

# *Santa Fe Woman's Club & Library Association*

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## *LUNCH MEETING*

**Monday, March 20, 2017**

### **Welcome**

Happy Birthday to member, Ruth Thomys

Lunch

### **Business meeting;**

Committee reports

Special committees/events - Trivia  
Smackdown, Bylaws, 125th Club  
Anniversary

## *MENU*

*from Betty Scott*

### **This is Ruth Thomys 96th birthday celebration**

She says, "Bring a friend. Lets have a party."

Colcannon and Corned Beef  
Soda Bread and salad  
Key Lime Pie  
Wine, punch and Appetizers

*There will be vegetarian versions of the meal.*

***Please RSVP by March 16, 2017***

If you will be attending, please RSVP to Sue Horne or Betty Scott. Lunch starts at noon so please arrive by 11:45 A.M.

Ruth Thomys has generously paid for all the food ----- **THANK YOU RUTH!** -----

## *From The Co-Presidents*

*Submitted by Carol Rose*

It was great to meet so many new members at the February meeting. We hope to see you soon, Mon., March 20th for lunch and the business meeting where you can learn so much about our operations and the interesting organization that we are and have been. Planning for the 125th anniversary celebration is underway, and we want you to join us in presenting the past accomplishments of this woman's club and our current activities.

*Thank you for your participation.*

Carol Rose, Co-President  
Cindy Kane, Co-President

## *UPCOMING EVENTS*

**Saturday March 11, 2017 from 8 am to 3 p m.** Santa Fe High School Dance Club's **Rummage Sale and Bake Sale** in the SFWC parking lot. Shoppers are are encouraged to come find some treasures.

The SFWC hosts an annual **Baby Shower on April 17, 2017** to support Santa Fe La Familia Medical Center.

**Trivia Smackdown! April 23, 2017**, Santa Fe Woman's Club Theater. Sponsored by the Woman's Club and the Friends of the Santa Fe Public Library. Trivia Smackdown teams need to register. Forms and information available from the Trivia Smackdown Committee: [trivia@santafelibraryfriends.org](mailto:trivia@santafelibraryfriends.org).

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## *ART AND EVENTS*

*by Evelyn McClure*

ATTENTION club members. Ever wondered about **Girls Inc?** Well, they would like to connect with us! Their mission is to make girls smart, strong and bold. And we have quite a group of girls ourselves. They would like us to participate in an **intergenerational conversation** to be held at the convention center. They feel there is a need for the girls to hear from other generations about how their path as women was shaped. This would also require some preparation. So if you are interested and available **April 6 at 5:30 pm** for a catered kickoff **and May 6** for the event, let Kathi Collins know. 989-5026 or lombardst1@aol.com.

## *SCHOLARSHIP*

A new \$10,000 scholarship endowment has been established at the Santa Fe Community College (SFCC) Foundation. The Foundation invests the endowment fund scholarship money and manages all aspects of awarding the annual scholarship. Our scholarship is called the **"Santa Fe Woman's Club 125<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Scholarship"** and is open to women students who are enrolled at SFCC. The scholarship is paid from earnings with the principal retained in an investment pool with other endowment money. Interested members may increase the endowment by making tax deductible donations to the SFWC treasurer and indicate that it is for the Woman's club scholarship at the SFCC Foundation.

## *LIBRARY NEWS*

*Submitted by Susan Sheldon*

**Tuesday, March 7 at 7 PM** at the Santa Fe Playhouse, 142 E. DeVargas St.

1984: The Talk Show, hosted by author James McGrath Morris.

Free tickets available on line.

**George Orwell's book, 1984, will be the topic of a panel discussion led by historian James McGrath Morris.** Morris' special panelists include: Grant Franks, Tutor, St. John's College; Ray Rivera, Editor, The Santa Fe New Mexican; Robyn Rikoon, Director of the SF Playhouse's upcoming production of 1984; and Vaughn Irving, Artistic Director of the SF Playhouse. This event is co-sponsored by the Friends of the SF Public Library and the Santa Fe Playhouse.

### **Book Sale at the Main Library**

**April 1 & 2.**

Friends and members only from 10-noon on Sat.; open to the public noon to 4 on Sat. and 1-3:30 on Sunday.

Your support speaks volumes!

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### *Upcoming Celebration*

*from Kathie Enz*

This July our Club will be celebrating its 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary. Is **anyone interested in putting together a quilt** with our current members names on it to be hung in the main room of our clubhouse? The names could be either written in ink or embroidered, with the name and original start date for the Club around the ZIA sign for New Mexico. If there is enough interest, we will form a committee to decide on the pattern, colors and size, and begin working. Contact Kathie Enz.

### *Teddy Bear Project*

The annual Teddy Bear Project supports the Solace Treatment Center (formerly the Rape Crisis Center). We are collecting new stuffed animals & writing journals to be given to child abuse victims in Santa Fe. **Donations will be collected March 1-31.** No donations will be accepted after March 31. April is Child Abuse Awareness Month. The stuffed animals will be delivered to the Solace Center in the first week of April. Please, any money donations should go directly to the Solace Center.

You can drop off your stuffed animals or journals at the Women's Club.

Thank you so much for your participation in this worthy project.

### *Help Wanted*

We're looking for a **volunteer to help at the monthly luncheons.** This is a great opportunity to meet members. You would need to arrive about 11:30 am to check in people, take money and hand out name tags. Please contact Mary Clyde if interested.

**SFWC Flea Market Coordinator** – This is our big fund-raiser held in October and really needs two people (at least) to coordinate the event. Please contact Carol or Cindy if you can help.

### *SFWC Member Activities*

**Marie Newsom and Nancy Brace** enjoy singing in a chorus. You are invited to two **free concerts.**

**March 5, 2017, 4 PM** @ Lensic Theater  
Mozart: Mass in C Minor

SF Community Orchestra      Oliver Prezant,  
Director

**March 12, 2017, 4 PM** @ First Presbyterian Church

Choral Masterworks:  
Durufle, Faure, Monteverdi, Finzi  
SF Symphony Chorus      Linda Raney,  
Director

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### *A LOOK BACK IN TIME*

*Submitted by Dolores Whitaker, Historian*

**In October 2003 the Santa Fe Woman's Club and Library Association was named as "A Santa Fe Living Treasure".** The Santa Fe Woman's Club and Library Association was cited as "one of this communities most enduring, most effective, most generous, most visionary, most far-reaching and most significant civic-minded community organizations supporting community needs". The history of the club was reviewed acknowledging all the many community improvements the club had made for Santa Fe.

The Santa Fe Living Treasures is an organization started in 1984. It is a volunteer non-profit 501(c)3 program that honors an individual elder or an occasional organization that serves our community with "kind hearts and good deeds." It was the first organization of its kind established in the United States. The Santa Fe Woman's Club was the first and only non-profit organization to have received this honor in Santa Fe.

This honorary award was presented in our Club House. Several articles published in my review of the history noted that the Santa Fe Woman's Club does its endless good work quietly and modestly behind the scenes. This day it was stated that the club must take a turn in the spotlight for today it is officially declared "A Santa Fe Living Treasure".

At our next meeting look for the framed photo that was taken on this special day along with the Living Treasure medallion and check out the book called Santa Fe Living Treasures.

As we continue to work to support our community let's work together to find new directions that continue the work started by our hardworking spirited women of the past.

### *SFWC Knitting Group*

*Submitted by Kathie Enz*

Our **April luncheon and meeting features a Baby Shower for La Familia Medical Center.** Our Woman's Club contributes handmade clothing articles such as hats, blankets, buntings and beautiful sweaters sets (hats and matching sweaters) for the newborn babies. The "SFWC Knitting Group" meets once a month and most of the work is done at home. In July 2016 a generous donation of \$1000 was given from Roxanna Schapouri's office at Charles Schwab to buy materials. This year, as in years past, 3 or 4 other civic groups who have contributed to this wonderful project are invited and will join us at the April lunch. La Familia delivers over 300 babies a year, and this joint effort is truly needed and appreciated. If you don't knit, please feel free to purchase items for babies and bring them to our March meeting. Cash donations, diapers, yarn and material in good condition is also appreciated. Please give these items to either Kathie Enz or Marie Newsom at the March or April meetings. Items will be displayed at our April meeting. Thanks to those who are currently contributing, and we hope to see more members join us in the future.

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## *SPECIAL INTEREST*

**"Seniors are invited to explore central New Mexico by rail for free this March and April.** Every Wednesday, seniors age 62+ can ride any New Mexico Rail Runner Express train at no cost. This special promotion will give residents and visitors the opportunity to explore locations in Santa Fe and Albuquerque using public transportation."

<http://www.nmrailrunner.com/rio-metro-news/693-seniors-ride-free-this-spring>

## *MEETING SCHEDULE*

*Held on Third Monday of the Month at Noon  
Lunch is \$8.00 per person*

**April 17, 2017 - Baby shower**

**May 15, 2017 - Michael Clark "Container Gardening"**

*No Meetings during the Summer*

**September 18, 2017 - TBD**

**October 16, 2017 - TBD**

**November 20, 2017 - TBD**

## *BOARD MEETING*

**Tuesday, March 7, at 10:00 AM**

Location SFWC

Open to all members

## *BOARD OF DIRECTORS*

*As of November 2016*

Carol Rose, Co-President  
Cindy Kane, Co-President  
Marlys White, Vice President  
Evelyn McClure, Recording Secretary  
Marie Newsom, Corresponding Secretary  
Betty Scott, Treasurer  
Karen Schmidt, Vice Treasurer  
Rose Himrod, Parliamentarian  
Brenda Manning, Rental Coordinator

*Santa Fe Woman's Club Website:*

<http://santafewomansclub.org/>

*Santa Fe Woman's Club Facebook Website:*

<https://www.facebook.com/Santa-Fe-Womans-Club-and-Library-Assn-146133398749400/>

## *SFWC Newsletter Staff*

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## RECIPES

from Betty Scott

Served at the SFWC Luncheon on 2/20/17

### **Territorial Chile Posole Stew**

*By combining the best of green chile stew with the hardness of posole, this stew is the ultimate New Mexico treat. It is my best stew for cold winter nights.*

- 1 1/2 Tbsp. CANOLA OIL
- 3/4 pound PORK or BEEF STEW MEAT, cubed
- SALT and PEPPER to taste
- 1 medium ONION, chopped
- 4 GARLIC CLOVES, minced
- 6 cups rich CHICKEN, BEEF or VEGETABLE STOCK
- 2 cups DRIED POSOLE CORN (see intro on page 49)
- 3/4 cup chopped, roasted and peeled NEW MEXICO GREEN CHILES
- 1 tsp. DRIED OREGANO
- 1/4 cup chopped FRESH CILANTRO LEAVES
- 1 medium POTATO (8 ounces), diced
- 3/4 pound CHORIZO, diced and browned

In a large skillet, heat the oil over medium high heat. Season the meat to taste with salt and pepper. Add the meat to the skillet and fry, tossing, until it is lightly golden brown. Lower the heat to medium and add the onion and garlic. Sauté until the onion is tender, about 5 minutes. Place the skillet mixture into a crock pot and add the rest of the ingredients. Cover, and let it simmer all day (about 8 - 12 hours depending on the heat of your crock pot), until the posole has popped and is tender. During the last few hours you may need to add additional stock or water if your posole is absorbing lots of liquid, making the stew too dry. Salt the stew to taste. Sprinkle with additional cilantro, if desired, and serve.

Yields 6 - 8 servings.

The Vegetarian Recipe changes are: Tofu Chorizo instead of pork or beef  
Vegetable broth only

### **Apple Pie Enchiladas**

- 1 (21 ounce) can apple pie filling
- 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/2 cup white sugar
- 1/2 cup brown sugar

1/2 cup water

1 teaspoon vanilla

6 (8 inch) flour tortillas (Pre Cooked – store bought is great for this, just be sure to buy Flour Tortillas)

Spoon about one heaping 1/4 cup of pie filling slightly off the center of each tortilla, sprinkle evenly with cinnamon (I have my cinnamon in a shaker bottle, so I just sprinkle some on each as I am rolling them) roll up, tucking in edges: and place seam side down in prepared dish.

In a medium saucepan over medium heat, combine butter, white sugar, brown sugar and water. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly; reduce heat and simmer 3 minutes, remove from heat and stir in 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Pour sauce over enchiladas and let stand 45 minutes.

Don't rush the 45 minute resting time for the sauce on the enchiladas before baking, this step helps to magically transform the flour tortillas into a faux pastry dough.

Bake in preheated oven at 350 degrees F for 30 minutes, or until golden  
Enjoy!!

Each sauce recipe is enough for 6 Apple Pie Enchiladas

I usually make a double batch of sauce ..

It's That Good