

NC State University Woman's Club

Thankful November!!

*"Fear not November's challenge bold-
We've book and friends
And hearths that never can grow cold:
These make amends!"*

Alexander L. Fraser

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"To unite NC State University women in common interests and to promote the welfare and advancement of the University."

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Next Meeting: Thursday, November 21st, 2019 at 1130 am. The meeting will convene promptly at 1130, lunch will be served at 1145, and our exciting program will begin at 1215.

Message from our President:

Dear Club Members,

We are well into the 2019-2020 year of the North Carolina State Woman's club. At our September and October luncheons we were treated to a look at Forensics and the Friends of the College.

In November, we will hear from the City of Raleigh Environmental Coordinator, Ed Buchan.

Then in December, we will have the final anniversary celebration with a special treat for Christmas as well!! See you at our November luncheon!! Sharon Ayers, Club President

Program Committee:

Our program this month is about Raleigh's Water System.

Ed Buchan, the City of Raleigh's Environmental Coordinator, will share with us all that the city is doing to keep our water supply healthy and abundant.

Scholarship Fundraising:

Please consider making your contribution to the Caldwell Scholarship this month, or by the December meeting.

Remember that **Anne Porter Sasser** and **Lou Mitchell** both pledged to give \$1,000 each to the fund if we get 100% club participation. The amount you donate is relevant, but not as important as your willingness to make this a total club participation project!!

Please make your check out to North Carolina State University Foundation and in the 'for' space, designate the Carol E. Caldwell Scholarship. Checks should be mailed to:

North Carolina State University
Gift Processing
Campus Box 7474
Raleigh, NC 27695-7474

Thank you,
Lou Mitchell-Scholarship Chair

Communications Committee:

Do you know of a member who needs cheering up? Help us show them that we will support them and that we care! Please let Barbara Dickey, Chair of the Communications Committee, know as soon as you can. She can be reached at dadickey@bellsouth.net.

Transportation Committee:

Don't sit home and miss a meeting because you don't have a ride!! Please contact Jane Mullahey at JaneaMullahey@gmail.com, or 850-206-1925 and she will have one of our wonderful members pick you up!

Treasurer's Report:

I am happy to report that, because we have a healthy balance in our savings account, we will have a great opportunity to award a grant to a worthy project at NC State. I will be sending a Request for Applications to the Provost's Office, for distribution throughout the University, announcing the availability of a program/project grant of up to \$5,000. We'll give a deadline of January 31, 2020, and the bring the proposals to the February meeting for discussion and a vote. Our goal will be to make the award by March 30, 2020, and to request a report back from the recipient by our April 2021 lunch meeting.

Our Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment will automatically be among the programs/projects to be considered for funding. I will be available to answer any questions at the November meeting.

Chris Cammerene-Wessel, Club Treasurer

Nominating Committee:

The Nominating Committee will begin working in November to prepare a slate of offices to be presented to the membership at the January 2020 meeting. If you are interested in serving as an officer or have a nomination for an officer position, please contact any member of the Nomination Committee:

Carolyn Bunn
Vivian Hughes
Suester Sowell
Roma Weeks
Wilma Hammet

Thanks,
Carolyn Bunn, Chair, Nominating Committee

Club Historian:

Kathryn Bartley, our Club Historian, is asking for our help! If you see an obituary for a former Woman's Club member in the paper, please save it for her or alert her by email, kathryndbart.88@gmail.com, text or phone call. She is also requesting that whoever delivers the Feed the Pack donations take a few pictures to include in our scrapbook.

The scrapbook is a great way to record our club's wonderful history!! Any information, pictures, news tidbits you can share with Kathryn will be greatly appreciated!!

Feed the Pack:

Helen Hauser has requested the following items to donate to the NC State food pantry:

Rice
Ramen
Pre-Made meals
Snacks
Granola Bars
Breakfast items
Mac and Cheese
Pasta
Spaghettios
Beans

She is also asking for volunteers to deliver these items after each meeting.

NEWS FLASH:

Nancy Devine is doing a great job keeping our website up to date, and it looks terrific!

Take a look at it: <https://clubs.ncsu.edu/womansclub/>

- We now have the option of retrieving the **luncheon reservation form** online.
- Go to the club website, then under “What’s new?” print out the reservation form, and scroll **down for entrée choices** for the year.
- Fill out the form as usual, and send it along with your payment to Chris.
- (No panic! You will still receive a newsletter with a reservation form each month as usual.)
- On the left column, you will find a copy of the newsletter once it has been published, as well as the previous months’ issues.
- The Club Calendar is also on the website.
- Important contact information is listed as well.
- For those of you who receive a paper copy of the newsletter, the menu for the year is included in your newsletter this month. Should you not receive the newsletter any month, refer to the menu to make your entrée choice, and on a piece of paper list your name, any guests’ names and your menu choices. Mail to Chris Wessel.

It is our hope that you will enjoy the website and find it useful to have this second option for making your luncheon reservations.

Thank you, Nancy for making this possible.

Sharon Ayers, Club President

Hostess Committee:

Our hostesses for the month of November are:

Suester Sowell, Chair

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Geneva Humphries

Aileen Pressley

As always, we look forward to seeing what wonderful decorations you will do for us this meeting!

Newsletter:

Newsletter articles are due at each of our monthly meetings. This standard deadline should help all of us to have our articles ready!

Thanks to all for your cooperation!

Articles can be sent to:

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NCSU Woman's Club

November 21, 2019

Meeting will convene at 1130 am, lunch will be served promptly at 1145, and our speaking program will begin at 1215

Lunch Reservations-Due by Friday, November 15, 2019

Reservations (with payment) should be mailed to:

Chris Cammarene-Wessel
10017 Bushveld Lane
Raleigh, NC 27613

No refunds for cancellations later than due date. If you make a reservation and intend to pay at the door, but do not attend or cancel your reservation, you must still pay for your lunch(es).

Cost: \$19.00 per person \$20.00 at the door

Make check payable to: NC State Woman's Club

Lunch will be served at 11:45 am

Number of reservations _____

Member Name _____

Number of Guest(s) _____

Name(s) _____

Enclosed is \$ _____ (\$19.00 per person), payable to NC State University Woman's Club

Write your entrée selection(s) below for yourself and your guest(s) from either Turkey Breast with Cornbread Stuffing and Gravy, or Tilapia with Mango Salsa (Fresh Fruit Salad, Baked Sweet Potatoes and Steamed Green Beans) or a Cobb Salad (turkey can be added if you want). A mixed green salad is included in the entrees. Water, coffee, rolls and butter also included. |

Member _____

Entrée Selection _____

Guest _____

Entrée Selection _____

Guest _____

Entrée Selection _____

Other special needs (i.e. space for wheelchairs, etc.):

Minutes of the NC State Women's Club (University Club)
October 17, 2019

The meeting was called to order by President Sharon Ayers. Sharon welcomed the members and our guests. Sharon recognized the October Hostess Committee for the wonderful fall decorations this month. The Hostess Committee for October were: Helen Crane, Chair, Carolyn Bunn and Ann Collins. Thank you, ladies, for volunteering to serve as hostess for this month. You continue to set the bar high for the other hostess committee members!

The Club had several guests this month, Henry Bowers was a guest of Sory Bowers, and Betty Sykes was the guest of Sandy Donaghy.

The Women's Club recognized two Lifetime Members, Maryann Bitzer who was present and Jane Doby who was unable to attend.

Sharon mentioned that Nancy Devine who is our 'webmaster' for the NC State Women's Club website has set up the website so that if a members is interested one can go to the website and make your luncheon selection and reservation online. All you would need to do afterwards is either send in your check to Chris Wessel or pay at the door for your lunch. If interested go to: <https://clubs.ncsu.edu/womansclub/> and go to What's New.

Helen Hauser thanked everyone for their contribution to the Pack Pantry. She reminded everyone that 14% of students and staff are food insecure. Helen will be collecting food at each of our meetings this year. Please consider donating to this cause. Helen will send out an email or include in the newsletter items of need at the Pack Pantry.

Our speaker today was Mr. Roy Dicks who presented a wonderful trip down memory lane for most of us on the history of the "Friends of the College". He has Mark Tulbert, Director of Marketing Arts at NC State University. We are fortunate that Henry Bowers was able to attend as a guest and that he had the foresight 60 years ago to create such a wonderful venue for the Arts at NC State and the surrounding area.

Minutes submitted by,

Georgina Werner, Secretary