

University of Nebraska-Lincoln Women's Club

Spring 2017



From the President:

Happy 2017! May this be a very fine year for all UNL Women's Club members.

What a fantastic fall of UNLWC activities we all enjoyed. It began in September with the marvelous Welcome at the home of University of Nebraska President Hank Bounds and his wife Susie. Susie Bounds was a most gracious hostess.

October gave us a head start on Nebraska's Sesquicentennial with our viewing of Willa Cather's home and many other historic sites in Red Cloud. We enjoyed lunch in the Opera house, and shopping in the Gift Shop. Kay Rockwell, Meredith McGowan, and Joyce Besch organized this tour.

The Fall Brunch was a delightful time at The Landing with a delicious meal and musical entertainment. Beth Goble and Mary Schkade planned this annual brunch.

Debby Raddatz-Portnoy and Kelly Powell, with the help of others, spearheaded the UNLWC Christmas Tree for the Heritage League's Holiday of Trees in December. This was a fun way to reach out to the public about UNLWC while also giving back to our community.

Each Interest Group had many opportunities to gather together and enjoy friendship with a favorite activity. Interest Group leaders are sincerely appreciated.

Now it is time to look forward to 2017. The first Board meeting of 2017 will be January 25th, followed by a luncheon honoring the UNLWC Interest Group Leaders. Rhonda Obermeier is organizing this event for Board Members and Interest Group Chairpersons.

February 8th is a joint Program and Fund Raiser for all our members. Carol Rundquist has a most enjoyable program planned. The Fund Raising Committee will give UNLWC members the opportunity to purchase silver serving pieces from the UNLWC collection. All proceeds go to the scholarship fund. Theresa Cornelius is Fund Raising Chairperson.

In March, we will have another excellent program for our members. Carol Rundquist is again planning this event. Additional information is in this newsletter.

April offers UNLWC members the opportunity to meet and enjoy each other's friendship at our annual Spring Luncheon. Mary Beth Shomos is chairperson for this delightful time at the Country Club of Lincoln. It is also the time when UNLWC members vote on the new officers for the 2017-2018 Year. Another highlight of this event is the Silent Auction Fund Raiser. The drawing for the quilt will occur. All proceeds will go to our scholarship fund. Among the guests who will join us are some of our UNL scholarship students.

What a splendid winter and spring UNLWC members have to look forward to!

Ivette Bender - UNLWC President, 2016-2017



Upcoming Events:

January 25 – Interest Group Chair Appreciation Luncheon

February 8 - General Meeting – Afternoon Tea

March 8 - General Meeting – Library

April 5 – Spring Luncheon & Style Show

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Mission Statement of the UNL Women's Club

The purpose of the University of Nebraska-Lincoln Women's Club is to promote friendship among members, to strengthen their bond of common interest, and to provide service to the University including funding scholarships. Membership is open to any person with a connection to the University of Nebraska, interested in the activities, well-being and continuance of the University of Nebraska and the UNL Women's Club.



Susie Bounds welcoming member Marcia Conley at the Annual Welcome Event



UNLWC members at the Fall Tour in front of Willa Cather's childhood home

Afternoon Tea February 8th 1-3 PM



Please join us for tea, coffee, refreshments, and a presentation by Susan McLain, Yesterday's Lady, entitled "To Top it Off...the History of Hats."

*Wear your favorite hat to show off at the Tea.

In addition, pieces of the UNL Women's Club collection of silver will be available for silent auction!

Location: Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church
8300 E. Pointe Rd., Lincoln, NE

RSVP by February 2 to: Carol Rundquist. Reservations are limited to 40 people.

Susan's presentation is made possible by Humanities of Nebraska, the Nebraska Cultural Endowment, and UNL Women's Club.



HUMANITIES NEBRASKA



General Meeting – March 8th

What's New at the Library

Library Director Pat Leach will describe what's happening in 21st Century Libraries generally and at Lincoln City Libraries specifically with additional thoughts about a potential new downtown library.

When: March 8, 1:00 PM

Where: Bennett Martin Public Library, 136 S. 14th St.

Bring a friend, listen and enjoy refreshments!

RSVP by March 3rd to: Carol Rundquist.



Members who have passed away since the 2016 spring newsletter

Sandra Flores

Mildred Wittmuss

In memory of a member who has passed away, a card is sent to the family expressing our sympathy and advising that a \$50 donation has been made to the UNL Women's Club Scholarship Fund in memory of their loved one.

Spring Luncheon & Style Show – April 5th at 11:30 AM

Plan to join us on Wednesday, April 5 at the Country Club of Lincoln as we present Celebrate Spring!

A UNL Women's Club Spring Luncheon and Style Show featuring fashions from Select Style 3945 S. 48th Street in Lincoln.

Locally owned by UNL Alumnus Meghan Ehrke, '11, Select Style features clothing that is Modern, Approachable and Accessible. With styles unique to Lincoln and Nebraska, the lines include designers from Paris, Copenhagen, New York, Los Angeles, as well as locally designed items. From tee shirts & denim to work wear and cocktail fashions, Meghan's goal is to provide clothing that will carry a woman from morning to evening with the hope that each woman will find that "treasured" piece for her wardrobe.

You won't want to miss this fun event!

Reservation form is included in the newsletter and is due on or before Saturday, March 25.

Fundraising Update

The UNLWC Scholarship fundraising effort is off to a good start. We would like to thank the following people and those who donated anonymously for their support and generosity!

PLATINUM KEY DONORS (\$ 500.00 and above)

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Noreen Goebel	Julia Lenton	Anna "Hink" Sahs	Christine Zygielbaum

Spring Fundraising

Silver Auction

The fundraising committee will have numerous pieces of the UNLWC silver up for silent auction bid at the February 8th General Meeting. The raffle for the quilt “International Sue” will continue until the Spring Luncheon.



Quilt Raffle

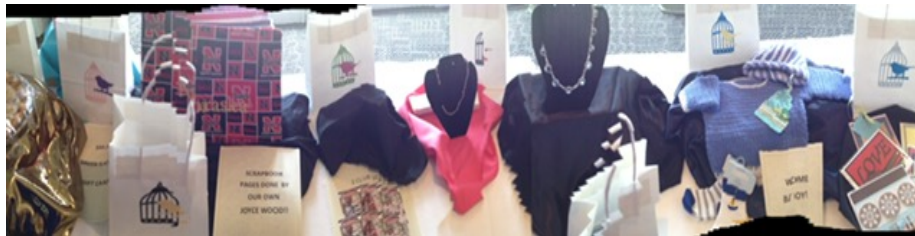
Raffle tickets can still be purchased for the *International Sun Bonnet Sue Comes to UNL* quilt generously made and donated by the UNLWC Piecemakers Quilt Group.



The proceeds will go toward the UNLWC Scholarship Fund. The winning ticket will be drawn at the Spring Luncheon. You need not be present to win. Ticket price-\$5.00 each or 5 for \$20.00.

Think Spring!

Donations needed for the Spring Luncheon raffle.
Contact Theresa Cornelius



Interest Group Chairperson Appreciation Luncheon

This year we will be bringing back an old tradition. The Interest Group Appreciation Luncheon will once again be sponsored by the UNL Chancellor’s Office. The Luncheon, honoring our Interest Group Chairpersons, will be held on January 25th at The Country Club of Lincoln.

We are honored that Chancellor Green’s wife, Jane, will be our hostess that day. A formal invitation will be mailed to each Interest Group Chairperson. We are looking forward to this fun event as we “Honor our Heritage While Soaring into the Future”.



UNLWC tree decorated by members for this year’s Heritage League “Holiday of Trees” event.