiving!



1ST. VP-MARY-MEADE LEE

Who is This!!!!

His newspaper career began in the fifth grade, when he got an after-school job delivering The Richmond News Leader. Except for brief diversions busing tables at Shoney's and changing light bulbs at Kings Dominion, he's been in the news business ever since.

It is our speaker for November, Bill Lohmann.

We are in for a fun trip on "Backroads and Byways".

2nd VP: NANCY KINDERVATER

""Dull November brings the blast,
Then the leaves are whirling
fast."
- Sara Coleridge

The new member orientation for **Dolly Lacy** will be held at 1:00 pm prior to the November 17th Board Meeting. Executive Officers and Committee Chairpersons will give a brief overview of their office/committee.

It is with pleasure that the Executive Board approved **Pauline Mitchell's** Application for Membership.

New Member Information:

Dorothy (Dolly) Lacy
3730 Coles Point Way
Glen Allen, VA 23060

804.740.2757

DJC1226@aol.com

Birth date: 12/26

ACTIONS FROM THE BOARD

That Tri Club accept with pleasure the application of Pauline Al Mitchell

That Tri Club donate \$75 to Tricycle Gardens for the sponsorship of a student in the Learning Gardens program.

That TrI Club make a \$99 contribution to Easter Seals to help support a campership for an autistic child.

***A Tribute to Barbara Rice
Tri Club President 1993-1995
By Deloris Apsley***



Barbara Rice was born in Pennsylvania in 1932 and pursued a nursing degree from the General Hospital School of Nursing in Philadelphia. She moved to Richmond with her first husband and became Head Nurse at Retreat Hospital after her divorce. She married Dr." Mike" Rice, as she said, "One of the best decisions she ever made." and became his nurse in his practice until their retirement. She had two children, Ellen and "Skip" and upon marrying Mike became the Step-Mother to Janice and Donna. Barbara loved her children, stepchildren, her grandchildren and step-grandchildren and would share their accomplishments with anyone who would listen. She moved to the Masonic Home for Ladies after Mike's death and said she loved it.

Barbara was a dedicated member of Tri Club serving in many departments and offices, including President. I had the privilege of serving as her First Vice-President for two years and becoming her friend. She was a loving and faithful friend to those who knew her, despite her "Head Nurse" persona. She will be missed by all of us who knew and loved her.

ARTS: IRIS WILL

Now is the time to be working on your arts and crafts projects so you can finish up by the entry date of January 30, 2012. Contest rules, category list, and entry cards will be available at the next several club meetings—be sure to pick up a copy if you plan to enter. Each entry must be accompanied by an entry card filled out by the entrant. We hope to have a wonderful show this year.

WRITING CONTEST RULES

- Ø Entries must be original work and not have been published prior to competition.
- Ø Entries must be double-spaced on one side of 8" x 11" paper with 1" margins, 3 copies.
- Ø Entries must be written during the contest year.
- Ø All entries must have the following in the top right hand corner of each page:

Author's Name
 Author's Address
 Author's Telephone Number
 Name of Local Club
 Title of Manuscript

- Ø Amateur Only: earnings from writing not to exceed \$500 annually.
- Ø Manuscripts may not be returned. Authors should keep a copy. Entry deadline is December 15th

WRITING CATEGORIES

SHORT STORY
 Limited to 2000 words

POETRY
 Minimum length of eight lines
 Maximum length of 50 lines

**HEALTH:
 MARTHA VERMILYA
 JEAN MARTIN**

What a busy October we had! Tri Club members recorded 602.7 miles in September. We left Richmond and our first stop was Annapolis, Maryland, named for the English Queen Henrietta Maria. We visited the Capitol in Annapolis (circa 1694) and traveled on to Dover, Delaware; nicknamed The First State for it was the first state to ratify the U. SO. Constitution. Our next stop was Trenton, New Jersey. It's often called The Garden State because of its truck farms, orchards and flower gardens. Trenton has been the capital of New Jersey since 1790. We still had miles to go so our next capital was Hartford, Connecticut. Since 1875 Hartford has been its capital, and it's the largest city of this New England state. We had enough miles left to finish our October journey in Providence, Rhode Island. Rhode Island is the smallest state in the Union and Providence has been is capital since 1901.

We had a great October. We visited 5 capitals. Can we match it for walking miles in November?

**Keep walking - it's
 the healthy thing
 to do!**

**HOSPITALITY:
 MARGARET VACHET & JEAN RAY****2 LUNCHEON CONCERNS:**

1. Food preparation for monthly meetings---Ladies, please refer to page 35, statement #1 of your club handbook. Everyone is expected to help with food preparation for your assigned month. Seems to be some confusion about this.

2. Assessment fee---please refer to page 16, Section 3 #2. Members who cannot fulfill their luncheon responsibilities due to health related issues are assessed \$10; otherwise, you are by the bylaws required to serve on your assigned month. If for any reason you cannot serve your assigned month, please switch with another member and inform your luncheon chairman.

On a lighter note, ladies the lunches have been very good. Hope the suggestions have been helpful.

**FUNdraising
 COORDINATOR : PAT THIEL**

Card party results will be given at the November meeting. **THANKS** to ALL who helped and especially to **Jean Ray and Mary-Meade Lee!!**

December: 14 members will volunteer to help at **The Bizarre Bazaar**. I will have the schedule at the November meeting.

Card Party:

Thank you to all who brought food, card tables, took money and worked the card party. You are what makes it so successful.

It was a huge success. We had 44 ladies-- having the best time--laughing and talking and oh yes, playing cards!

We also sold \$76 worth of Jewels too! Look for the table of jewels to be at one of our meetings in the near future!

Thanks again to all who helped in any way with the card party and also to the participants, we could not have done it without all of you!

Jean and Mary Meade

EDUCATION: GRETCHEN BRADLEY,
EVELYN KERSCHBAUMER, KARLYN GLEASON,
JANE HOSTETLER

Thank you to all eight of our members, friends, and family who helped out at the State Fair as Educational Tours Volunteers! It was a delightful day at the fair as we joined with other members of the GFWC from chapters across the state.

This past month we received a letter from our winner of the J. Sargeant Reynolds Scholaship for 2011. Her name is Allison Heist and she is currently studying for an Associate Degree in Registered Nursing. In addition to going to school full time, Allison is a volunteer at St. Mary's Hospital. Her long term goal is to earn a B. S. in Nursing and an M. S. in Nursing. She is honored to receive the Tri Club Women's Club Scholarship. One of our members will be attending the luncheon for the scholarship winners and their sponsors on October 20th.

Books Galore: Our avid readers read a whopping 96 books (about one per member of the club). Check out the titles on our list.

Reminder: Bring Box Tops 4 Education.

Books Galore :Tri Club continues to read From June to October, 2011

| Title | Qty | Author |
|---------------------------------|-----|------------------------------|
| "N" is for Noose | | Sue Grafton |
| 1022 Evergreen Place | | Debbie Malcomber |
| A Cedar Cave Christmas | | Debbie Malcomber |
| A Peach of a Murder | | Livie Washburn |
| A Separate Country | | Robert Hicks |
| A Stolen Life | | Jaycee Dugard |
| A Veiled Deception | | Annette Blair |
| Anyone But You | | Jennifer Crusie |
| Aunt Dimity slays the Dragon | | Nancy Atherton |
| Aunt Dimity Vampire Hunter | | Nancy Atherton |
| Before I Say Goodbye | | Mary Higgins Clark |
| Can't Wait 'til I Get to Heaven | | Fannie Flagg |
| Cereal Murders | | Diane Davidson |
| Changing Seasons | | Betty Palmer Nelson |
| Chesapeake Blue | | Nora Roberts |
| Crafty Killing | | Lorraine Bartlett |
| Creed's Honor | | Linda Lail Miller |
| Daughter of Fortune | | Isabel Allende |
| Dead Man's Bones | | Susan Albert |
| Death by Diamonds | | Annette Blair |
| Decision Points | | George W. Bush |
| Dragon Lord's Daughters | | Bernice Small |
| Driftwood Cottage | | Sherryl Woods |
| Dying for Chocolare | | Diane Davidson |
| Escape | | Barbara Delinsky |
| Family Affair | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Family Ties | | Danielle Steel |
| Folly Beach | | Dorothea Benton Frank |
| Forgive Me | | Mary-Kaitlyn Brown |
| Full of Grace | | Dorothea Benton Frank |
| Growing Up Laughing | | Marlo Thomas |
| Happy Ever After | | Nora Roberts |
| Harvest Moon | | Robyn Carr |
| Heartwood | | Belva Plain |
| Heaven is For Real | | Tood Burp with Lynn Vincent |
| If You Ask Me | | Betty White |
| In the Company of Others | | Jan Karon |
| Jeannie Out of the Bottle | | Barbara Eden |
| Killer Pancakes | | Diane Davidson |
| Lakeshore Christmas | | Susan Wiggs |
| Larceny and Lace | | Annette Blair |
| Laura Bush | | Laura Bush |
| Life | | Keith Richards |
| Lost Fondue | | Avery Aames |
| Me | | Ricky Martin |
| Moon Shell Beach | | Nancy Thayer |
| Moon Women | | Pamela Duncan |
| Morning | | Nancy Thayer |
| Mountain Beyond Mountain | | Tracy Kidder |
| Murder on Monday | | Ann Purser |
| Navy Brat | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Once in a Blue Moon | | Eileen Goudge |
| One Thousand White Women | | Jim Fergus |
| Out of the Rain | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Postmistress | | Sarah Blake |
| Prime Cut | | Diane Davidson |
| Promises to Keep | | Jane Green |
| Queen Bee of Mimosa Branch | | Haywood Smith |
| Safe Haven | | Nicholas Sparks |
| Sew Deadly | | Elizabeth Casey |
| Shadow Dance | | Julie Garwood |
| Skirting the Grave | | Annette Blair |
| Someday Soon | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Son of Stone | | Stuart Wood |
| State Fair | | Earlene Fowler |
| Stranger in Paradise | | Eileen Goudge |
| Summer on Blossom Street | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Summer Song | | Miriam Reed |
| Tale of Oat Cake Crag | | Susan Albert |
| Tears of the Moon | | Nora Roberts |
| The Beach House | | Jane Green |
| The Beachcombers | | Nancy Thayer |
| The Bentley | | D. Steel |
| The Blue Bistro | | Elin Hilderbrand |
| The Copper Beech | | Maevie Binchy |
| The Doctor and the Diva | | Adrienne McDonnell |
| The Faith Club | | Idiby/Oliver/Warner |
| The Gift | | Nora Roberts |
| The Glass Lake | | Mauve Binchy |
| The Heir | | johanna Lindsey |
| The Help | | Kathryn Stockett |
| The Hostage | | W. Griffin |
| The Knitting Diaries | | Debbie Malcomber |
| The Last Time I Saw You | | Elizabeth Berg |
| The MacGregors | | Nora Roberts |
| The Red Hat Club | | Haywood Smith |
| The Rescue | | Nicholas Sparks |
| This Matter of Marriage | | Debbie Malcomber |
| Three Bags Full | | Leonie Swann |
| Three Down the Isle | | Sherryl Woods |
| Time of My Life | | Allison Winn Scotch |
| To Taste the Wine | | Fern Michaels |
| Unbearable Lightness | | Portia De Rossi |
| Under the Clock | | Earle Dunford, George Bryson |
| When God Winks | | Squire Rushnell |
| Winter Garden | | Kristin Hannah |

BOOK REVIEW
NOW YOU SEE
 by James Patterson
Courtesy of Gretchen Bradley

To save her own life, Nina Bloom vanished. Now, to rescue an innocent man, she confronts the killer she thought she escaped forever.

A successful lawyer and loving mother, Nina Bloom would do anything to protect the life she's built in New York-including lying to everyone about her past. But when an innocent man is framed for murder she knows she can't let him die.

Her secret life began 19 years ago when she was on a spring break in Key West. There she met and married a handsome police officer, and became pregnant. Her world shattered when she unearthed a terrible secret which caused her to run for her life and change identities.

Years later, Nina risks everything she's earned to return to Key West and confront the murderous evil she fled.

LEGISLATION: GRACIE TINGLE

The following is to recap the information I gave you at our October meeting. Please review and write a letter of your concern to your House of Representative and our Senators.

The Senate Commerce Committee has announced plans to take up the reauthorization of the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA). Senator Snowe of Maine has said she will offer an amendment to this legislation that could allow up to a 20,000-pound increase in truck weight for a total of 100,000 pounds. Remember, we have been following Senator Snowe's bill, S.1450 (the Commercial Truck Safety Act of 2011) for some time.

Now, Senator Snowe plans to add her bill as an amendment to the larger FMCSA bill. Although couched as a "pilot project" study, after three years, the heavier weight limits would be permanent unless found to negatively affect highway safety. There are no provisions for the increased truck taxes or fees to offset additional damage to the highways, meaning all the rest of us would be forced to pick up the tab for increased infrastructure damage.

If you are concerned about the real possibility of you sharing the highways with these heavier trucks, please call or write

Sen. Mark Warner,

459A Russell Senate Office Bldg.
Washington, DC 20510
(202 224-2023) and

Sen. Jim Webb,

248 Russell Senate Office Bldg.
Washington, DC 20510
(202 224-4024).

Once you submit your letter or phone call, send a copy or email note to Anthony Livingston (State Director) with the Coalition Against Bigger Trucks. He can be reached at (703) 682-2918 or ALivingston@cabt.org. This will help us track our efforts in this endeavor to keep us safer on the highways.

You could mention some of the following problems: compromised infrastructure, speed differential--as the weight of vehicles increases, so does the danger of speed differential, damage to roads, takes longer for the trucks to stop, easier for them to turn over, etc. These bigger and heavier trucks are a bad idea!! **LADIES, PLEASE GET OUT A LETTER TODAY.**

Henrico County Delegate Jimmy Massey will introduce a bill to the General Assembly this session requiring specific training for school personnel, including school bus drivers, who are responsible or works with autistic students. Please show your support for this bill by contacting Delegate Massey and/or your delegate.

In case you missed:

Senators in DC advanced a bill increasing chances of U.S. trade retaliation against any country that devalued its currency to gain advantage over our manufactures and farmers.

In the House, members passed GOP bills to nullify EPA rules now being phased in to curb air pollution by some 150 companies that make cement and refused to subject cement-making kilns to new EPA rules regarding mercury emissions. Supporters to nullify these EPA rules said it would save jobs.

Don't forget to **VOTE**.



"A government big enough to give you everything you want, is strong enough to take everything you have." Thomas Jefferson, President of United States (1801--1809)

GFWCVA STATE PROJECT:**PREVENT CHILD ABUSE****VIRGINIA (PCAV)****SIBYL TELFIAN - PAT THIEL**

Last request--Please bring your greeting cards--**just the front (NO Hallmark, American Greeting or Disney)** and they will be sent to St. Judes Recycled Card Program. They make items for resale to benefit St. Judes Ranch for Children (an organization that cares for children who have been neglected, abandoned or abused). The children at the ranch attach the pretty artwork from the front of the cards to new cards, which are then sold in their retail stores, online (www.stjudesranch.org) and over the phone (877-977-SJRC (7572)).

Another project will be to raise money for Safe Harbor's Children's Program--helping abused children.



(angles make angel handkerchiefs)

We will continue to sell and take orders for handmade Civil War Angels - \$10 each. The profit will be donated to Safe Harbor. Everyone NEEDS an angel!!!

Special thanks to **Carol Decker, Mary-Meade Lee and Sibyl Telfian** for making the angels--they are beautiful!!!

PUBLIC ISSUES

NANCY GOLDEN,

LIZ CAMPBELL, SIBYL TELFIAN

BINGO, BINGO, BINGO!!! 51 participants joined 12 representatives of Tri Club in a marvelously successful Bingo Party Wednesday, October 12 at Mc Guire Veterans Hospital. Along with the ladies of Tri Club, Donald Strange-Boston and Alice Hack's daughter, Barbara Potter, were tremendous help. We also delivered several bags of paperback books collected in our Paperback for Patriots program which were enthusiastically received. We will continue to collect these books each month.

In November we will be collecting helmet liners and lap robes to be sent to soldiers in the field. If you are interested in helping with these, instructions for the helmet liners are available on our web site. Lap robes can be of any warm fabric, knitted or crocheted and should be 40" by 60" in size

SAFE HARBOR

In November and December we will again be collecting much needed items for those at Safe Harbor. Items needed are listed:

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| Disinfectant Spray | Bus Tickets |
| Kitchen Trash Bags | Light Bulbs |
| Laundry Detergent | Tissues |
| Laundry Baskets | Pillows |
| Towels/Washcloths | Linens |

CLOTHING ITEMS

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| New Bras (Large size) | Childrens Clothing |
| Women Plus Size Shirts | Childrens Underwear |
| Women Plus Size Pants | Women's Underwear |
| Women Socks/Stockings | Women's Petite Clothing |

HOUSEHOLD ITEMS

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|-------------------------|-------------------|
| Brooms | Umbrellas |
| Antibacterial Hand Soap | Pepto-Bismal |
| Batteries | Cleaning Sponges |
| Tool Sets | Cleaning Gloves |
| Flashlights | Dishwasher Soap |
| Aspirin, Ibuprofen | Cleaning Supplies |
| Benedryl | |

PERSONAL ITEMS

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| Feminine Products | African-American perms/relaxers |
| Toothpaste/Toothbrushes | Mouthwash |
| Hair brushes | Fingernail Clippers |
| Lotions | |
| Body Wash | |

GIFT CARDS FROM:

Kroger, Walmart, Kmart, Target, Walgreens, Gas Cards, Phone Cards, Dollar Tree, Home Depot, Lowes, Staples, Office Max, CVS

INTERNATIONAL OUTREACH:

JANET COCKE

Christmas Shoe Boxes:

You wonderful ladies have signed up to bring forty-four Christmas shoe boxes!

Please use the information in the pamphlet that you received at the last meeting to fill your shoe box. Wrap the box in Christmas paper (if you have some, if not, any paper will do!) and put a rubber band around it. Place the envelope with \$7.00 enclosed for postage on top of the box tucked under the rubber band. Return the box to the November meeting.

Keep a record of the time spent shopping and money spent on toys for our end-of-the-year report. You can give that information to me at the meeting.

Thank you very much for your contribution that will surely put many smiles on precious children around the world! And as you pack your box remember that sweet child with love and a prayer.



Eye Glass Collection:

42 used eyeglasses and 34 glasses cases were contributed to this project. The Lion's Club was most appreciative. They will repair and polish the glasses and distribute them to foreign countries.

World Food Day:

You donated 61 pounds of food to our local Food Bank --- thank you, thank you!!

You are all such giving and loving ladies.

November Birthdays

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|-----------------|----|
| Carol Decker | 12 |
| Dottie Williams | 13 |
| Sherry Kerley | 17 |

TOPAZ CHRYSANTHEMUM



November 3 Luncheon Committee

Pilgrim's Feast

Chair: Gretchen Bradley

Co-chair: Lee Childress

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| AM Set-up (Kitchen help) | Jane Hostetler Diane Gray |
| Table Set-up & Decorations | Barbara Bolton Anne Saunders Peggy Gilbert Mary Anne Bryan |
| Clean-up (includes washing tablecloths) | Gene Joyner Shirley Simmons Hazel Marks |

DECEMBER 1 LUNCHEON COMMITTEE

Hors D'oeuvres (A-L Bring Food)

CHAIR: DELORIS APSLEY

CO-CHAIR: JEAN MARTIN

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| AM Set-up (Kitchen help) | Louise Strange-Boston Gracie Tingle Nancy Golden |
| Table Set-up & Decorations | Anne Howard Libby Dawes Mary B. Crawley Jackie Spiers |
| Clean-up (includes washing tablecloths) | Dot Wright (includes Barbara Balderson Doris Glisson) |

Pumpkin Cake October Luncheon

- 2 cups sugar 4 eggs
1 cup oil 2 cups flour
2 cups (1lb can) pumpkin **NOT pumpkin pie filling**
2 tsp cinnamon
2 tsp baking soda
1/2 tsp salt

Mix sugar and eggs, add oil and mix WELL at medium speed, mix 3 minutes. Add flour, cinnamon, soda and salt. Then add pumpkin and mix at a slower speed until well blended. Pour into well greased 9x13 pan. Bake 30 minutes at 350 degrees. (If using a bundt cake pan bake 55-60 minutes)

- Icing
4 oz. cream cheese
1/2 stick softened margarine or butter
1 tsp vanilla
2 cups confectioners sugar
Blend cream cheese and butter with mixer. Add sugar and vanilla and blend until smooth. Spread on cake.

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