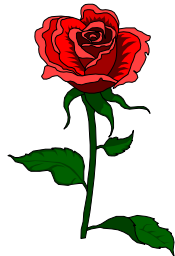


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## President's Post

Lights! Camera! Action! Many thanks to *Mary and Jim Hampton* for sharing a glimpse of their exciting Hollywood lives, their charm and their impressive memorabilia! With the help of her chief assistant (and husband) *Marx, Wanda Baham* and *Joyce Frey* did a wonderful job of hosting this delightful evening with our "stars"!

Thanks to *Alice Murphy*, Scholarship Chair, and her committee members for their diligence in reviewing student applications and awarding \$12,000 in scholarships. Thanks also to *Arlene Lewis*, Golf Tournament Chair, and all who participated in the 2009 NEF/TCWC Golf Classic fundraising event for scholarships and teacher grants.

Plans are well underway for our *July 4<sup>th</sup> Root Beer Float Stand*, promoting the Town's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration over Labor Day weekend. Join us in the festivities of the parade, festival and fireworks, as we scoop Blue Bell ice cream and put smiles of the faces of young and old alike! We need 4 volunteers for the 6:00-7:30 and 7:30-9:00 shifts. Let me know if you would like to join the fun!

The Home Tour Committee has begun making preparations for this year's December 5<sup>th</sup> Christmas Tour of Homes! If you'd like to be part of this wonderful fundraising tradition, contact co-chairs *Deborah Blevins* or *Carol Renwick*.

There will be no TCWC newsletter or general meeting in July. However, we have been invited to attend the Northwest Metroport Chamber of Commerce 2010 "Celebrating Women in Business" event, *Laughter for the Soul*. Salley Baskey will share her pain-relieving prescription for dealing with the challenges of everyday life. Look for an email invitation soon with details for this June 30<sup>th</sup> event.

## **Inquiring Minds Want to Know! Survey response regarding TCWC Website**

The sad news ☹ is that only a small percentage of our members visit our website regularly (62% of the 59 who responded). And some have never even been to the site. We have certainly experienced more than our share of web challenges these past months and even years, but the exciting news ☺ is . . . that is about to change!

[www.mytccwc.org](http://www.mytccwc.org) has a new face and a new feel!

Many thanks to *Carol Jansen* who worked countless hours with the new web designer. Our site is now updated, fully functional, user friendly and full of information for our members and visitors. Please take a minute to check it out! We think you'll be delighted and ready to go back for more!

## **GENERAL MEETING INFORMATION**

### **"COME FLY WITH ME"**

**Wednesday, June 9, 2010**

**6:30PM, ~ Dinner - \$18**

**Trophy Club Country Club**

Our guests for this special evening will be Valarie Jolly and Michele McKechnie, owners and managers of Riverside Travel and Cruise. They have been in business for 30 years and were the first "women owned" travel agency in the DFW area. They also specialize in European antiques. They have been voted Best of the Best for 2008-2009 by Southlake, Colleyville and Grapevine Couriers. Their enthusiasm is contagious. They will present travel options for Texas, families and luxury travel. There will be exciting new ideas for even the most seasoned travelers.

Please RSVP to Victoria Herman at [victoria-herman@sbcglobal.net](mailto:victoria-herman@sbcglobal.net) by Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Remember ...** If you make a reservation for the dinner meetings and are unable to attend, you are responsible for the dinner cost, unless you cancel by Friday, June 4<sup>th</sup>.

<p><b>MEMBERSHIP</b>  <u>Welcome our New Members!</u></p> 	<p><b>New Members</b>  <b>Rebecca Freed</b> 2514 Ralston Drive <b>Katherine Whaley</b> 1 Avenue Twenty  <a href="mailto:rfreed5@gmail.com">rfreed5@gmail.com</a> <a href="mailto:katherinewhaley@yahoo.com">katherinewhaley@yahoo.com</a>                  For Information Contact: Jill Voelker at <a href="mailto:imadogmom@sbcglobal.net">imadogmom@sbcglobal.net</a></p>
<p><b>LUNCH BUNCH</b></p> 	<p><b>Date &amp; Time:</b> June 22<sup>nd</sup> (fourth Tuesday) at 11:30 a.m.  <b>Place:</b> <b>City Hall Restaurant</b>, Art House Complex, 201 Town Center Lane in Keller.                  Loretta and Bev will be out of town and Konnya Bell will be taking reservations. Please contact her at <a href="mailto:konnya@sbcglobal.net">konnya@sbcglobal.net</a>                  If you need a ride, let Konnya know when you make your reservation.</p>
<p><b>Spotlight!</b>                  By: Joyce Frey</p> <p>A Monthly Feature about our many talented, interesting members!</p> <p><b>This Month we Meet:</b>  <b>Collette Park</b></p> 	<p>Collette Park is a dynamic lady – actively involved in whatever organization she participates. Never having reached five feet – she measures an impressive 4 feet, 11 inches and her sparkling eyes reflect a zest for whatever she takes on. Collette grew up the oldest of four children in the small town of Angola, Indiana. She was raised by a beloved stepmother who, interestingly, adopted her when Collette was in her sixties. During her school years Collette was an active thespian –performing in assembly skits and playing many different character parts – one memorable part was as a Fairy dancer. She was a leader in her class of 100 students, serving as President of the school pep club and was a member of the Student Council and Honor Society.</p> <p>While working after graduation Collette met husband Bill, to whom she has been married for 47 years. They moved briefly to Rochester, NY then on to Michigan where they lived for 16 years. Not surprisingly, Collette was “in everything” – opening the first area nursery school, elected PTA President, Cub Scout and Girl Scout leader, Women’s Club President and more. She fondly remembers the August corn roasts on the beach in the rain, the gong show acting, and how her four children were included in everything. They then lived in Ohio for five years where our busy Collette was involved in school and community activities and President of the Greater Toledo New Neighbors. The family next moved to Trophy Club in 1985. Collette recalls the early years of the TCWC and how the closest restaurants were in the HEB area. During that time Collette was president of TCWC. After twelve years another move took them to Michigan again and then back to Trophy Club to retire.</p> <p>Grandmother to seven, Collette is also busy now with TCWC Bridge, her original Bunco group, Tour of Homes silent auction chair, gourmet chairman, progressive dinner and community water aerobics. Collette said her goal now is to be a worker bee – not in charge – but that is not likely for this dynamo lady.</p>
<p><b>Mexican Train</b></p>  <p><b>New Day!</b></p>	<p>Mexican Train will now meet on the 4th Wednesdays of the month from 1 to 4pm at the Trophy Club Country Club. Come join us...we plan on meeting in the summer months. If you don't know how to play this fun addictive game we'll be glad to teach you. It only takes one time playing to learn.                  E-mail Maxine Kamp at <a href="mailto:mkk2745@aol.com">mkk2745@aol.com</a>.</p>
<p><b>MOVIE BUFFS</b>                  For more information contact Bonnie Poe at <a href="mailto:bonnie382538@sbcglobal.net">bonnie382538@sbcglobal.net</a></p>	<p>Movie Buffs meet the second Friday of the month. We choose two movies to view for the following month. You view the movie of your choice (or both of them) and then meet in a different home each month for a lively discussion. Popcorn, Soda and Dessert will be served. The cost is \$1.00 per person. This month, on Friday June 11<sup>th</sup>, we will meet in the home of Joyce and Bill Frey, 214 Durango Drive, at 7:30 P.M. The movies up for discussion are <b>Iron Man 2</b> and <b>Letters to Juliet</b>. Please join us for a fun evening.</p>
<p><b>Discovery Tour</b></p>  <p><b>Chartered bus trip to Canton's First Monday Trade Days Thursday, September 30<sup>th</sup></b></p>	<p>First Monday is a shopper's paradise. You can find antiques, home decor, furniture, clothing, jewelry, and much, much, more. Our bus leaves Trophy Club's Tom Thumb parking lot at 7:30 am sharp and returns by 7:30 pm. Cost is \$30 per person. Your check is your reservation and will not be deposited until we reach 30 people. Please include your email address so that I may notify you via email with any information. There will be plenty of room on the bus to store your purchases as well as your refreshments/snacks for the trip home. The bus currently booked is a smaller bus so 30 people is the maximum. If we can get 40 people, the larger bus will be booked.</p> <p>Your check made payable to TCWC, with "Canton Trip" on the memo line can be mailed or delivered to: Lisa Hennessy at 45 Panorama Circle, TC 76262. Contact Lisa at <a href="mailto:lisahennessy@swbell.net">lisahennessy@swbell.net</a> with questions or for further information.</p>

<p><b>Critical Thinkers</b>  <b>Wed., June 30 @ 7:00 pm</b>  <b>Book Carriage</b>  <b>&amp; Coffee Shop</b>  <b>304 N. Oak St., Roanoke</b></p>	<p><b>Critical Thinkers Book Talk</b>                  Critical Thinkers will meet at the Book Carriage in Roanoke to discuss <u>American Lion: Andrew Jackson in the White House</u> by Jon Meacham. This Pulitzer Prize-winning biography describes the political and personal turmoil that surrounded our seventh president. The author vividly details Jackson's role in preserving the Union and defining the role of the president. According to reviews "<u>American Lion</u> is a spellbinding, brilliant and irresistible journey into the heart of Andrew Jackson and his unforgettable circle of friends and enemies," RSVP by Saturday June 26 to Susan Morong at <a href="mailto:susantm@rocketmail.com">susantm@rocketmail.com</a>.</p>
<p><b>TCWC Bridge Group</b>  <b>Bridge Anyone??</b></p> 	<p>The bridge players are still going strong, winning and losing, but not necessarily in that order! There's a lot of fun mixed with competition for the best scores. They meet each month on the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Friday mornings at 9:00 a.m. at TCCC and stay for lunch. Another group meets on the 1st &amp; 3rd Thursday evenings in players' homes. At this time, the groups are full, but substitutes are always needed. If there are enough players who want to play regularly, a new group can be started. Contact Shirley Forgan at 817-430-8619 or e-mail <a href="mailto:sforgan@sbcglobal.net">sforgan@sbcglobal.net</a> for more information.  <b>Contact Maxine Kamp at <a href="mailto:mkk2745@aol.com">mkk2745@aol.com</a> for beginning or refresher lessons.</b></p>
<p><b>GARDEN CLUB</b>  <b>Wed., June 16<sup>th</sup></b></p>  <p><b>Hosted by</b>  <b>Smokey Duverne, Lora Zuber, and Terri Lane</b></p>	<p>Join us for a late morning stroll in a beautiful, local garden followed with a light lunch. We will be meeting at <b>Tom Thumb at 10:30 am</b> and heading over to the Milner's beautiful residence located on the road behind Mike's Nursery off of 114. This garden is simply "over the top" and a must to see! Their enormous yard is landscaped in a cottage garden style which highlights perennials, annuals, roses, vegetables and shrubs. What they have accomplished in our harsh climate is truly amazing. The Milners enjoy showing off the fruits of their hard work to many organizations in the area and are looking forward to our group's visit. We would like to ask everyone to contribute \$3 to \$5 towards a Flower Ranch gift certificate to give the Milners for their hospitality. . Please send your RSVP's by Monday, June 14<sup>th</sup> to Smokey at <a href="mailto:smokeyduverne@aol.com">smokeyduverne@aol.com</a>.</p>
<p><b>Canasta</b></p> 	<p>We welcome anyone who is interested in playing Canasta. It doesn't matter if you have never played or if it's been many years since you have played. We have 4 great groups and we are most happy to share great fun and a nice social atmosphere. We also welcome the fact you may prefer to be a sub for awhile and then go into a group. Either way, contact Joan Vitale at <a href="mailto:2jiscotties@sbcglobal.net">2jiscotties@sbcglobal.net</a>.</p>
<p><b>Book Marks!</b>  <b>Tuesday, June 29<sup>th</sup> @ 7 pm</b>  <b>Home of : Kathryn Fisher</b>  <b>2023 Navada Way, Justin</b></p>	<p>A series of mystery flowers arrives once a year on the first of November, spanning a period of forty-four years. So the story unfolds in <u>The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo</u>. This book, written as book #1 in the Millennium Trilogy by Stieg Larson is the June choice for the June 29<sup>th</sup> Book Marks meeting. <u>RSVP &amp; get directions</u> from Kathryn at <a href="mailto:txmagnolia@yahoo.com">txmagnolia@yahoo.com</a>.</p>
<p><b>The Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program</b>  <b>wants to give away money... and we want it!!!</b></p> 	<p>Tom Thumb will pay the TCWC 1% of all purchases using a scanned reward card, <b>IF THE CARD IS LINKED TO TCWC AS A CHARITY</b>. You can link up to 3 charities – (each would receive 1% of your total dollars spent) If you are not linked yet or not sure, contact Susan Fregeau at <a href="mailto:snsfregeau@aol.com">snsfregeau@aol.com</a> or stop at the customer service counter and fill out a form. You will need a reward card (new) or your card number, (found on the back of your current card) and <b>our charity # which is 12069</b>. ANYONE who shops at Tom Thumb can link to us so tell your friends and neighbors. It benefits the community and costs you nothing. What could be an easier way to raise money??                  Clip out the card on the left and take it with you to the store as a reminder of TCWC's Good Neighbor Program account number to fill in on your Reward Card application.</p>

**Happy Birthday to our June birthday ladies!!**

Paula Lee	June 2	Susan Edstrom	June 13	Mary Koons	June 24
Amy Nolan	June 3	Dorothy Stewart	June 14	Mary Mavias	June 24
Irma Seal	June 3	Lori Rains	June 16	Sharon Harris	June 28
Liz Maddox	June 7	Peggy Nance	June 18	Iris Pellino	June 29
Carol Cooke	June 13	Christina Pearlman	June 22	Darlene Ward	June 30

**Happy Birthday to our July birthday ladies!!**

Susan Morong	July 4	Sonja Taber	July 8	Teri Nickells	July 16
Cheryl Windland	July 5	Jami Heze	July 11	Shari Bedson	July 17
Sue Eddins	July 6	Carolyn Lane	July 11	Pamela Fenn	July 18
Sue Smythe	July 6	Cynthia Smith	July 11	Lisa Hill	July 18
Karin Martin	July 7	Roseanne Taylor	July 15	Elaine Voigt	July 19
Pam Zeller	July 7	Joyce Frey	July 16	Judy Rutan	July 21
				Anne Shanahan	July 26

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**Mission Statement**

The Trophy Club Women's Club, Inc. is a non-profit organization whose mission is to welcome newcomers to Trophy Club, promote new friendships, foster social contacts and participate in community and charitable activities.

**Looking Ahead...**

June 9th - General Meeting - *Come Fly with Me!* Exciting & creative travel suggestions for the Fall & Holiday Season!  
June 30<sup>th</sup> - Northwest Metroport Chamber of Commerce 2010 "Celebrating Women in Business" event, *Laughter for the Soul.*  
July 4th - TCWC *Root Beer Float Stand* at the Town Celebration  
September 18th - TCWC Social - *Chili Cook-Off Block Party* at The Villas in Hogan's Glen  
September 30th - Canton Discovery Tour

**The Scholarship  
Committee**

is pleased to award the following  
graduating seniors with \$1,000 scholarships:

Miss Jamie Behar	Mr. Travis Blake
Miss Alyssa Edstrom	Mr. Brandon Esianor
Mr. Ethan Goerdel	Mr. Foster Herman
Mr. Stephen Johnson	Miss Alik McCoy
Mr. Matthew Michalak	Miss Lauren Tien
Mr. Quinn Reckmeyer	Miss Laura Vargas

A BIG THANK YOU to committee members Deidra Forgey, Sarah Goodrich, Marion Hawker, Anna Saunders and Deanna Trussell for all your time and effort in reading the applications and determining the recipients of the scholarships.

Thanks to all who participated in the 2009 NEF/TCWC Golf Classic in October 2009, especially Arlene Lewis and her committee of organizers. Through the tournament we raised the needed funds for the scholarship program.

*"Friends are the part of our family we get to choose." - Samuel Johnson*  
*We choose YOU! Come be friends with us. ~ The Rambling Rose - TCWC June, 2010*

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