

NC State Woman's Club



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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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Message from President

After a stressful week of Hurricane Florence, and still wondering what the outcome of it all would be, it was a nice respite to gather with friends, old and new, at our first luncheon in September. The program by Rich Holly, Executive Director Arts NC State, was titled: Accessible, Relevant, and Transformative. Thank you, Annette and the Program Committee. Many thanks also to our hostesses, Linda Moore, chair, Amy Klaenhammer, Mae-Mae Dolan, and Reba Worsley for the lovely table decor, which brightened our room so delightfully.

Now we are beginning to see the first signs of autumn 🍁 like the annual State Fair and full-on football as we ease into the routines of the season. This month at the luncheon, we will settle down to a more serious topic, and one that we can all appreciate: Discovering New Ways to Treat Metastatic Breast Cancer, presented by Dr. J. "Chuck" Harrell. Thanks, Annette!

I look forward to seeing everyone on the 18th! -- *Sharon Ayers*

Program – Discovering New Ways to Treat Metastatic Breast Cancer

Chuck Harrell, PhD, is a cancer researcher at Virginia Commonwealth University (VCU) in Richmond, Virginia. He grew up in Raleigh, where he attended Broughton High School and then North Carolina State University, where he received a Bachelor of Science degree in Biological Sciences in 2000.

While at NC State, Dr. Harrell interned at the National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS) in Research Triangle Park. At the NIEHS, he became interested in steroid hormones, notably estrogens and their roles in mammary gland development and breast cancer. He continued in this area of research during his doctoral studies at the University of Colorado, and focused on developing new experimental models to better understand the roles of estrogen receptors in breast cancer metastasis. His research was selected for a fellowship by the United States Department of Defense. After earning his PhD in Cell and Developmental Biology, he was chosen to participate in the US East Asia and Pacific Summer Institute and performed research in Adelaide, Australia, at the University of Adelaide.

In 2008, he moved back to North Carolina and continued his breast cancer research at the UNC-Chapel Hill Lineberger Comprehensive Cancer Center, where he was again selected for a postdoctoral fellowship by the Department of Defense. While at UNC, he expanded his research program to study both estrogen-dependent and estrogen-independent breast cancers.

In 2015, he was recruited by the Massey Cancer Center at VCU to direct a research laboratory in the Department of Pathology. His lab is currently working to identify unique combinations of drugs that are effective for metastatic breast cancer, with the goal of reducing the amount of toxic chemotherapy needed. He has received funding from METAvivor for studies that have focused on genetic characterization of breast cancer liver metastasis. He has authored 47 peer-reviewed publications and one book chapter.

Outside of the lab and classroom, Dr. Harrell is married to another Raleigh native, Jill (Hudson) Harrell who is an elementary school teacher in Short Pump, Virginia. They have two boys, Lincoln (10), and Hugh (8), both of whom enjoy swimming, fishing, and playing soccer. His family enjoys spending time at Atlantic Beach and Lake Gaston, and skiing. – *Annette Harrell, Chair, Programs Committee*

Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment

A brief history: Our NC State Woman's Club sponsored and raised funds to endow the Carol Caldwell Scholarship in honor of the wife of NC State's Chancellor John T. Caldwell, who served from 1959 to 1975. As "first lady" of NC State, Carol Caldwell was a faithful mentor, member, and advocate of the NC State Woman's Club.

The Carol Caldwell Scholarship has been awarded to worthy students since 1984, and we have heard the testimonies of many of these very appreciative recipients at club meetings over the years. Our club and its members continue to support this scholarship, and the endowment has reached more than \$161,000 – thus allowing scholarship awards into perpetuity. There are few investments that one can make that will impact so many individual lives.

Thank you for your continued support of the Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment. Your tax-deductible gift should be made payable to: **North Carolina State University Foundation, Inc. (noted on your check: Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment #680609)**

Please continue to bring your gifts to our monthly meetings or mail your checks to: Ms. Anne Porter Sasser, 3408 Caldwell Drive, Raleigh, NC 27607 – *Anne Porter Sasser, Chair, Scholarship Committee*

NC State Woman's Club 2018-19 Yearbook

Yearbooks were distributed at our September meeting. If you were not at the meeting and no one picked up a copy for you, a copy will be mailed to you. If you would like an electronic, color copy of the yearbook, just let me know and I will email a PDF version to you.

Please take a minute and look over your personal information in the yearbook. If your information has changed or is incorrect, please let me know. You can fill out the form below with your updated information and give this note with changes to me at our October meeting. If you cannot attend our meeting on October 18, please mail your response to me at 103 Heritage Court, Cary, NC 27513. Email will also work-- sandy.donaghy@gmail.com – *Sandy Donaghy, Yearbook Chair*

Information for the 2018-19 Yearbook has changed or is incorrect.

Name _____
Address _____
Telephone _____
Email address _____

New Member for 2018-19

Debbie Lovell is our newest member. Deb is a graduate of NC State University and is Vice President of the Epoxy Floor Systems Inc. Deb and husband, Chip, live in north Raleigh. Please join me in welcoming Deb to our club!

Announcements

Meeting Date and Time – Thursday, October 18 at 11:30 am.

Our meeting will convene at 11:30 am, lunch will be served at 11:45 am and our program will begin at 12:15 pm. Our meeting times will remain as listed above for the 2018-19 year unless noted otherwise.

Deadline -- Newsletter Articles

Newsletter articles for the next month are due to Helen Crane at each of our monthly meetings. This standard deadline should help all of us remember to have our articles ready for the coming month. Your cooperation in meeting these deadlines is appreciated. -- *Helen Crane* Helen_Crane@ncsu.edu

Communications Committee

If you know of someone with a joy or concern that would warrant a card from our club, please notify the chair of our Communication/Courtesies Committee, Barbara Dickey, dadickey@bellsouth.net or [919-846-0614](tel:919-846-0614).

Thank you – *Barbara Dickey*

Hostesses for October

Our hostesses for October are Helen Crane, Chair, Ethel Boone, Carolyn Bunn and Ann Collins. Thank you, ladies, for volunteering to serve as hostess for this month.

Do you need a ride?

Please don't let the lack of transportation be your excuse for missing out. We have members who are happy and eager to help. Please call Jane Mullahey (919-762-0161) for assistance. Hope to see you in October!

Lunch Reservations—Due by Friday, October 12, 2018

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).

If you would like to pay for the entire year (8 months x \$19.00 equals \$152.00) up front, please mail your check to Chris Cammarene-Wessel. You will still need to send or call in your lunch reservation by the due date so that we will know your menu selection.

Cost: \$19.00 per person \$20.00 at the door
Cost: \$152 (8 lunches)
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) _____

Names(s) _____

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

Enclosed is \$152.00 _____ (eight lunches) for the 2018-19 season, payable to NC State Woman's Club. You will still need to mail/email or call Kathryn Bartley your menu selection for each month by the due date.

Write your entree selection(s) below for yourself and your guests from either Pecan Crusted Pork Cutlet **OR** Chicken Cordon Bleu, Rice Pilaf, Vegetable Medley with a Caesar Salad. Water, tea, coffee, rolls and butter included.

Member _____

Entrée Selection _____

Guest _____

Entrée Selection _____

Guest _____

Entrée Selection _____

Reminders:

Please notify Kathryn Bartley at kathrynbart.88@gmail.com or 919-851-8575 no later than the Monday prior to the meeting with your lunch selection if you:

- have paid \$152 for the full year's lunches
- are mailing your reservation form late
- are not mailing in your reservation and intend to pay at the door
- Other special needs (i.e. space for wheelchair at table, vegetarian entrée, etc.):

MINUTES
NC State University Woman's Club
September 20, 2018

The meeting was called to order by our new 2018-19 President, Sharon Ayers.

Sharon welcomed the members back from the summer. Sharon recognized the September Hostess Committee for the colorful table decorations this month.

Chris Cammarene-Wessel presented and briefly discussed the 2018-2019 budget which includes an allocation for the 100th Anniversary of the club which is also in the Yearbook. The proposed allocation was voted on and approved by the membership.

The Hostess Committee for September were: Linda Moore, Chair, Mae-Mae Dolan, Amy Klaenhammer and Reba Worsley. Wonderful table decorations and the white chocolate covered pretzels were inviting and delicious.

Sandy Donaghy distributed our new 2018-19 Yearbook. Everyone was reminded to pick up their new Yearbook and check off their name. If you were absent and no one picked up a copy for you, a copy will be mailed to you.

We have several new members that have joined our club. The club extends a warm welcome to each of you! Sharon asked each new member to stand and to introduce themselves.

Mary Elizabeth Brake
Wendy Lapish
Debbie Lovell
Sarah Beth May
Alycia Thornton
Patti Woodbury

We had one guest this month, Felicia Mangum, who was a guest of Reba Worsley.

Our program and speaker this month, Mr. Rich Holly Executive Director of Arts NC State presented a wonderful overview of Arts NC State. Who knew there was so much going on artistically at NC State? Mr. Holly provided an overview on the Craft Center, Dance Program, Gregg Museum of Art and Design, the Department of Music, NC State Live and the University Theatre. Seriously, there is so much available to do at NC State for students, faculty and the outside public.

Sharon announced that the Hostess Committee for our October meeting will be Helen Crane, Chair, Carolyn Bunn, Ethel Boone and Ann Collins.

The meeting was adjourned by President Sharon Ayers.

Minutes submitted by,
Georgina Werner, Secretary