



OWC NEWSLETTER

June 2018

Oriental Woman's Club
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Serving the Community Since 1916

*OWC Theme: Women Together Making a Difference
Goal: Focus OWC activities to attract new members,
retain existing members, and meet needs of Pamlico County.*



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Message from Elizabeth & Marlene

The June meeting is our Covered Dish Scholarship Luncheon. Come at 11:30; we will eat at 12. As usual, please sit at a small table with someone you don't know well. I hope lots of our new members will attend this special luncheon. Everyone brings a salad, or casserole or a dessert and we have the best buffet in town. Don't feel you have to cook or prepare something. Buy a package of salad greens at the Piglet (some even come with salad dressing), put it in a salad bowl and you are set. You could also get something at the Deli or at Brantley's or other favorite source. Put it in your dish and bring it along with a serving spoon or fork if you can. We will supplement with what we have. Simplicity and delicious food is our goal.

At this luncheon, this year's scholarship recipients and members of their families will be introduced. You will also learn about our scholarships and their history. The Scholarships are administered by a committee of the Education Program, headed by Suzanne Gwaltney. This informal luncheon is a great meeting to bring a guest to. Guests don't need to bring anything. Don't worry we always have plenty.

June Program: The June 5th general meeting is a luncheon at 11:30 am for the scholarship recipients and their families. The winner of the Inez Hargrove Scholarship is Meg Anderson. Her father is Pete Anderson and mother is Mineko Holloway. The winner of the Violet and Frank Cathers Scholarship for the Arts is Sallie Elizabeth Winfrey, daughter of Gray and Sarah Winfrey.

Please plan on attending. It is a potluck luncheon. Bring your favorite item to share. Let's show these students how proud we are of them!

Hostesses (Sally Farrell & Barbara Mitchelson): Thank you to the hostesses for the April meeting that include Dianne Conrad, Lynn Hines and Anne Parker. The hostesses for the June meeting will be Barbara Mitchelson, Colleen Barton, Jen Lazowski and Dianne Conrad.



Congratulations!

OWC Calendar



Monthly Meetings at the Clubhouse

Yoga – Monday & Wednesday, 8:30 AM

Bridge – Monday, 1 PM

Arts Program meets third Thursday at 1 PM

Education Program meets third Monday at 10 AM

Home Life Program meetings as scheduled in advance

Garden Club meets third Tuesday at 9 AM

LON meets third Tuesday at 6:30 PM

June 5 OWC General Meeting, 11:30 AM, Scholarship Pot Luck Luncheon

June 19 GC Recycling Program, 9 AM at the clubhouse

June 19 LON Meeting, 6:30 PM

June 21 Arts Paving Stone Painting, 6:30 PM (clubhouse)

June 26 GC Litter Pick-up at 9 AM

June 29-July 1 Croaker Festival

No GC or General Meeting in July or August!

Have a Great Summer!

Aug 14 EC Meeting, 10 AM

Sept 4 OWC General Meeting, 1 PM



Welcome New Member:

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Building Maintenance (Sharon Morgan): Thanks to Fay Bond for serving as Monday Girl in May. Carol McAdoo will serve in June.

Education (Kathy Kolan): The June 5th meeting is the potluck luncheon for the scholarship recipients and their families. Please plan on attending. Bring your favorite item to share. Let's show these students how proud we are of them!

Both Fred A. Anderson Elementary School and Pamlico County Middle School desperately need our help to proctor their end-of-the-year tests. Fred A. Anderson will be testing from May 25th-June 4th. The Middle School will be testing from May 25th-June 8th. For volunteering at the elementary school, call Wendy White at 252-745-4611. For volunteering at the middle school, call Jeralvine Collins at 252-745-4061. Both will provide training the 1st day you are scheuled to proctor.

We are collecting school supplies throughout the year. Please bring any of the following items with you to the next meeting: packages of wide-ruled looseleaf paper, Crayola crayons (24 or less), Crayola colored pencils, Crayola markers, boxes of #2 pencils, boxes of tissues, highlighters, sticky notes, hand sanitizer, and anti-bacterial wipes. We will get them to the public schools early in Sept.

Fundraising: The Arts Program is sponsoring a dragon stepping stone painting project. These stones will be painted and sold as an OWC fundraiser. **We will have an evening painting party on June 21, at 6:30 PM at the clubhouse.** Paint will be supplied. If you would like to participate, sign up with Jean Chastang or Rosalyn Kutchins at the luncheon, pay \$25 (painting done by you) or \$40 if you want someone to paint for you. Stones painted by Lynn Hines, Linda Parker, Marlene Miller and Karen Van Gamper are on sale for \$40 at First Citizen's Bank.

Garden Club (Betsy Hughes): **June 19, 9 AM**, will bring Jayne Stasser to the clubhouse for a program on recycling. On **September 18** Bob Miller will present a program on "Why Birds Matter". Public is invited to both these programs. There will be a road cleanup on **June 26**. Sign up with Gay Radosevich, gayradosevich@gmail.com.



LET'S READ (Carol McAdoo): Reading suggestion from Carol McAdoo. *The Widows of Malabar Hill* by Sujata Massey. Bombay raised and Oxford educated, Perveen Mistry is one of only a handful of women practicing law in 1920's India, working diligently to build a career for herself at her father's law firm. When questions arise about a late client's will, religious customs forbid Perveen's father from interviewing the client's three widows, who live in seclusion from public life and from men. However, Perveen, as a woman, is allowed to meet them. She quickly recognizes that the man charged with protecting the widows and their inheritance has only his own interests at heart. What began as a quiet domestic dispute becomes an all consuming obsession for Perveen when a member of the household is murdered and a child goes missing. Inspired in part by India's first female lawyers this novel becomes an engrossing and inspiring story of mystery and intrigue.



The Village Gallery turns 10 this year and to celebrate, the gallery on Oriental's harbor invited some of North Carolina's best artists from a variety of mediums to show their works. You can see the resulting **special exhibit during the months of May and June**. Visitors are invited to stop into the Gallery at 300 Hodges Street any time during normal business hours Wednesdays through Sundays from 10AM until 5PM.

The 2018 Hope Regala is happening June 8-10 at River Dunes. The weekend includes BBQ (by Dennis Brinson) and music (by Harbor Sounds), a gala dinner (by The Flame), and auctions – silent and live. Also a chance to win \$10,000 by entering the \$10K Golden Raffle. Friday night's BBQ is \$10, Saturday night's Gala is \$75 and Raffle Tickets are \$100 (limit sold is 200). There is no racing this year – which is how the regatta becomes the regala – but you can still bring your sail or power boat. Register your boat for the regala and enjoy 3 nights at River Dunes at the docks, along with all the festivities. Visit Hope's website for details and registration. <http://www.hopeclinic.net>

Friends of Pamlico County Library Book Sale. Saturday - **June 9 - 9AM-2PM** at the library in Bayboro. Donations of books are always welcome.

Croakerfest 2018 is happening on the weekend of Friday June 29 thru Sunday July 1. Headlining music act this year – The Embers, of beach music fame.

