

Brecksville Women's Club Newsletter



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President- Mary Jane Opatrny

Hello ladies, Hope everyone had a pleasant summer. We had our first board meeting and all positions are filled. A big thank you to all the ladies that volunteered. I also want to thank all our members for supporting BWC.

Please make your reservation to attend the Sept. 24 luncheon and join in the celebration of BWC's 70th birthday. Luncheons are now \$23.

It isn't too early to start thinking about our first fund raiser. Consider donating a basket, securing donations for prizes, and/or volunteering to help Audrey. Together we can make our Fall Social a profitable event.

Second Vice President –Sherry Petkovsek

"Send in the Clowns"

If names like Chaplin, Lucy, Bozo, or Sid bring a smile to your face, come learn about the persons behind the masks! Carol Lucas, an instructor at Cleveland State and Tri-C will explore the lives and craft of our most memorable clowns in vaudeville, circus, movies and TV.

Third Vice President – Audrey McNulty

Keep the date open for BWC's Annual Fall Social & Luncheon on Saturday November 16, 2019 at Woodside Event Center. There will be a Chinese raffle, 50/50 raffle, Lottery Tree, Country Store, Bake Sale and Vendors.

If you want to make a basket or drop one off, we will be assembling baskets on October 15 after the Board Meeting (around 11:30 am) at Grand Bay. If you want to donate toward a basket that would also be acceptable. Do you have any baskets from past raffles? Save and bring them to the September meeting. We will use them for the fall fundraiser. Also, consider getting a few friends together to create a themed basket that you can donate for the fundraiser.

Reminder – As you do your fall cleaning put aside your "gems" that you would like to pass on to members and guests at our Country Store. Remember "One man's trash is another man's treasure."

Bridge – Sherry Petkovsek

Interested in playing Bridge? We play at Brecksville Human Services Center the first Thursday of the month at 10 am. We will start on October 3. If interested, call Sherry (440-740-1040). Make your lunch reservation the Thursday of the week before we play.

Hospitality – Gretchen Mates

Meeting: Tuesday, September 24, 2019 Lunch served PROMPTLY at 11:30 am
Menu: Boneless Breast of Chicken w/gravy, Smashed Redskins, Sugar Snap Peas, Signature Salad, Lemon Creamsicle Torte

The cost of the luncheon is **\$23**, exact cash or check *** Fish is always available as a substitute for the entrée. **Reservations are due by September 17**. Call **Gretchen Mates** 440-526-6481 to confirm your place. Cancellations must be made three business days before the meeting.

Membership – Sharon Leskovec and Irene Allen

Welcome to BWC's 2019-2020 year. If you have not sent in your membership dues, please send your check for \$40, payable to BWC to our membership Chairmen Sharon Leskovec 29579 Gates Mills Blvd., Pepper Pike 44124 (216-595-1018) or Irene Allen 10230 Log Cabin Ct. Brecksville, 44141 (440-746-0362)

We would appreciate it if dues would be sent by September 24 or earlier so your name can be included in the 2019-2020 membership directory. If you have any changes to your personal information please contact membership chairs, Sharon Leskovec 216-595-1018 or Irene Allen 440-746-0362.

Newsletter – Jan Sebesy

Want to receive your newsletter before it is even printed? Then get it by email. The newsletter is emailed to members at the same time that it is sent to the printer. You will receive it about five days earlier than members who receive copies via the mailman. You will also save the club money that can be used for scholarships.

Email Jan Sebesy at ohioreb1@aol.com if you want to be added to the email list or if there is a change in your email address.

Sunshine – Pat White

A past member, Joanne Spohn passed away this summer.