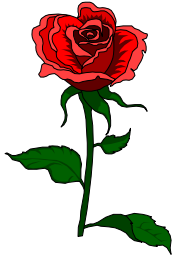


The Rambling Rose

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November 2010



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President's Post

Dianne Rabbe

Guest speaker, Gina Bernasek, took the old saying "shop 'til ya drop" to the next level with her lively and informative "Power Shopping" presentation! Kudos once again to our dynamic trio, *Wanda Baham*, *Konnya Bell* and *Barb Nash*, for the perfect tablescapes to highlight this event!

TCWC will once again be donating **Christmas gifts to Christ's Haven for Children** in Keller. The gifts should be brought unwrapped to our November and December general meetings, or you can deliver to *Theresa Erwin* no later than December 8th. Contact *Theresa Erwin* at tame-do@charter.net if you wish to participate. Or you can take your 'angel' from the tree at the November 10th general meeting and then bring your gifts to the December meeting. We are also making this opportunity available to the Town by placing a Christ's Haven Christmas tree in the lobby of the Town offices. Participants may take their 'angel' from the tree, bring their gifts back to the Town offices and TCWC will deliver all gifts to the Haven. The Town is excited to partner with us in making a difference in the lives of these children.

Our 1st experience as volunteers at the North Texas Food Bank was wonderful! The new "Kids Backpack Program" teamed up six TCWC members with 4 other volunteers, assembling bags of food & drinks to be placed in the children's backpacks on Friday afternoons as a supplement for their meals over the weekend. Our team assembled 693 bags totaling 2,390 pounds, which equals 1,867 meals! Our volunteer hours provide a food credit for the Roanoke Food Pantry. We plan to make our 2nd volunteer trip on Monday, November 1st. If you miss the trip, don't worry. There will be more! We are inspired to beat our "bagging record"!

The 2009 By Laws Review Committee recommended to the Board that we develop a Standing Rules document containing operating practices and guidelines for committee function. Please note our **insert** for the newly adopted Standing Rules. Further development of this document will continue in the months to come.

Thank you for your outpouring of donations to the Food Pantry and SafeHaven! Please feel free to bring your donations to both the November & December general meetings. Lots of wonderful things happening in our Women's Club! I'll be looking for you! ☺






The 2010 Nominating Committee presents the following **2011TCWC slate of officers**:






- President: Dianne Rabbe
- 1st VP of Programs: Kathy Carlton
- 2nd VP of Internal Communications: Carol Jansen
- 3rd VP of Publicity: Joyce Frey
- 4th VP of Membership: Jill Voelker
- Secretary: Kerry Bates
- Treasurer: Edwina Miles
- Parliamentarian: Wanda Brewster

GENERAL MEETING INFORMATION

Christmas Tablescapes by Pottery Barn of Southlake
Trophy Club Country Club - Wednesday, November 10th, 6:30 pm - Dinner \$18

We feel very fortunate to have the Pottery Barn, Southlake Store Manager, Denise Slice and some of her key employees to regale us with new and different "CHRISTMAS TABLESCAPE" ideas for our homes. The Holiday Season is a very special time for everyone and providing a beautiful ambience for family and friends to enjoy is a part of what makes Christmas so special. Even if designing and decorating is not your forte, Denise will have helpful ideas to easily make the Season festive. This will be another good time to invite friends to enjoy this special meeting. Our last two dinners at the Club have been enjoyed by everyone and Chef Mark has promised to keep the enjoyment going for this November meeting. RSVP (or cancel) to Victoria Herman at victoria-herman@sbcglobal.net no later than Monday, November 8th.

<p><u>MEMBERSHIP</u></p> <p>Welcome our New Members!</p>  <p>For Information Contact: Jill Voelker imadogmom@sbcglobal.net</p>	<p>Judy Ehrenberg judy702107@aol.com 2205 Galloway Blvd.</p> <p>Amy Long amandaglong@att.net 2001 Holley Parkway #521 - Roanoke, TX</p> <p>Radhika Vayani radhi_e@yahoo.com 2406 Mona Vale Road</p> <p>Fran Younglas n174k@charter.net 13345 Thornton Drive Westlake, TX</p> <p>Robbie George georgert@att.net 110 Inverness Drive</p> <p>Deandra Pugh deandra@76262.org 2 Chimney Rock Drive</p> <p>Patti Williams planetpatti@mac.com 519 Indian Creek Drive</p> <p>Windi Winstead win.win316@yahoo.com 414 Parkview Drive</p>
<p>TCWC Bridge Group</p> 	<p>Cooler weather, falling leaves... fall is in the air! I miss the smell of burning leaves and roasted marshmallows over an open fire. Oh well, at least we can open all the windows and play some cards with good friends. All five groups composed of intermediate and experienced players meet each month on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Friday mornings at 9:00 and the 1st and 3rd Thursday evenings at 7:00. Substitutes are always needed, and Sunny Patton and Lois Landon would like to start a new group. Contact Shirley Forgan at sforgan@sbcglobal.net for more information.</p>
	<p>Lunch Bunch will be off for November and December Check back here for January details... See you in 2011 !!</p>
<p>Spotlight! By: Joyce Frey</p> <p>A Monthly Feature about our many talented, interesting members!</p> <p>This Month We Meet: Elaine Voigt</p> 	<p>Anyone who knows Elaine Voigt surely feels her warmth and sweet personality at once, despite her story of a very shy childhood. Coming from a richly multi-culture family, Elaine knew both sets of great grand-parents, many non-English speaking. In fact, Italian was so familiar to her that Elaine still recalls reciting the rosary in Italian. Notably, her ancestors were part of the original 300 who were invited to settle Texas, among them, one uncle who died in the siege of the Alamo.</p> <p>Born in Houston but moving often, Elaine graduated from High school in Oklahoma City where she was active with an award winning drama team. An executive secretarial course landed her a job working for an audiologist where she learned to do hearing tests on newborns. A trip to Germany ingrained in her a deep love for German culture and language and in 1977 she enlisted in the Navy where she trained as an air traffic controller. Stationed at NAS Pt. Mugu in California, Elaine met husband Scott when he came to check out the new girl, then known as "Tex". Married in 1979, Elaine transferred to NAS Moffit Field, Mountain View, CA and left the service in 1981 for a move back to Texas. She then pursued and obtained a degree in German with minor in business, which she has utilized when working for the German Store and DiamlerChrysler doing contract audits.</p> <p>Moving to Trophy Club in 1992, Elaine and Scott found the town to be country and peaceful. She joined TCWC in 1992 because of the "lovely people" and she has served on the phone committee, as progressive dinner Chair, club Treasurer, the green book committee and has been active in crafts projects. She is currently active on the Citizens Police Alumni, enjoys frequent trips to Germany and spending time with Scott, a Trophy Club Police officer.</p>
<p>Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program</p>  <p>Don't forget to link our Good Neighbor Number to your Reward Card and help us raise funds the easy way!</p>	<p>The Tom Thumb Good Neighbor Program wants to give away money... and we want it!!!</p> <p>Ladies ~ We are leaving FREE MONEY on the table every single month! Tom Thumb Corporate tells us that only 56 of our members are linked with the Good Neighbor Reward Program. Think about it – you SAVE money using your Reward card and TCWC GETS free money! Tom Thumb will donate 1% of all sales linked to TCWC #12069. You must swipe the actual card or keychain tag card at the time of sale. <u>Just giving them your phone number does not link us</u>. Every penny counts these days! Get your card today! Stop by the Courtesy Booth and ask them to link your card to TCWC #12069! This can be the easiest fundraiser ever, if we all get on board!!!</p>

<p>Critical Thinkers Book Talk</p> 	<p>The Critical Thinkers book group will not meet in the month of November. All TCWC members are cordially invited to join the Critical Thinkers. We read and discuss thought-provoking, relevant and sometimes controversial titles, including both fiction and nonfiction books. Join the fun and keep those brain cells sharp! Contact Susan Morong at susantm@rocketmail.com for more information.</p>
<p>MOVIE BUFFS For more information and to RSVP, contact Bonnie Poe at poe.bonnie@att.net</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. Please join us for a fun filled evening. This month, on Friday, November 12th, we will meet in the home of Wanda and Marx Baham, 301 Hogans Drive at 7:30 pm. The movies up for discussion are Red and Secretariat.</p>
<p>TCWC visits:</p> 	<p>In September, several TCWC ladies visited Rocky Top Therapy Center in Keller. Pat Fleming, Executive Director, and Linda Engle, Director of Volunteer Services, were our lovely hosts. Rocky Top was established in 1990 and is located on a working ranch in Keller. Each week, about 250 patients who are mentally, physically or emotionally challenged benefit from a variety of horseback riding programs offered by the Center. Rocky Top has about 16 full-time and part-time employees and a large number of volunteers. If you are interested in volunteer opportunities, please check out the Rocky Top website at www.rockytoptherapy.org. They are always looking for volunteers and they provide the necessary training. Horse experience is not needed. Please visit our website, www.mycwc.org for photos and more information.</p>
<p>GARDEN CLUB Wed., Nov. 17th @ 7:00 pm</p> 	<p>At the Home of Donna Felton - 506 Glenwick Court Fall Gardening time --- this beautiful weather should make us all want to put on our garden gloves and add fall color to our landscapes. Join us as a Tarrant County Master Gardener tells what we can do to beautify our landscapes this fall, prepare for winter and make sure our plants are more beautiful than ever next spring. Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP by Nov. 14th to Colette Park: coletteandbill@sbcglobal.net, Donna Felton: donna.felton@unt.edu, Sue Hill: sue@megapod.us, or Alice Spellman.</p>
<p>Book Marks! Tuesday, November 16th at 7:00 pm Home of Marci Marshall 124 Summit Cove</p>	<p>From the best selling author of 'Tuesdays With Morrie' comes Mitch Albom's new nonfiction book '<i>Have a Little Faith</i>' the story of a remarkable eight-year journey between two worlds – two men, two faiths, and two communities – that has inspired readers everywhere. Dessert will be served. RSVP to Marci by Sunday, November 14th at mmarshalltx@att.net.</p>
<p>Bunco News</p> 	<p>Ladies, Bunco is an <i>EASY</i> dice game (really just an excuse to socialize with 12 women). Our groups are always in need of more subs, so if you are interested please contact Victoria Herman at victoria-herman@sbcglobal.com. We have 2 daytime groups and 5 evening groups. BUNCO CHAIRS, PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY OPENINGS IN YOUR GROUPS...we have some women REALLY wanting to play every month! Additionally, please make sure your groups have a current sub list to call; we want to make sure everyone is playing BUNCO!!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">BUNCO SCHEDULE</p> <p>Second and Third Monday 9:30 am First, Second and Third Tuesday 7:00 pm First Monday 7:00 pm Third Thursday 7:00 pm</p>
<p><u>Mexican Train</u></p> 	<p>Due to the holidays in November and December we will be meeting the third Wednesday of the month; NOT the fourth Wednesday of the month. So, our meeting dates will be Wednesday, November 17th and Wednesday, December 15th from 1 to 4pm at the Trophy Club Country Club. In January we will go back to the fourth Wednesday of the month. Come be a part of us! You can learn this fun addictive game in one setting. Contact Maxine Kamp at mkk2745@aol.com.</p>

Happy Birthday to our November birthday ladies!!

Janet Lamont	November 2			Lindy Dee	November 19
Terry Stribling	November 2	Jeannette Tiffany	November 8	Juanita Bruce	November 20
Carol Warren	November 4	Linda Conni	November 9	Deborah Blevins	November 26
Roberta Duncan	November 6	Flo Barry	November 11	Mary Roberts	November 27
Carol Jansen	November 7	Nan Cotten	November 18	Ann Duffy	November 28

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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...

November 6th – Annual Progressive Dinner
November 10th – General Meeting 6:30pm – Christmas Tablescape by Pottery Barn
December 5th – Annual Tour of Homes
December 8th – General Meeting **7:00pm** – Holiday dinner with music by Marty Dee and Ornament Exchange

Sunday, Dec. 5, 2010
TCWC
Tour of Homes
A Classical Christmas



It's time to get ready for the holidays! And what better way is there to start the season than our Annual Tour of Homes. We think you'll find "A Classical Christmas" both enjoyable and memorable. From wood carving elves to Christmas villages and beautiful tunes on a grand piano....from Olde World eclectic to designer decorations, each home is truly special. And don't miss the Holiday Celebration at TCCC afterward. We have special surprises planned that will exceed all your expectations. Tickets will be available at the November general meeting, or you may purchase them beginning November 19th at Tom Thumb Customer Service. They're \$15 in advance and \$20 at the door, so buy your tickets early! You will love the beautiful hand crafted angel ornaments made by our own Thimble Chicks and Friends. They too will be available at the November general meeting for \$10. Please stop by our Greeter table and sign up to be a greeter! Husbands are more than welcome to serve with you as a Greeter and/or to accompany you on the pre-tour with your purchased tickets. This tour belongs to all of us, so let's all join in and make it, as my four year old granddaughter would say, the 'bestest' ever! If you have any questions or would like to volunteer, contact Carol Renwick at (carenwick@charter.net) or Deborah Blevins at (deborahb26@yahoo.com)

"Friendship is neither a formality nor a mode; it is, rather, a life." ~ David Grayson
Get a life!! Come join us at TCWC. The Rambling Rose - TCWC November, 2010

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