



October 2020

A Message from the President

Darlene Entringer, President

WOMEN'S CLUB! We hope you like this new layout for The NEWZ created by members Cynthia Lebowitz and Maria Bajayo. The two-column format is very easy to read – THANK YOU, Cynthia and Maria! With our "new normal" of social distancing, including refraining from meeting in large groups, your HWC Board of Directors is exploring numerous ways for all of us to remain safely connected until we are together in person once again. This newsletter and ongoing emails will continue to help keep you active and informed.

If you haven't already joined one of the HWC committees, please consider doing so. The various committees are meeting together online and creating some great activities for social and fundraising projects. As you read the reports of the various committees in this newsletter and become interested in one or more of the initiatives, please contact the chairperson of that committee to see how you can participate.

Technology – we love it and hate it, right!? It is often daunting to learn how to access new online sites, use new phones, tablets, and computers, and "talk" to a computer screen filled with the faces of your friends. BUT,

even though I well understand and have MANY of your same frustrations, we must adopt these new ways of communication, especially in this time of COVID-19. To stay connected and engaged with each other, we must learn how to maximize the applications within the Heathrow Women's Club website for information, registration, voting, donations, virtual luncheon videos, etc. Please, Cynthia Lebowitz calservices@heathrowwomensclub.com or 407-2575351 for assistance on this website. The HWC Facebook site is another way we can create dialogues, share information, and have some fun.

You will notice that your FAVORITE holiday activity – the Secret Santa gift program – is here this season! Connie McDonald and Pat Darrah are managing this year's donations ONLINE. You will select a name and the appropriate gift from an online chart rather than an ornament on a holiday tree, but the result is the same – a gift for an area child!

THANK YOU again for renewing your membership despite a change from monthly luncheons to online videos for a while. Your commitment to your Club is heartwarming! Together we WILL remain connected; together we WILL raise money for our charities;



and together we WILL emerge from this year of challenge and change even STRONGER!

Stay Safe, Stay Healthy!

Darlene Entringer-President

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SPOTLIGHT Anna Kiss

N THIS ISSUE, WE WOULD LIKE TO SPOTLIGHT Anna Kiss. Anna grew up in Moultire, Georgia where her dad was a farmer and her mother was a housewife. She has a younger brother and a younger sister. She loved growing up in the country where she had lots of lands

to explore. She learned the value of hard work by helping on the farm and family garden. Anna attended Valdosta State University and got a bachelor's degree in elementary education and a master's degree in middle school education. She worked for 30 years at various Christian schools as both a middle school and high school math teacher.

She was married in 1984 to her husband, Tommy, who worked for the United States Air Force and retired after 21 years. Anna moved to the Orlando area in 2001, when her husband took a job with Southwest Airlines as a pilot. She has two twin daughters who are 27 years old. Her daughter Kaitlyn is married and lives in Mississippi with her husband Ryan and is a physician assistant. Her daughter Allison is a critical care



nurse in Charlotte, NC, and was recently commissioned as a Lieutenant in the North Carolina Air National Guard, where she will serve part-time as a flight nurse.

Anna loves to travel with friends and family and play tennis. She is on a

competitive tennis team with the Heathrow Racquet Club and plays 4 times a week. She also loves reading.

Anna joined Heathrow Women's Club in 2017 after retiring from teaching. She wanted to meet more people and give back to the community. She has been involved with the ways and means committee and enjoys participating in Bunco and Book Club.

Anna says the best part of being a member of HWC is "The people are amazing! I really miss seeing my friends!" Anna is currently serving as our charitable endeavors chair and is looking forward to working hard for our charities.

Kerrianne Arnold



Membership & Hospitality

Judy Quattry, Membership & Hospitality Chair

s of September 21, 2020, I am happy to announce that membership has grown to 98 Heathrow Women's Club members. I am also very happy to welcome our three new members Janet Roberts, Adrienne Ferrie, and Andria Herr. To view more information about our new members please access the membership tab on our HWC website:

http://www.heathrowwomensclub.com/new-membership-gallery

This year our traditional "Socializing with a Purpose" is taking different avenues to provide our club with new ways to stay connected and continue to financially support our charities. This year may be different but it will still be a great year for a great group of women!

"Nothing in life is to be feared, it is only to be understood. Now is the time to understand more, so that we may fear less." Marie Curie, Physicist.

If you know someone who is looking to help their community while making great friendships, please direct them to our website http://www.heathrowwomensclub.com/be-come-member

If you have any questions concerning membership please feel free to reach out to me.

Sincerely,

Judy Quattry, Membership & Hospitality Chair 2019-2021 Heathrow Women's Club/Heathrow Women's Club Charities, Inc. membership@heathrowwomensclub.org 407-797-7333

olunteering increases self-confidence. You are doing good for others and the community, which provides a natural sense of accomplishment. Your role as a volunteer can also give you a sense of pride and identity





COLLECT FOR CLUB MEMBERS

"Keep us, oh God, from pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word, in deed.

Let us be done with fault-finding and leave off self-seeking.

May we put away all pretense and meet each other face to face,

without self-pity and without prejudice.

May we never be hasty in judgement and always generous.

Let us take time for all things; and to grow calm, serene, gentle.

Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straightforward and unafraid.

Grant that we may realize it is the little things that create differences,

that in the big things of life we are at one.

And may we strive to touch and to know the great, common human heart of us all.

And, oh Lord God, let us not forget to be kind!"

By Mary Stewart (1904)

Code of Conduct for Members

- 1. Members shall strive to abide by the Club Collect.
- 2. Members shall be dedicated to charitable fundraising and volunteerism for our chosen charities, benefiting women and children in Seminole County.
- Members shall actively participate to the best of their ability in club activities, committees, and fundraising endeavors/events.
- 4. Members shall promote friendship, harmony and good will amongst our members and within our community; therefore, gossip or disparaging words of any kind will not be tolerated.

- 5. Members shall be hospitable and friendly to guests and new members, warmly welcoming them.
- 6. The names, addresses, and telephone numbers in the members' directory are to be used for the sole purpose of Heathrow Women's Club business. No member shall be allowed to use these names to solicit business, personal charities, political causes or to make other announcements unrelated to club business.
- 7. Members shall not solicit during any club business or social activities.



- Members shall adhere to the luncheon reservation policy and be financially responsible to pay for untimely cancellations.
- 9. Heathrow Women's Club/Heathrow Women's Club Charities, Inc. is an all-volunteer non-profit organization which is neither political nor religious.
- As per our Club By-laws, during any club business or social activities, members shall refrain from making political or religious statements.
- 10. Members shall be "kind" in every word, action, and deed.

Failure by any member to abide by the Code of Conduct for members shall be subject to immediately having their Club Membership revoked by a quorum vote of the Board of Directors.

2020-2021 HWC Board of Directors

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Charitable Endeavors

Anna Kiss, Charitable Endeavors Chair

ur charities need us now, but in different ways, so we are trying to be creative in how we support them. We have received these ideas from our charities:

Virtual Secret Santa

For many years HWC has supported Secret Santa by providing gifts or gift cards to the children in our charities. This year is no different, but it will be from an online spreadsheet rather than taking names on ornaments off of the holiday tree as in years past. We hope you will once again give your loving support to this important part of our Charitable Endeavors.

Please look for a special e-Blast in mid-October guiding you to the Secret Santa spreadsheet with full instructions on how to access it. If any help is needed, you can contact Pat Darrah at 407-312-7126 or Connie McDonald at 407-256-2899.

• Boys and Girls Club
Gift card prizes for teens

- Faces of the Future Breakfast Fundraiser-Will be held virtually on October 28.
 More information coming soon.
- Multicultural books for ages K-6
- Friends of Abused Children-Collecting small suitcases, 22 inches or smaller. Linda Wright is our liaison for this charity.
 You may drop off the suitcases at her home.

BOLO (Be on the lookout)

More information coming soon on our food drive and creative ways you can be involved with helping our charities.

If you would like to donate any of the abovementioned items, please contact Anna Kiss at

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Public Relations

Kerrianne Arnold, Public Relations Chair

OUNDED IN 1987, ON AUGUST 17TH, the Heathrow Women's Club celebrated its 33rd Anniversary. Our Club has a long history of "Socializing with a Purpose" and supporting many worthy causes in our local community. As you can imagine, documenting our activities and events is an important aspect of keeping alive the rich history of our organization.

I'm pleased to announce that Ellen Yeaser, a long-time member and past president of our Club has volunteered to serve as Historian and will keep the Club's memorabilia to use at our various anniversary celebrations, as a resource to our members and as an educational tool to new members who are interested in our Club's roots.

During these difficult times, many of us are spending more time at home and doing some house cleaning to pass the time. Should you come across any Club memorabilia or materials that may be of interest, please contact Ellen (<u>eyeaserhwc@aol.com</u> or 407-491-8302) and she will arrange to get the materials from you and preserve them as part of our archives.

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Ways and Means

Nancy Jones, Ways & Means Chair

UR FIRST RAFFLE BASKET OF THE YEAR, donated by Darlene Entringer and Linda Caron, brought in \$520! Thanks for your tremendous response and generous donations! Congratulations to Beverly Siceloff who purchased the winning ticket. Watch a short video of the raffle basket drawing on the HWC website featuring several of your BOD members and the guest "drawer"- Clety Gomez.

The HWC BOD approved the W&M Committee recommendation to create and sell a Heathrow Women's Club Cookbook. Look for an eBlast in October to let you know how you can submit your recipes and order the books. Delivery is expected in February.

Our annual fall Golf Tournament will be moved to Spring 2020 – likely late April or May. More info will be provided as it comes available.

Members have asked where the \$75 (as part of our membership) goes. The answer is into our general HWCC donation fund. Last year it represented 23% of our total fundraising.

We will continue our support of the <u>Circle of Giving</u> and <u>Donations</u> through our website. Gifts to Circle of Giving and Donations go directly to the charitable giving funds (unless you specifically earmark for a particular cause).

We host our Ways & Means meetings via Zoom (our next meeting is October 12), if you want to join the committee (or just want to observe), send me an <u>email</u> and I'll send you the link.

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Social

Mary Beth Ketelhut, Social Chair

HE SOCIAL COMMITTEE DECIDES what activities are appropriate for HWC and then plans and executes them.

On October 1, we will have our first social activity in the 2020-2021 season - a private virtual online wine & cheese tasting. Members will sample four different wines accompanied by commentary from a wine connoisseur. The interactive Zoom meeting allowed our members to ask questions and make comments about the wines we tasted. A big thank you to Debbie Rush for setting up and hosting this creative event!

It's not too late to sign-up for our "Evening Lawn Chair Affair" on Thursday, October 22nd at 6:00 pm hosted in the yards of neighbors Clety Gomez and Darlene Entringer. Members will enjoy an outdoor setting practicing social distancing while bringing their own chairs, food, and drinks.

Programs

Jane Oatway, Programs Chair

S THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE is eagerly waiting for a safer time when we are all together for luncheons at the Heathrow Country Club. In the meantime, we wish you all a safe and healthy interlude. Please, view the VIRTUAL MEETINGS

Please sign-up for this event at www.heathrowwomensclub.com and click on Social Event Registration. The sign-up deadline is October 19th.

Our social committee will be meeting in October to discuss and plan social activities for the upcoming Fall and Winter season. We are tasked with creatively finding ways to socialize under the current pandemic conditions. If you are a member not serving on the Social Committee but have a suggestion for an activity, please contact Mary Beth Ketelhut directly.

We all look forward to happier times when we will be able to gather more frequently with our Heathrow Women's Club friends and socialize WITH A PURPOSE!

Mary Beth Ketelhut, Social Chair Heathrow Women's Club/Heathrow Women's Charities, Inc. socialgroups@heathrowwomensclub.org 617-620-6348

posted on our website and our HWC Face-book page. We look for innovative and creative ways to remain connected!

Jane Oatway, Programs Chair

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Treasurer Linda Caron

HANKS TO ALL WHO HAVE AL-READY DONATED so generously to our fundraising efforts this year (your annual HWCC donation of \$75, the school supplies drive, and the September raffle basket).

We have three choices for you when you send us your donations:

 Mail a check MADE OUT TO HWCC to Linda Caron, Treasurer, 1552 Cherry Ridge Drive, Heathrow, FL 32746

- Zelle funds to Linda at (407) 247-6494
- Donate through our website

We will handle future raffle baskets this way for the foreseeable future.

If you ever have questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Linda Caron
Treasurer
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Corresponding Secretary

Becki Miller, Corresponding Secretary
REMEMBRANCE DONATIONS

OW, MORE THAN EVER, YOUR financial donations are extremely important to our Club's ability to provide the necessary funds to support women and children in need in our local community. Please think of Heathrow Women's Club Charities FIRST if you would like to remember, celebrate, or honor someone in the form of a charitable donation.

The Heathrow Women's Club Charities (HWCC) has donation forms that you can easily access on the HWC website at: http://www.heathrowwomensclub.com/donations. Just print out the form by clicking on "Please fill out this form" and mail it with

your donation payable to Heathrow Women's Club Charities, Inc., P.O. Box 950145, Lake Mary, FL 32795-0145.

Your gift, thoughts, and kind generosity will be very much appreciated by the ones whom you are honoring and our charities, that we work so hard for, will benefit greatly as well. **No gift is too large or too small.**

If you'd like to donate to Christine's Safe Pet Fund in memory of our Past President, Christine Gillen, please contact Patti Neveleff for more information or visit the HWC website at http://www.heathrowwomensclub.com/christines-safe-pet-fund where you can click the donate button and give online.



Most importantly, if you know of a club member that is experiencing health problems, undergoing surgery, or who has a spouse who is experiencing these conditions, please notify me, so that I may send them a note from the club to express our thoughts and support.

Regards,

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Charities

PLEASE CONSIDER HEATHROW WOMEN'S CLUB CHARITIES as your Charity of Choice when making a donation to commemorate a special occasion, show appreciation or offer condolences.

The Special Donation Form can be found here or contact *Linda Caron at 407-247-6494*. Mail the form along with your check made payable to *Heathrow Women's Club Charities, Inc., PO Box 950145, Lake Mary,*

FL 32795. Notification will be sent to the individual you are honoring, and you will be sent an acknowledgement of your donation. This is a wonderful way to show someone that you are thinking of them and to support our local charities listed below.

With the help of our sponsors listed on the following pages, we are able to proudly support the below Seminole County charities that benefit women and children.













Keeping You Safe

As we head into the holiday weekend, it is important to do your part to help reduce the spread of COVID-19. Wearing masks, social distancing, and frequently washing your hands are some of the key things you can do to keep yourself and our community safe.

Below are insights on the latest COVID-19 information, and more details on AdventHealth's response efforts and community involvement.

Keeping You Safe

AdventHealth Morning Briefing – Sept. 3, 2020 The AdventHealth Morning Briefing featuring Dr. Tim Hendrix, medical director at AdventHealth Centra Care, urged residents to be prepared for the dual threat of influenza and COVID-19 during this year's flu season.

"We are dealing with a 'Twindemic' as some people are calling it ... COVID-19 and the seasonal flu, at the same time. Every year, flu puts a strain on our health system. We are prepared for that," Hendrix said.

While masking, frequent hand washing and social distancing remain effective against the spread of COVID-19 as well as the flu, the risk of co-infection of flu and COVID-19 is possible.

Get a flu shot: "If you have those antibodies from a vaccine your symptoms are not going to be as severe," Hendrix said. "The virus doesn't last as long, people who get the flu are less likely to be hospitalized, and they get better quicker." AdventHealth Centra Care will begin offering flu shots in the next few weeks. Visit CentraCare.org for more details.

Important Resources

We encourage you to use the following resources for your top COVID-19 questions and concerns:

Back to School Resource Hub - AdventHealth is prepared to support schools, daycares, parents, and caregivers as we navigate the new normal. <u>BackToSchoolResourceHub.com</u> is a new website dedicated



to providing helpful resources for back to school concerns and important information regarding COVID-19.

AdventHealth Safe Business Program - AdventHealth is here to help as a trusted health care provider committed to safely care for Central Florida. We are working with local businesses to help them safeguard their employees and customers and continue to minimize the spread of COVID-19. Helpful tips can be found at AdventHealthCFLSafeBusiness.com.

If you have questions about COVID-19 or wonder if you should be tested, call the free AdventHealth Coronavirus Information Line at 877-VIRUS-HQ (877-847-8747). You can also find information at www.Corona-VirusSignsAndSymptoms.com.

Donation Hub - For ways you can help, including sending notes of encouragement to our caregivers, as well as virtual volunteering opportunities, please <u>click here.</u>

Mental Health - If you, your family, or colleagues, are in need of emotional help during this uncertain time, the Heart of Florida United Way 211 and Referral Crisis Line is

connecting residents with information about available resources in the Central Florida community. Whether it's finding out the location of the nearest food pantry or seeking information related to the virus, 211 Call Specialists are there to help.

Virtual Visit Options - AdventHealth Virtual Visits are available now for primary care, pediatrics and specialty care, as well as physical therapy. In the comfort of your home, you can speak with a medical provider by a video visit or phone call.

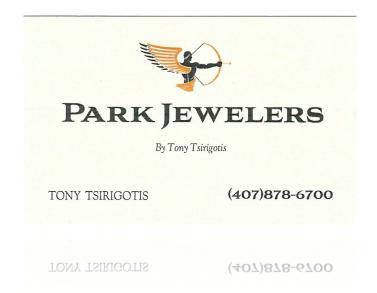
Health Coverage Support - If you or someone you know has recently lost their health insurance due to the COVID-19 crisis, free help is available from certified navigators through the Primary Care Access Network at CoveringCFL.net.

Convalescent Plasma Need - AdventHealth is actively recruiting potential plasma donors and currently has supplies to meet all treatment requests. Convalescent plasma is one of the important resources our physicians are using to help COVID-19 patients recover. Please visit OneBlood's website and donate plasma if you qualify.



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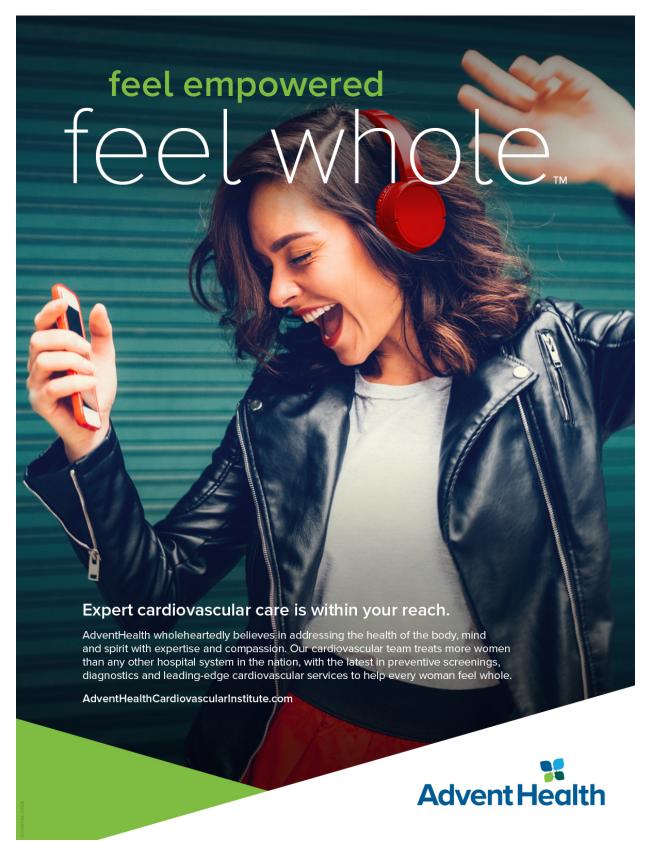






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