

Mint Hill Women's Club Newsletter

Service, Social, Self-Improvement

Upcoming Events

MAY 2008

Monday, May 12

Last 2007-2008 Club Meeting
– 6:30 pm - Installation New
Officers at Levine Senior
Center - Pot Luck Supper

Friday, May 16

Lunch Bunch – carpooling at
11:00 am – Lunch at Noon at
Ratcliffe's / Light Rail

Friday, June 6

Garden Party – 11:00 a.m. at
Sue Black's Home

Community Activities

May 17, 10 to 5

The Friends of Mint
Hill Library are having its first
BOOK SALE. All of the
monies raised will benefit our
Mint Hill Library and supports
programs that lack budgeting.

They will have all
kinds of books-fiction, non-
fiction, coffee table, children's
as well as some books on
tape and videos.

Instructions on how to work
Tickets

Come support our
local library branch!

MOVIES – MH TOWN HALL

8:15 p.m. – Front Lawn

May 2 - Ratatouille

May 9 - High School Musical 2

May 16 - The Bee Movie

May 23 - The Water Horse

May 30 - Shrek the Third

CLUB MEETING - MAY 12th

Our last 2007-2008 Club Meeting will be held at Levine Senior Center located at 1050 DeVore Lane in Matthews (telephone 704 846-4654) starting at 6:30 p.m. Our club will provide main course meat item and beverages. Agenda items are as follows:

- ü Board recommended disbursement of funds
- ü Selection of students-scholarships
- ü Board recommended change to organizational structure
- ü Installation of 2008-2009 Executive Officers

BRING

- \$ Please invite your special someone to join us.
- \$ A dish to share for our POT LUCK SUPPER.

April 14th Club Meeting

Dr. Michelle Hanna from Matthews Family Chiropractic Clinic provided an informative and entertaining presentation. She explained in detail importance of avoiding pork, shellfish, artificial sweeteners, and transfat ... impact to our bodies being exposed to Gel vs paste toothpaste ... and many other nutritional tips. Anyone attending was offered a free examination.

Colleen Ogradnick donated a bag of their most popular ground coffee and it was won by Heather who worked with Dr. Hanna. Our 50/50 was won by Mae Tolbert.

BECAUSE OF YOU

We raised funds that will benefit our community! These funds were primarily raised through proceeds from our October Auction and Quilt Raffle. We did real good!!!!

Donated Prior to May 2008

\$ 250 – MH Lions Club
\$ 11 – Lawyers Glen Bingo
\$ 500 – Levine Senior Center
(Matched to \$1,000)
\$ 395 – 3 Families – Thanksgiving
\$ 380 – 2 Families – Christmas
\$ 219 – Alex.Youth Ctr. Christmas
\$ 87 – Easter Baskets – Seniors
\$1,842

Committed Scholarships

\$1,000 – Independence/Butler HS
\$1,000 – CPCC (Mint Hill Student)
\$2,000

\$3,842 Donations Paid to Date

Recommended To Be Donated

\$ 500 – Idlewild Fire Dept.
\$ 500 - MH Fire & Ambulance
\$ 500 - NC Korean War Memorial
\$ 350 - Crisis Ministries (Matched to \$550)
\$ 250 - MH Historical Society
\$ 200 - MH Library
\$ 200 - Alexander's Youth Center
\$ 200 - MH Arts Council
\$2,700

\$6,542 TOTAL DONATIONS

Approximate Carry-Over*

\$ 2500

* Not all year's expense has been reimbursed.

MAY LUNCH BUNCH – FRIDAY, MAY 16TH



We will have lunch at Ratcliffe on the Green on S. Tryon St. in uptown Charlotte. This is the historic building which used to be Ratcliffe's Flour Shop. We will leave Dilworth Coffee Shop at Hoods Crossroads at 11:00 a.m., carpool, and then drive to South Boulevard to ride the light rail to Charlotte, then go on down to Charlotte for lunch. If you do not want to take the light rail and want to meet us there, the address is 435 S. Tryon St., phone number is 704-358-9898.

If you are a senior citizen, the light rail is half price. Be sure to have your Medicare card with you.

Contact Mary Wallace if you are planning to attend - phone 704-845-3033, or e-mail at len.wallace@windstream.net.

MEMBERSHIP

Please plan on renewing your MHWC membership. An individual renewal 2008-2009 membership form will be provided during our May 12th Pot Luck Supper.

Each member not being able to attend will be contacted to determine their interest in renewing. All members will be asked to volunteer for a Seasonal Team. These teams will be created with that team coordinating amongst themselves to conduct their activities. We need to form these teams ASAP to plan 2008-2009 activities.

WEBMASTER (www.minthillwc.com)

Here is response from Sandy upon receiving our "thank you" gift. She had a **significant impact** to our club and still will remain involved even though she now lives 500+ miles away in sunny Florida.

*"Wow....you got me!!!! I was so surprised last night when I got my mail at my mother's house and found this box from all of you. I can't believe how sweet this is. I love the card and vase and it made me cry. I miss all of you so much and this is so very sweet of you to send it. The vase matches all my favorite things. Someone remembers how much I love violets! I can't tell you how much it means to me that you all are thinking of me. Thank you so much!!!!!!
I love and miss all of you like crazy"*

Sandy Renne SRENNE@COMCAST.NET

YOU GAVE YOUR TIME ...

Our club members volunteered for the following activities in support of our community:

ASID House

Lawyers Glen Bingo

Operation Christmas Child

Easter Baskets for Seniors

Attended Monthly MHWC Club Meetings

MAY BIRTHDAYS

May 1 – Mary Ann Gatz

May 2 – Jane Piper

May 20 – Sharon Allen

May 23 – Ann Austin

May 29 – Brenda Sullivan

HUGS

- § Carol Robinson – Get Well – Ankle/Back Injury
- § Ginger and Pat Headen – Thinking of You

Anyone wearing a hat to Sue Black's June 6th Garden Party will be eligible to win a door prize. Bring a dish to share and enjoy the beauty and fellowship.

YOU GAVE YOUR MONEY ...

Our club members generously provided the following gifts:

- School Supplies – Alexander Youth Center & Lebanon Elementary School
- Christmas Gifts – Alexander Youth Center
- Non-Perishable Food