



CELEBRATING 45 YEARS

DOOR CODE FOR MONDAY NIGHT MEETINGS: 44005#



December
Friday Dec 6th Noon
Christmas Lunch
Pine lake CC

Monday Dec 9th 7pm
Annual Christmas Party
Town Hall
Evite to follow

Sat Dec 14th 12-4pm
Winter Enrichment
Annual Mint Hill Pop
Up Christmas Shop

Mon Dec 16th 2pm-4pm
Tue Dec 17th 4pm-6pm
Alexander Youth Network

2020
January
Monday Jan 13th 7pm
Monthly Meeting
Town Hall
Author Susan Todd

Friday Jan 17th Noon
Lunch Bunch
Fresh Chef
Evite to follow

Friday Jan 17th 5pm
Room At the Inn St
Lukes Catholic Church

February
Monday Feb 10th 7pm
Monthly Meeting
Town Hall
Tuesday Feb. 18th 2pm
Cadence assisted living
Service Project- Bingo

Friday Feb. 23rd Noon
Lunch Bunch
Jimmie's Restaurant
Evite to Follow

Announcements

December 9th- It's A Party!

Let's celebrate the **Holiday Season** together! Please join us for **Fun, Food and Fellowship**. We are planning fun activities we hope each of you will enjoy.

We ask that you bring two gifts:

The first is a toy or gift card that will be donated to Servant's Heart to brighten the day of a child. Please bring a toy that is **unwrapped** and has the price tag attached. If there is no price tag, please attach a note with the value of the toy. The Servant's Heart team has asked if you would like to donate a gift card to be used for the teens, please choose one that can be used at Walmart or Target. Please follow your heart, but guidelines used in the last few years have been \$15-\$20 dollars for the toy and \$20-\$25 for the gift card. **These are only suggestions.**

The second is a \$1.00 wrapped gift purchased from the dollar store of your choice, but please make sure the cost was only \$1.00. We will use it for one of our surprises.

Looking forward to seeing each of you,

Jeannine

Message from Co-Presidents

Sending you bountiful Blessings for this holiday season! May you feel peace and fulfillment in all that you do. Have a beautiful holiday season filled with love from family and friends.

Marilyn and Andree

Also:

MHWC Totes are available to order for \$20.00. Contact Marilyn Fargo to place your order. Text at 716-867-7780. We will have at least 12 available at the meeting.



← MHWC Totes available →

20 " Christmas floral arrangement in handmade pottery container will be raffled off at the Christmas Party in lieu of the 50/50 raffle.



November Meeting recap



Our Guest Speakers for the Nov. meeting were two very creative ladies showing us how you can decorate your home for the holidays. Carolyn Galloway, from Galloway Interior Design spoke about making your home festive by putting non traditional trees and lights in every room (including the bathroom) to have spirit. She also demonstrated taking a normal wreath and making it spectacular. Our own Marilyn Fargo of MAF4design@msn.com, showed us how to create a festive atmosphere through tablescaping.

We also enjoyed Delores Hurt's discussion of the League of Women Voters.

Service



December Service Project will be wrapping gifts at the Alexander Youth Network. The 2 dates available are :

Monday Dec 16th 2pm-4pm 7 additional slots available

Tuesday Dec 17th 4pm-6pm 5 additional slots available

A sign up sheet will be available at the December Christmas Party. Please bring with you the items requested for wrapping.

All questions should go to Cheryl Reid at 704-573-2812.



Angel Network 2019

Gift Wrapping Sign-Up

Thank you for your interest in volunteering with Angel Network at Alexander Youth Network! Please see the schedule below to sign up for a volunteer shift.

We look forward to seeing you during your scheduled shift. Gift wrapping will take place on our main campus, 6220 Thermal Road Charlotte NC 28211 in the Markle Building (3rd cottage on the right as you come down the driveway).

If you can, we ask that you bring the following:

- Clothing Boxes
- Gift Bags
- Tissue Paper
- Ribbon
- Tape

MHWC, by Kathy Raiano and Cheryl Reid presented Kim Rhodarmer, Founder and Executive Director of Servants Heart, with \$200 worth of \$15 gift cards to Food Lion for the Thanksgiving Pantry. These gift cards are used for Mint Hill families in need.

Room at the Inn Service Project date is Friday, Jan 17th and Cadence Assisted Living Bingo is scheduled for Tuesday Feb 18th at 2pm. Details to follow at the Dec and Jan monthly meetings.

Fall Team News



Lunch at Red Lobster had 11 members enjoy the food as well as fellowship.

Thank you to Ann Doughty and Nancy Crisp for their leadership with Fall Team refreshments, lunch bunches, and enrichments. Also, thanks goes out to the Fall team for all of their help in getting the refreshments and flex room set up for our monthly meetings.

Winter Team News

Lots of exciting events are planned for December:

Annual Christmas Lunch Dec 6th at Pine Lake Country Club– Noon- There are still spots available. Please contact Pam Dalton if you want to attend. 704-506-5310 or Daltongang@aol.com

December Christmas Party- Monday, Dec 9th - This is a potluck event where all of us provide refreshments for the evening. An Evite went out on Nov. 25th . Please respond to it so we know the number of ladies attending as well as the amount and assortment of dishes. We ask that your dishes come in serving containers with serving utensil (if needed). We will have ladies from the Winter Team in the lobby to take your dishes from you. Please have your food brought by 6:45pm so we have time to set up prior to the party.

Winter Enrichment - Dec 14th Noon-4pm Mint Hill 2nd Annual Pop Up Christmas shopping event- Town Hall circle. This event will feature local shops and artisans. We encourage all of our members to come out and patronize the businesses in our community. We hope to see many of you there.

Pam Dalton and Deonna Bandos

Lost item

Ann Litaker is missing a black lightweight jacket from the September Fashion Show. It was last seen draped over one of the lobby chairs. If anyone has it or knows what happened to it, please contact Ann Litaker at 704-545-3368.

Thank you in advance for your help.

Welcome

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Dana Price
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704-622-9854

Cheryl (Sheri) Brown
SLSB64@gmail.com
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Hugs

Get Well

Nancy Powery- shoulder surgery
Sue Black—Eye Surgery

Sympathy

Suzanne Maddox—death of husband
Dennis

Kristina Maddox—death of father

New Members

Sarah Stevens *Elise Venturo*
Sherri Taylor *Allison Laney*
Pam Fandel *Robin Greelish*

Birthdays

Ann	Carney	12-01
Dana	Price	12-02
Elise	Venturo	12-07
Sally	Crocker	12-11
Paige	McKinney	12-12
Kathy	Cowles	12-13
Mary	O'Rourke	12-23
Kathleen	Schilling	12-29
Sarah	Stevens	12-30

Please contact Ann Carney, Corresponding Secretary, with information regarding any member who needs a Hugs card. You can email her at anncarney@aol.com

Thank You Notes

Dear Mint Hill Womens Club,
Honor the Warriors is so grateful to the many women who provided the food for our dinner. There were many comments about how great everything was! We especially appreciate the wonderful women who helped with set up, serving and clean up. You were all so kind and loving to our veterans. Your organization always goes above and beyond when you commit yourselves to a project. We are blessed to have you as supporters.



--
Jerry Morris
Executive Director
Honor The Warriors

MEMORIES 2004-2014

For the next 3 months, we will be posting various pictures from our past history as a club. We will divide them up by decade. Join us in marveling at our predecessors.



Profile: Matthews Help Center

Located in a new building in beautiful downtown Matthews, the Matthews Help Center serves those among us who are hurting and in need. Their volunteer nurses give free blood pressure checks, their food pantry supplies free groceries when needed and their on-site Thrift Shop recycles and sells quality clothing and furniture from ten cents to ten dollars.

For those in need who stop by the Matthews Help Center, respect and a sense of dignity is provided to all who enter this welcoming place.

The service organization supports the surrounding communities of Mint Hill, Stallings, Indian Trail and other areas within a 7-mile radius of Matthews.



Women's Club will have a guest speaker at their first meeting of the year this Monday to promote troops and their families. The meeting is at 7:30 in the Community Room at Town Hall.



Volunteers are an important part of the success of the Matthews Help Center.



Book Swappers is a Book Club like no others!! No required reading! Tons of laughs, fun, getting to know the other members.

TO JOIN: Bring a Book, Magazine, Pamphlet, or any type of reading material. Share information about your text. At the end of the evening, you may choose a book that another member has discussed and take it home for **TWO MONTHS!!** You may also leave your "book" to share with others.

Book Swappers will meet at 7pm on December 2nd at the home of Pat Taylor. Her address is 10524 Old Brassle Dr, MH, 28227.

Please let Ginnie Freeburn (704)545-8204 know if you plan to attend. We are a small group always looking for new members.

Upcoming Community Events

Help Healing Vine Harbor, Inc. to house single women who are homeless in Charlotte.

Step 1: Start at www.smile.amazon.com

Step 2: Search Healing Vine Harbor, Inc. (Charlotte, NC)

Step 3: Select Add and shop!

Remember: Every time you shop start at www.smile.amazon.com

amazonsmile
Your shop. Amazon's greener.

Mint Hill Annual Christmas Tree Lighting and Parade

Starts: Dec 7th, 2019 5:30 pm



5:30 pm Parade

7:00 pm Annual Christmas Tree Lighting

The Town of Mint Hill and the Mint Hill Chamber of Commerce will sponsor the Town's first Christmas parade prior to the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony. Join us downtown for a special nighttime parade featuring local businesses, organizations, bands and of course, Santa. The parade will travel down Matthews-Mint Hill Road from Bain School to the Mint Hill Library. Santa will leave after the parade and return to Town Hall for the Annual Christmas Tree Lighting.

After the parade, join us at Town Hall for the Town's Annual Christmas Tree Lighting sponsored by Atrium. Santa will be present to hear how wonderful the children of Mint Hill have been and make note of all their lists. We will have hot chocolate, cider and delicious cookies for all to enjoy.