

The News



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From the President

Ruth McCandless



2016-2017 Theme:
Community

Thank you to Parker Paws for the good work they are doing in the community and for the generosity of our members to help them with their efforts.

May is our Annual Scholarship and Fashion Show Fundraiser. It is a special time for us to contribute to our Scholarship Fund, as well as an opportunity for many of our newer members to participate and "show off" some great outfits.

Another exciting activity at this meeting is our 2nd Annual Silent Auction. This is a chance to bid on that special treasure.

Come and have a good time.

Thought for the Month

Learning is not attained by chance, it must be sought for with ardor and diligence

– Abigail Adams –



In the interest of time, please give announcements by phone or email to **Ruth McCandless (817-757-7034, jrmcca@gmail.com)** by the Wednesday before each meeting. For those desiring to make a report, please let Ruth know before the meeting.

PCWNC

May 12th General Meeting

Place: First United Methodist Church, Family Life Center 301 S. Main St., Wfd.

Social Time: 9:30

Club Shop: There is not Club Shop this month

Meeting: 10:30

Cost: \$20 for all attendees, money to go to our Scholarship Fund.

Contact Donna Caudle (817-613-9078 or

djcaudle1@charter.net) or Beth Batista (817-480-3263 or

nikiQQ@aol.com).

A reservation made is a reservation paid. Please give your caller a definite yes or no for a reservation.

Program: Style Show and Scholarship Fundraiser



Hostesses for May:

Charlene Amburn,
Elaine Johnson,
Judy Kotrlík,
Sherry Morris, &
New Member
Molly D'Spain



Please refrain from making comments or announcements about politics, politicians, voting, or other outside special interests at the general meetings. Please silence all cell phones also.

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May Board Meeting

The Board Meeting will take place immediately following the General Meeting on May 12th. The deadline for changes to the next newsletter is on Tuesday, May 16th.

Bowling

A new bowling league is looking for more members and substitutes. They have several teams already and would like more ladies to join. The group meets on Thursdays at 4:00 at Film Alley (825 Interstate 20 Frontage Rd., Wfd.). Contact **Charlene Amburn** (325-330-1468 or enie1946@yahoo.com) for more information.

Breakfast Club

The Breakfast Club will meet on Tuesday, May 2nd at IHOP (2005 S. Main St., Wfd.) at 9:00. Reservations are appreciated, but not required. Contact **Charl Roberson** (817-613-6788 or txcharley@gmail.com) or **Barbara Farley** (817-694-2202 or barbtx@yahoo.com) so they can have a head count.

Canasta

Meet us Monday, May 8th, at Antonio's, 1900 Santa Fe Dr., Wfd., at 11:00 for a fun time. For reservations, call **Jeannine Colley** (817-228-1825) or **Toni Posey** (682-229-3002).

Chick Flicks

Meet for lunch Monday, May 22nd, 11:00 a.m. at Wildberries Cafe (1206 S Main St., Wfd.). We can visit while deciding which movie to see. Reservations not necessary but appreciated. You can call/text/email me, **Pat White** (770-883-7386 or whitep820@yahoo.com). If you aren't on the email list, please let me know, and I'll add you to the reminder list.

Community Resources

Please call **Jo Cheatham** (817-596-0984) with your recommendations or request for services.

Decorations

Laura Roberts (402-850-5560 or LROBERTS@Peru.Edu) is looking for creative ladies to decorate the tables for our General Meetings. If you are interested, please contact Laura.

Friends Connecting

Our next meeting will be on Monday, May 15th at 2:00 at home of Polly McCall (721 Vern Trail North, Ft. Worth). Contact **Alicia Pittman** (682-429-7338, or aliciap1@flash.net) for more info. Hope to see you there!

Game Daze

Game Daze will be on the 4th Friday of each month from 10:00 – 2:00 at the Spring Creek Volunteer Fire Station at 6300 Granbury Hwy. Bring a potluck dish to share. We ask that everyone donate at least \$2 for the utilities and supplies and leave the facility clean. If you need more information, call **Sandra Causbie** (817-676-4211 or sc.aes4@gmail.com) or **Elaine Johnson** (817-599-9759, or ejoh1951@sbcglobal.net).

Lunch Bunch

Lunch will be special as it will be a fundraiser for the scholarship fund. It will be at my home on May 4th. The cost is a \$10 donation. The address is 799 Lake Dr. in the Murl's Lake edition off FM 730. If you are attending, please RSVP **Bonnie Fitch** (817-832-2231 or bsfitch71@gmail.com) by Monday, May 1st, so I have a head count.

Mah Jongg

Join us each Wednesday at Antonio's, 1900 Santa Fe Dr., for lunch and Mah Jongg. We will play from 11:30 – 4:00. If you can come, please contact **Mary Mock** (call/text 817-675-6690 or mmock76102@yahoo.com). If you want to learn how to play Mah Jongg, please come to the East or West Mah Jongg and we will be glad to teach you!

PCWNC Book Club

Book Club will meet on Thursday, May 11th, at 1:00 at the home of Sharon Daniel (133 Hidden Hills Lane, Ft. Worth). The book selection for May is *The Second Mrs. Hockaday* by Susan Rivers. Contact **Karen Moore** (h 817-598-9116 or c 940-859-3724) for more information.

Third Monday Bible Sharing

We will hold this time of sharing in the home of Phyllis Sutton (2022 Old Foundry Rd., Wfd.) on the third Monday of each month at 10:30. **Jo Cheatham** (817-596-0984) and **Patricia Harder** (co-chair, 817-441-6117) lead us through topical discussions that relate to our lives using the Bible for reference.

Uka Ladies

We will meet at the First United Methodist Church, 301 S. Main St., Wfd. on Monday, May 15th at 10:00. Bring your uke and strum along! New members are welcome! Contact **Jodi Young** (817-441-9108) for information.

White Dragon Ladies East

Bring your 2017 card and let's play Mah Jongg. We meet on May 2nd & 9th from 12:30 – 3:30 at the Aledo Community Center. Bring a snack and a drink if you like. Contact **Gail Bagley** (817-441-1323 or hgbagley133@aol.com) for information.

White Dragon Ladies West

Bring your 2017 card and let's play Mah Jongg. We meet every Tuesday from 1:00 – 4:00 at the Springcreek Volunteer Fire Station at 6300 Granbury Hwy. Bring a snack and a drink if you like. Drink machine is also available. Contact **Jerre Miller** (817-341-2884 or millerleann@hotmail.com) to RSVP.

PCWNC Activities

You can find all of our activities listed on the next page and also on our Calendar at pcwnc.org. Please be aware that PCWNC activity groups are for members only. You may bring a guest to check out the activity, but they will be asked to fill out a membership form on an ensuing visit.

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Sunshine & Shadows

Mildred Beard Sherry & Ron Morris
 Jo Cheatham & sister Susan Carolyn & Marc Piel
 Gail Bagley Becky Reed
 Kay Cole Patricia Rider
 Leta George & husband Charles Frances Skiles
 Phyllis King Linda Tiner
 Sherry Magee & daughter DeEdda Jody Young
 Our military men and women, our nation, and world peace.
 If you have some good news to share about your family or friends—new grandbabies, great-grandbabies, anniversaries, weddings—or not so good news, please send information to Sherry Swenson (817-599-8957 or sherry.gene6@gmail.com).



Our Membership is now 182

New member:

Sheela Kumar 817-594-8445
 For privacy reasons, address and email information is not printed in the newsletter. Contact Dana Cook (817-966-0154, jim_dana@att.net) if you would like more information.



Pictures for 2017-2018 Member Directory

For those ladies who did not have their directory pictures taken at the March Tea and cannot make either the June or July meeting, Sue Coleman is willing to set up time at her home for pictures. You need to send her an email to set up an appointment. Sue's email is ascol@msn.com.



May Birthdays

Phyllis King 02 Virginia Gleaton 23



YOU'RE invited



to a parker paws fundraiser luncheon & fashion show
 \$40 per person.

Proceeds provide medical, fostering + food for the Animal Pet Pantry to care for our homeless dogs + cats in Parker County!

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 26, 2017, 11:30-1:00

Contact mary.erichsen@gmail.com
 for tickets and more information.

VINTAGE CAR MUSEUM & EVENT CENTER
 100 FORT WORTH HWY, WEATHERFORD, TX 76086



Mother's Day is a celebration honoring the mother of the family, as well as motherhood, maternal bonds, and the influence of mothers in society. It is celebrated on various days in many parts of the world, most commonly in the months of March or May. It complements similar celebrations honoring family members, such as Father's Day, Siblings Day, and Grandparents Day.

The modern holiday of Mother's Day was first celebrated in 1908, when Anna Jarvis held a memorial for her mother at St Andrew's Methodist Church in Grafton, West Virginia. St Andrew's Methodist Church now holds the International Mother's Day Shrine. Her campaign to make "Mother's Day" a recognized holiday in the United States began in 1905, the year her mother, Ann Reeves Jarvis, died. Ann Jarvis had been a peace activist who cared for wounded soldiers on both sides of the American Civil War, and created Mother's Day Work Clubs to address public health issues. Anna Jarvis wanted to honor her mother by continuing the work she started and to set aside a day to honor all mothers, because she believed that they were "the person who has done more for you than anyone in the world".

In 1908, the US Congress rejected a proposal to make Mother's Day an official holiday, joking that they would have to proclaim also a "Mother-in-law's Day". However, owing to the efforts of Anna Jarvis, by 1911 all US states observed the holiday, with some of them officially recognizing Mother's Day as a local holiday, the first being West Virginia, Jarvis' home state, in 1910. In 1914, Woodrow Wilson signed a proclamation designating Mother's Day, held on the second Sunday in May, as a national holiday to honor mothers.



PCWNC Silent Auction

We will be having a Silent Auction during the May meeting to raise money for our Scholarship Fund. If you have something you would like to donate (no garage sale items please), the committee will be collecting items the afternoon prior to our meeting, Thursday May 11th from 12-5 pm, at the church. There will NOT be Club Shop that day. Please call Gail (817-599-7708) for more information.

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You can see more pictures at PCWNC.org, Photo Galleries, April 2017 General Meeting
Pictures taken by Kimberly Benge & Becky Reed



Kay Cole & Joyce Bratcher



Club Shop with lots of shoppers



Jackie Potts & Nora Loughrey



Gigi Moore, Barbara Farley, & Laura Roberts



Sharon Daniel & Teri Stewart



Bonnie Fitch, Bobbi Westendorf, & Ruth McCandless



Marge Faulstich, Linda Skov, & Sharon Williams



Door prize winner Kathryn Linde & Sherry Swenson



Karren Lucas, Marcy Brooks, Becky Reed, & Mina Bruner