

NEWSLETTER August-September 2011

"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 Vivian Hughes

Greetings! Has summer already gone?! Yes, those record-setting 100+ degree days have baked us (I was in Scotland during the heat wave, and the high temp was 72 degrees! Hard to come back to the scorching heat.) But no matter the weather, time seems to fly, whether you're having fun or not! So, it's time to begin another stimulating Woman's Club year. Did I say stimulating? Can that be true if we are into "recycling" old presidents? The city's recycling directions say, "When in doubt, throw it out." The only way I cannot be "thrown out" is with the strong support of each of you! This year's officers and committee members have already given that support. Thanks to each of you who answered "Yes!" when you were called this summer.

When we look at the programs scheduled for this year, "stimulating" seems a good word after all. Jackie Wynne and her committee have worked hard to line up interesting, informative and enjoyable programs. Also, Geneva Humphries has done her usual great job of recruiting hostesses for each month. We have such creative members – I always look forward to each meeting, to see the unique table decorations and savor the delectable meals.

I hope you have had a wonderful summer. Fall is just around the corner, and we continue "to unite NC State women in common interests and promote the welfare and advancement of the University." See you in September!

NCSU Woman's Club September 15, 2011 Meeting

11:30 a.m. ~ University Club's University Room

Program: "Mini Antiques Roadshow," by J.C. Knowles, Antiques Expert and Historian, Auctioneer and Official Apex Ambassador

Hostesses: Hazel Cooper, Chair; Dora Cornwell and Sara Dail

Reservations Due: Friday, September 9. Please note on the form if you will bring an antique or unusual item (or two!) for J.C. to "appraise."

Cancellations: Phone in to Dora Cornwell at 851-1191 no later than Monday,

September 12, for refund. Cancellations later than that date, ticket price must be paid in full.

RESERVATION FORM

Lunch Cost: \$15 per person. Membership Renewal: \$25. Checks payable to: NCSU Woman's Club

Reservations (with payment) must be received by Friday, September 9, 2011. Mail to: Dora Cornwell, 5317 Dee Valley Run, Raleigh, NC 27606; ddrcornwell@aol.com; 851-1191.

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Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment Report from Scholarship Chair Anne Porter

More than \$3,000 was raised last year for the Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment, including more than \$1,000 from the "\$100 Hat" raffle. Thanks to everyone for their continued support of this endowment through outright gifts and support each meeting of the on-going raffle. Please remember this special scholarship endowment with your annual tax-deductible gifts in memory or to honor a special friend or loved one. When you review your estate plan, please remember that a will bequest or other planned gift is an easy but very important way to support this worthy endowment. NC State has several outstanding planned giving personnel, who would be happy to talk with you – a free, no obligation service! (Anne Porter can give you their contact information anytime.)

This year's Carol Caldwell Scholarship recipient is Lorena Patterson. Lorena received this scholarship award last year, and this is her last year at NC State. We look forward to meeting and hearing from Lorena at one of our meetings this year.

For gifts to the endowment, please send your checks to:

Ms. Anne Porter ~ Campus Box 7522 ~ Raleigh, NC 27695-7522

Please make checks payable to the North Carolina State University Foundation, Inc.

(noted: Carol Caldwell Scholarship Endowment).

Something New!

This year, the Communications Committee will be calling or emailing each member with a reminder of our meeting and the program for the month. We hope this reminder will be helpful.

North Carolina Women's History Time Line (from the NC Museum of History at http://ncmuseumofhistory.org/nchh/womenshist.html)

Virginia Dare statue, formerly in St. Bride's Church, Fleet St.

Circa 8000 B.C.

Creation legends in the Tuscarora, Algonquian, Cherokee, Siouan, and Catawba cultures identify women in four significant roles: life givers, intermediaries between the natural and spiritual worlds, indispensable components of the earth and its processes, and people different from but equally important to men.

1587

August 18: Virginia Dare becomes the first English child born in the New World (Roanoke Colony). What became of Virginia and the colonists remains a mystery.

1774

October 25: Fifty-one "patriotic ladies" gather in Edenton to announce in writing their boycott of East Indian tea as long as it is taxed by the British. This protest, known as the Edenton Tea Party, is one of the first political activities in this country staged by women.

More historical tidbits next month!

Your 2011-12 Executive Board

President: Vivian Hughes

1st Vice President: Jackie Wynne (Programs) 3rd Vice President: Jane Doby (Yearbook)

2nd Vice President: Ann Frazier (Memberships) Secretary: Carolyn Bunn 3rd Vice President: Chris Cammarene-Wessel Treasurer: Mary Liner

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Who is YOUR Heroine?

Tell us	s about the woman/women w	ho inspired your	life, mentored you,	or whom you admire
most.	We'll share these stories at o	our meetinas. Us	se another sheet of	paper if needed.

Name of your heroine:				
How did you meet her?				
How did she inspire you or why do you admire her most?				