



# GFWC Sun City Center Woman's Club



## THE CHATTERBOX



Reporting News and Events for Our Members

Editor Angie Maze

September 2019

Sun City Center, Florida

### Sally Anne Says..

By  
Sally Anne Barclay  
President  
2019-2021



Hello Ladies!

I hope that you all had a great summer. Even though many of us had vacations, we were also busy here behind the scenes.

I'm pleased to announce that we have wonderful, informative, and entertaining programs coming up this club year. Also note that we'll be having a *fun* fundraiser on Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>: *Lethal Luau*, a murder mystery luncheon. Karen Wilkinson and her Arts & Crafts committee have been busy with all the lovely decorations and centerpieces for these upcoming events.

And, I am sure you all are wondering what we are going to do as a club about the fee of \$125 for our King's Point residents. I went to a SCC Community Association (CA) meeting on August 22<sup>nd</sup>. As of right now, the CA Board is still going to be charging the King's Point residents this fee starting January 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 - although our club is still being considered for exemption as we are a national organization not just a club. So as you can see, things are still rather unsettled. I will certainly keep you updated as I receive additional information.

On another note, I would like to say Thank You again for all the lovely meals, cards, visits, flowers, presents, and phone calls during my lengthy recovery. I was overwhelmed by all the compassion and love that I felt from all of you. I am so proud to be a member of the Woman's Club and most of all your President. I promise to do my very best to help us grow in our efforts of assisting others in our community.

*Sally Anne*

### Luncheon Reservation Policy

All members attending a regular meeting that includes lunch are required to make reservations in advance

- By email to [suncitywomansclub@gmail.com](mailto:suncitywomansclub@gmail.com),
- By telephone to the Hospitality Chairperson **Brenda Curvin**, 317-518-2991, or
- By signing up for a standing reservation with the Hospitality Chairperson.

**The deadline for making an eating or noneating reservation is 11:00 a.m. on the Monday prior to the Thursday general meeting.**

**No-Show Policy:** Reservations are considered a binding agreement between the Club and the Caterer. A member who makes a reservation for herself and/or a guest and does not cancel by the deadline described above, will be required to reimburse the Club for the cost incurred.

Lunch is **\$14**.

Checks are the Preferred Method of Payment.  
If You Must Pay by Cash,  
Correct Change Please.

SEPTEMBER 19, 2019  
Buffet Lunch provided by  
Banquet Masters

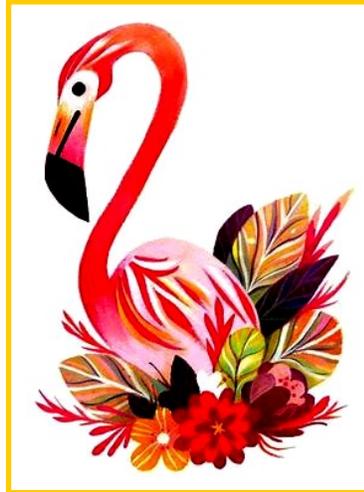
Entrées:  
Italian Sausage with Peppers  
Chicken Marsala



## SEPTEMBER 19, 2019 PROGRAM

Our speaker will be Carole Weaver, Past GFWC Florida President and current President of GFWC Fabulous Flamingo Flock (a Florida Cyber Club).

Her presentation is titled "GFWC and Me." This will be an entertaining topic covering how the organization helps communities and charities, but in the process helps members find new lifetime friends with similar interests and goals.



*Optional Dress Theme: Wear pink.....flamingo pink!*

### SEPTEMBER HOME LIFE PROJECT

Submitted by Bev Fletchall

**Backpacks on a Mission** is an outreach ministry of South Shore United Methodist Church. This wonderful service provides a weekend supply of nutritious food for children who are provided breakfast and lunch Monday through Friday at four local elementary schools: Corr, Summerfield, Summerfield Crossing, and Dawson

One hundred and fifty (150) Backpacks packed with food are delivered to the four schools every Friday. The Backpacks are then picked up at the schools by church volunteers on Monday to be refilled for the next Friday.

The list of foods that are needed to fill the Backpacks every week is on page 4 of this newsletter. **Please note if a food weight or size is listed.** It is important to follow the food size recommendation as the children (some as small as age 5 or 6) have to carry the food home in the Backpack. This can get very heavy for them.

Your gift of food will be most appreciated by those children in need!



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## LETHAL LUAU

**MURDER MYSTERY**

**FUNDRAISER LUNCHEON**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019**

**11:00 AM—3:00 PM**

**\$30 PER PERSON**

**SCC COMMUNITY HALL 1910 S PEBBLE BEACH BLVD**

*Enjoy an afternoon of mystery and fun with a live performance by The Pelican Players where you help solve the murder.*

*Three course meal with coffee and iced tea.*

*50/50 Tickets will be available for extra fun.*

*Proceeds will benefit The Pelican Players Scholarship Fund and the charitable programs of the GFWC Sun City Center Woman's Club*

**TICKETS ON SALE AT SCC ATRIUM**

**1009 N PEBBLE BEACH BLVD SCC**

**AUG 16-SEPT 30 MON, WED & FRI**

**FROM 9AM-12 NOON**

**MUST BE PURCHASED BY TUESDAY OCT 8**

**QUESTIONS? CALL 317-697-1755**



**YOU CAN ALSO GET TICKETS AT OUR  
SEPTEMBER GENERAL MEETING**

## Meals on Wheels

Submitted by Virginia Kimball, Co-Chair

Our Woman's Club works in cooperation with South Bay Hospital and Samaritan Services to bring nutritious meals to residents of Sun City Center and Kings Point who are unable to prepare meals for themselves. Meals cost \$6.50 and are delivered 7 days a week, including holidays.

Co-Chairs Virginia Kimball (636-248-1887) and Susan Royal (813-404-4794) are looking for back-up drivers to help out year round. Call them if you would like your name to be placed on their back-up driver list.

The Meals on Wheels program also needs an organization or club to take responsibility for delivering meals in the month of August (2020). It is the job of our club to find a volunteer group to fill this need. Contact Virginia or Susan if you know of a group that might be interested.

A special thank you goes to all of you who volunteered to deliver meals this August, which is not our usual month to deliver. You truly made a difference in our community. We know our club members will step forward again this December for our regularly scheduled month of Meals on Wheels.

## Welcome Back to the Education Committee!

Submitted by Jan Heuman, Education Chair

Getting ready for a new year, the Hope Fund is looking for volunteers: tutors, readers, or mentors. Our orientation will be at the end of October in preparation for direct work with the children the first week in November. You can call Carla Miles at 813.634.4268 for more information. The work of the Hope volunteers is appreciated by the Hope Fund Board and most importantly, it is greatly appreciated by the children we serve. Come join us as a volunteer and discover the joy of working with these young children!

Our Book Club will continue its monthly meetings in members' homes. Every member reads a book of her own choosing, and new members are always welcome. Our big event of the year is the Author's Lunch when we also host a potluck luncheon for attendees; a good time is always had by all.

Collections of Pennies for Books at the book club meetings and our monthly general meetings go towards purchasing new books for Wimauma Elementary School library. We also maintain a Little Free Library in Wimauma. Children's book donations are always accepted for this project.

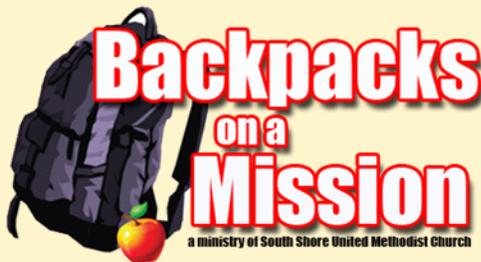


We look forward to another year of helping others and fulfilling a need to share reading and the joy of books with others.



**September Home Life  
DONATION WISH LIST**

- Peanut Butter (plastic) 18oz
- Jelly, Assorted, (plastic) 20oz
- Chewy Granola Bars
- Breakfast Bars - Variety
- Snack-Pack Pudding, Assorted
- Instant Oatmeal - Variety
- Can or Cup Pasta, Ravioli
- Mac & Cheese (boxed)
- Individual Packages of PB & Crackers,  
or Cheese & Crackers
- Individual Cups of Fruit or Applesauce



**BIRTHDAY LUNCH**

By Linda Menier

A new year begins. The monthly birthday lunches may surprise you this year. We're going to try something new.

September will be at the usual place, The **Re-naissance** on South Pebble Beach, **Sept 24th at 11:30.**

After that, new places! Come in September to celebrate and place your vote for new and different locations. There's a lot to see in our area.

As always, it doesn't have to be your birthday for you to join us. Just come for the food and friendship,

Please RSVP (to me) as we have to make reservations.

See you in September,  
**Linda Menier**  
[lindamenier@gmail.com](mailto:lindamenier@gmail.com)  
239-910-2229



**HAPPY SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY TO YOU !!**

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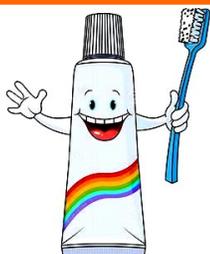




## WHAT WE DID WITH THE MONEY WE RAISED

Since our meeting in May and from money we raised throughout the 2018-2019 club year, we made donations to the following local organizations:

- Samaritan Services/SCC Ride: \$750
- Samaritan Alzheimer's Auxiliary: \$800
- My Warrior's Place: \$500
- Beth El Mission Food Pantry: \$500
- Our Lady of Guadalupe Food Pantry: \$500



### GOT TOOTHPASTE?

The travel or sample size you get at the dentist?

We're looking for donations of the small tubes to use at a GFWC District 8 meeting that we're hosting in October.

If you have some (unopened, of course) small tubes to donate, we'd appreciate your bringing them to our **September General Meeting, 9/19.**

### ADVANCE NOTICE!

Submitted by Ann Bohachek

Our annual **Arts and Crafts** competition and show will be at our January meeting, so before you get busy with the holidays think about finishing the crafts you have begun.

Remember the only items that can be entered for judging must be made within this calendar year.....although we are always happy to view any items you wish to share, however old.



## Dos and Don'ts of Coupon Clipping

Submitted by Patsie Ginley, Conservation Chair

The Military Family Support Trust has an office at Freedom Plaza. The food coupons collected by the Conservation Committee at each SCC Woman's Club monthly meeting are taken there to be processed by the Leathernecks and sent overseas. Military families overseas use them to buy food at the commissaries. While the MFST does appreciate our efforts, they asked that we go over some of the rules for coupons clipping.

Here are some helpful hints. Please note:

- **FOOD COUPONS ONLY** are now accepted.
- Manufacturer's coupons only! No store-specific coupons, please. No Publix, Target, Denny's, Bob Evans, Walgreen's, etc.
- Coupons can be up to six months old, though you should account for travel time overseas. Therefore, a good rule is not to send anything older than three months old.
- Make sure the expiration date is clearly displayed, and bar code is intact. If cut off by accident, it won't work.

Coupons they cannot use:

- No food stamps or the like.
- No store coupons.
- No restaurant coupons.
- No coupons that have been printed from the Internet.

A good place to find coupons ready for clipping is the insert in the Sunday paper labeled *Smart Source*. Thanks for taking the time and effort to help out.

Keep on clippin'!

## Welcome to our new Web Site!

Submitted by  
Lou Anne Rosseidtscher, Webmaster



The URL is the same --

**<https://sccwomansclub.org/>**

I'm here to tell you about many features you might want to check out.

You can view the web site on a computer, a tablet or your phone.

You will find documents such as the ByLaws, the Club Collect and newsletters - just like our last site.

There are lots of places for pictures of our leadership, our activities and volunteer projects.

There is now a calendar that will keep us posted about events and activities.

There is a Blog Page — Posts — that will keep us up to date and informed about upcoming activities.

There are social media options we can all explore together!

Hope to see you on the web!





**ATTENTION LADIES!**

Mark your calendars for **Friday, October 11** at **9:00 a.m.** when we begin our second year of the **Mahjong Club**.

**We will be meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday of each month from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. in the Security Patrol Building.**

Please bring a friend (member or non-member) and come join us for some fun, socializing and learning or playing a new game! We welcome all levels of expertise to make it fun for everyone. Hope to see you there!!

Contact Lois Berman – 813.938.4110 or Pat Huisinga – 815.275.0001 if you have any questions.



**Welcome Back!**  
**We Hope You Had a Summer Full of Friends and Laughter.**  
**See You at the Meeting!**

**SUPPORT OUR SPONSORS FOR 2019-2020**

Each year, we ask members of our community to step forward and support the work of your Woman's Club with their generous contributions. Please support our sponsors and tell them "Thank You" when you use their services.



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- Sept. 12 Board Meeting**
- Sept. 19 General Meeting**
- Sept. 24 Birthday Lunch**
- Sept. 25 Bunco**
- Sept. 26 Arts & Crafts**
- Oct. 11 Mahjong**
- Oct. 12 Fall Fundraiser: Lethal Luau**