

Junior Woman's Club of Taunton and Raynham Feb. 2007 Volume 2

What's New?s Paper

Hershey Kiss Bags

We will be filling the Hershey Kiss Bags to distribute to nursing homes. Bring at least two bags of Hershey's Valentine (red and silver) Kisses.

Welcome Our New Member

Julie Leonard and her husband Bill have four children. Julie enjoys reading and writing in her spare time. She would like to give back to the community, set a good example for her children, and form relationships with other women.

Add to your yearbook:

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Members should bring finger food for the tea (pastries, cookies, brownies, mini-sandwiches, etc.). Those who have volunteered to set up, be at The Arbors at noon.

Upcoming Meetings and Events

February 5th meeting at The Arbors, 7:00 p.m.

Cupid's Tea Party Sunday, February 11th at The Arbors, 2 to 4 p.m.

Reminders for Feb. Meeting

Samaritan House: Kleenex and toilet paper

Taunton State Hospital: pocket calendars, journals (no metal), slipper socks

The Arbors has asked that we **not** park in the front of the building for our meetings!



Hospitality

February 5th

Deb Brennan (C) and Carrie Spearen

March 5th

Joan Curran (C) and Susan Shanko

April 2nd

Darlene Brown (C), Judy Ackerman, and Joanna Alden

May 7th

Kim McMann (C) and Terry Asci



January Meeting

Mark Cohen, an Ameriprise financial advisor, gave a presentation on "Strong Women—Powerful Financial Strategies" at our January meeting.

Installation

In Nancy's absence, Deb helped Julie Leonard add her jewel to our membership crown. Welcome, Julie!



GFWC Winter Meeting

At the January 27" GFWC Winter Conference in Westborough, we had 7 members, Cheryl C., Joyce C, Nancy C., Joan, Nancy B., Audrey, and Denise, attend. The speakers from United Veterans of America and The Emancipation Network were very informative. Fun was had by all!

Membership:

- Thanks to everyone's help, the club installed 1 new member in January.
- Attendance at our January meeting was 60%.

Rent Relief:

Thanks to Sharon J. for last month's rent relief. Deb Brennan is bringing January's rent relief.

Newsletter:

Send any info to Nancy C. at tauntonraynhamjrwomen@yahoo.com

Publicity:

Clip any articles from local papers. Make sure to include paper name and date

Arts:

We weren't able to do this last month with Nancy in Jamaica, so bring something to the February meeting that you see as art. On an index card, state why you consider it to be a form of art. You can buy it, make it, or borrow it. All displays will be acknowledged.

Example: a plant; because it delights the eyes with it's design and color.

The Enterprise—Thursday, Nov. 30, 2006 B3 Junior Woman's Club to meet Monday

TAUNTON — The Junior Woman's Club of Taunton and Raynham is scheduled to meet Monday at The Arbors, 763 County St. in Taunton at 7 p.m. Members are asked to bring shoeboxes, wrapping paper and tape. The boxes will be filled with gifts for Kids USA and brought to the Junior Woman's Club of Taunton and Raynham's Holiday Party on Dec. 11 at The Chateau in Norton. For more information, visit tauntonraynhamjrwomen.com.

Art Trivia Questions:

- 1. Who painted the "Portrait of an Astronaut" for *Look* magazine's January 10, 1967 cover?
- 2. What contemporary author who resides is Provo, Utah with his family wrote "The Last Valentine"?

Send your answers to Nancy Brown or bring them to the February meeting.

International Affairs:

We are continuing to send knitted caps to *Save the Children*. Give any completed hats to Joyce for mailing.

Education:

Members are asked to bring a children's books to February's meeting to donate to schools, libraries, and literacy centers. We would like to do this on a monthly basis.

Homelife:

Denise is still collecting children's hats, gloves, mittens, and scarves for *Helping Hands*.

The annual *Fairy GodMother Project* is holding its annual Boutique Event on two days this year, instead of one. It will be on Friday, March 9th from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. and Saturday, March 10th from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The Project is looking for volunteers for setup and breakdown. They will be taking donations of any kind throughout the year and are also looking for donations of food and drink for the volunteers for those days.

Public Affairs:

The club would like members to bring one school supply each month from erasers, pencils, small notebooks, and crayons to give a soldier for children in I raq.

Zen and Winter

"I t's my snow"

I think

And the weight on my hat lightens.

Takarai Kikaku (1661-1701)

The Junior Woman's Club of Taunton and Raynham are collecting items for different organizations in the local community. See Denise.

- Used Stamps
- Small gift boxes
- Butter Tubs
- Cards
- T-shirts (slightly worn)
- Soda Tabs
- Costume Jewelry
- Mugs
- Curtains
- Cross-stitch thread
- Stickers and labels
- Fabric and sewing materials
- Yarn
- Puzzles
- Board Games
- Candle holders and jars
- Stationary
- Cards-holiday, birthday, etc.
- Shoulder pads
- Ribbons
- Pocket Books, Purses, wallets
- Gloves, mittens, hats, scarves
- Magnets
- Shopping bags with handles
- Plastic shopping bags
- Tablecloths (cloth or plastic)
- Napkins
- Place Mats
- Shoe boxes
- Metal hangers
- Old and broken candles

- Campbell Soup Labels
- Box Tops for Education
- Used Children's Books
- Craft Supplies
- Stuffed Animals
- Kitchen supplies-pans, utensils, etc.
- Used Pens and Pencils
- Bud vases or large vases (glass or plastic)
- Empty ink cartridges for printers
- Small broken appliances for Girl's Inc.
 - hair dryers
 - type writers
 - o cell phones
 - clocks
 - calculators
 - telephones and cordless
 - hand mixers
 - radios
 - can openers
 - o VCR's
 - cameras
 - toaster ovens
- For animal shelter
 - old blankets
 - o old towels (any size)
 - old mattress covers
 - old sheets
- Tic-Tac containers
- Empty thread spools
- AOL CD's

The Club is collecting used cell phones to donate to Call to Protect Program. We also need slightly used pocketbooks!