

**DESTIN WOMAN'S CLUB
NEWSLETTER**
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BOARD MEETING

Date: Wednesday May 2nd, 2012

Time: 9.00 a.m.

Place: Kelly Plantation Owners Club

The meeting will be for both the Executive and Governing Boards .

Next meeting and luncheon is Wednesday May 9th
RUTHERFORDS 465

Social time: 11:00a.m.-11:30a.m.

Program 11:30 a.m. -Noon

Lunch Noon

Business Meeting 12:30 p.m.

Reservations and Menu: [see the last page](#)

.Deadline for reservations is FRIDAY May 4th, by Noon

PROGRAMS....Maggi Grogan

This month's program comes to us courtesy of Dr. David Adams, DWC Gold Sponsor for 2012-2013. Lauren Ericson will demonstrate the newest products, available only through physicians, for fighting and lessening the effects of aging on the skin. The product line "Neocutis" offers an innovative approach to this persistent problem. Also, April Margagliano, Licensed Skin Care Specialist, will discuss the products and services offered by Coastal Skin Surgery and Dermatology. Be sure to make your reservation for this must-see program!

PRESIDENT'S LETTER....Kate Callicotte

Dear Ladies,

As we head into May, Mother Day is upon us and I ask myself where have the past four months gone to? I do hope you all had a very Happy Easter and there were no unscheduled dentist appointments!! Happy Mother's Day to all of you.

SOLARIS: Heavens to Betsy – what a Night we all had. There were 67 guests aboard the Solaris on the 18th April and all eighteen yes (18) Silent Auction items left to a new home – thanks to some great bids. You will now be sorry you weren't with us on the 18th as there was a great selection of items to take home!! Furthermore Dr. Michael Archer's gift certificate and the two signed books by Mike Huckabee got everyone's attention in a Live Auction that produced a bidding war!!

Before I go any further, I have to say a HUGE THANK YOU to Dorothy Robinson and her Committee for working so hard and ensuring that our last Fundraiser for Caring&Sharing of South Walton was a fantastic success. Her Committee members were: Co-Chair: Diane Lauterbach, and working alongside Dorothy and Diane were: Maggi Grogan, Myra Shanklin, Sherry Sheldon, Susan Frishman, Stephanie Roessler and Rhonda Comparin. Rhonda was our official photographer for the evening, so look forward to seeing some great photos of our members aboard the Solaris shortly on our Website. We were blessed with wonderful weather, despite my doubts at 7.00am that morning when the rain fell out of the sky. It is unknown at the moment the exact amount of funds we raised, Myra is still working on those details, but I know that we will all be very proud of the final check we shall present to caring&sharing at our June Lunch. It was unfortunate that Dorothy couldn't be with us aboard the Solaris, however, Diane did a tremendous job in making sure everyone got checked in and grateful thanks go to her for stepping up to the plate in Dorothy's absence. Speaking of our June lunch, not only shall we be presenting a very nice check to caring&sharing of South Walton, we shall also have our Installation of Officers. Our June lunch has, in the past, been poorly attended by you members and I urge and ask each and every one of you to make a note of the date, as if you don't know it already, our lunch meetings are always the 2nd Wednesday of each month, so come, enjoy a great lunch and show your support and appreciation of your Executive Board. Your Executive Board works hard all year long, keeping our finances intact, ensuring our Northwest Florida State College Endowment Fund is being used to our satisfaction, reviewing our Club By-Laws and all in all they keep this great Club moving along. So please make an extra effort this year to come to our June lunch and show your Executive Board that you appreciate the work and time they put into our Club to keep it moving along the way you and the Board thinks it should be going.

Anyone who has worked on either our Governing Board or Executive Board knows it takes dedication and love for the Destin Woman's Club to keep everything running smoothly. The work and devotion dedicated by the above two Boards is what keeps you members committed to this Club.

PRESIDENT'S LETTER....Kate Callicotte

I would like to thank Frost Jones for donating several household items to the Club and they were picked up by Mabel Prescott and Beth Ann Cox, Family Fund Chairs and were distributed to families in dire need of these items last week. Please remember, your trash could be someone's treasure – if you have any household items that you could donate, please do not hesitate to contact Mabel or Beth Ann.

Our May meeting will be held at Rutherford's and Dr. Adams office, Coastal Skin Surgery and Dermatology, will be presenting a program, so please mark your calendar for this lunch. Again, many thanks to Kim Ederer and her Committee for reserving Rutherford's for our use and Maggi Grogan for securing a speaker from Dr. Adams Office – we all know how important proper protection from the sun is and I am sure we shall be further enlightened by this program.

As I close I would just like you all to take a moment and keep in your prayers Lin Bryant's husband who is undergoing treatment for leukaemia, Cindy Posey who will shortly begin her radiation therapy and Lou and Helen McMillan as they face problematic health issues with Lou. Please remember, if you hear of one of our members being "under the weather" please make Julie Boykin aware of that person – she's our Friend to Friend Chair.

Many thanks and love,
Kate

FAMILY FUND....Mabel Prescott and Beth Ann Cox

The DWC family fund continues to take applications for aid to needy families in the Destin area. If you know of someone who can use our help, please contact Beth Ann Cox or Mabel Prescott. thank you!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY WISHES TO:

Lynn Lake	May 1
Joanne Repyak	May 6
Palma Cooper	May 16
Lore McDonald	May 20

**MEMBERSHIP....Denise Dobelek**

The April Updates for our membership book will be on the website shortly. We had one new member in April, her name is Renne Coppi. Please welcome her. Membership dues are \$50.00 and are now due. PLease make your check payable to the Destin Woman Club and give either to myself or our Treasurer Myra Shanklin.



RECORDING SECRETARY....Sherry Sheldon

Destin Woman's Club General Meeting - April 11, 2012 Louis Louis Restaurant

President Kate Callicotte welcomed everyone at 11:30am. We had 34 members present. Cindy Posey gave the Invocation. Her message was "How to Stay Happy".

Programs – Maggi Grogan

Kate introduced representatives from three charities to be voted on by members: Children's Volunteer Health Network, Sacred Heart Hospital of the Emerald Coast and Shelter House, Inc. Each of these organizations helps our community in different ways. It was humbling to learn how great these needs have become and how individuals and businesses are reaching out to so many. Member's voted by individual ballot for one of these charities to be our chosen charity for a two-year period (2012-2014).

OLD BUSINESS

Minutes of the 14th March Meeting – Sherry Sheldon

Can be found in the March newsletter

Treasurer's Report – Myra Shanklin

A copy of the Balance Sheet as of April 1, 2012 can be found on each of the tables.

Correspondence – Cindy Posey

Destin Magazine; Distinguished Young Women of Okaloosa County-letter from Cindy Lowry; and a 'Thank You' note from owner Kim Dettle of Today's Boutique.

Membership/New Members/Guests – Denise Dobelek

Denise introduced the following guests:

Nancy Gross guest of member Kim Ederer

Renee Coffee guest of member Patti Burcham

Norma Calhoun guest of member Linda Kedy

Denise announced membership dues for DWC's 2012/2013 fiscal year (July 1-June 30) are due and payable by June 30, 2012. Members who join this month, April, will be paid through June 30th of next year. Annual dues are \$50.00. New members joining today were asked to stay to have their picture taken for the Membership Directory. Members can choose to email their digital picture to Denise or current Membership Chairman in order to update their current picture in the Membership Directory and were encouraged to do so before September.

Friend to Friend – Julia Boykin

Sandra Williams was sent flowers due to her scheduled knee surgery; Helen McMillan's husband suffered from a fall; Dorothy Robinson's husband is recovering from a lingering chest cold.

Birthday Girls – Maggi Grogan

Parsons, Jean Fowler; Julia Boykin; Patti Burcham; Donna Clark; Georgeia Pappas-Johnson; Cathy Holland; Dina Moriarty.

Pat

New Business

Solaris Cruise Fundraiser – 18th April 2012 - Dorothy Robinson

Dorothy was not present for the luncheon and Kate Callicotte announced on her behalf that we have met our minimum goal of 70 tickets and currently have 80 paid tickets. Diane Lauterbach told our members that Silent Auction items are due today. Maggi Grogan needs descriptions of items for the silent auction table display cards. Kate Callicotte said this our last chance with this fundraiser to help our chosen charity Caring & Sharing of South Walton. We profit only \$15 per ticket on a \$75 ticket.

Betsy Stout-Jones said she was making baskets with items donated from businesses for the silent auction. So far she has a basket for members Georgia Pappas-Johnson's crochet and jewelry home business and Gaby Voiculescu, owner of Spa 98 Salon.

Monthly Meeting Attendance - Kate Callicotte

Kate noted the low attendance at today's meeting. There is a lot of planning and organization done by each of our committee chairs to make each luncheon informative, interesting and entertaining. We need to get more prospective members, current members and their guests attending. It is important that we have members showing their support for the coming year by attending our installation of officers in June. Even though our last meeting of the year is June, our Executive Board meets during the summer to organize the new year.

Nominating Committee - Sherry Sheldon/ Maggi Grogan/Peggy Herbig

Sherry Sheldon placed on each table an organizational chart for members to review. It was color coded: red = Open positions; Black = 2011/2012 current Officer/Chairs; Green = Nominee (a (2) indicating their second term); Blue = X to highlight open positions to be filled. Several members came forward to fill positions.

Nominating Committee - Sherry Sheldon/Maggi Grogan/ Peggy Herbig

In absence of Peggy Herbig, Kate Callicotte presented the slate of officers to the members. Myra Shanklin, President; Maggi Grogan, Vice President; Denise Hatcher, Treasurer; Sherry Sheldon, Recording Secretary; Julia Boykin, Corresponding Secretary; Ways and Means, open.

Other Business

Cindy Posey thanked Kate Callicotte for being our President for the past two years. Kate has supported our club and its members even through she has had many difficulties of her own to manage. Her accomplishments and devotion to our club are an inspiration that we can all make a difference in our community.

Beth Ann Cox asked that we keep Lynn and David Bryant in our prayers.

Door Prizes – Betsy Stout-Jones

Patti Burcham - Spa 98 Salon

Guest - Linda Kedy's motivational book

Mable Prescott - Linda Kedy's motivational book

Cindy Posey - Betsy Stout-Jones - Avon representative

Joy Segno - Betsy Stout-Jones - Avon representative

Respectfully submitted:
Sherry Sheldon

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Homemade Quiche with Applewood smoked bacon with green onions and cheddar served with mixed green salad.

Grilled flank Steak w/ Portobello mushroom sauce, brie mashed potatoes and medley of fresh vegetables.

Vegetarian: Spinach Fettucine with mushrooms, artichoke hearts, roasted red bell peppers and sun-dried tomato sauce.

Dessert:

Rolls, Butter, Ice Tea and Water
Warm apple pie with cinnamon sauce

Your contact for making RESERVATIONS FOR DWC LUNCHEONS is Louisa Matthews— Your reservation must be in by NOON Friday, May 4th, 2012

Please remember to mail your check for \$20 payable to DWC Send to: Louisa Matthews, 1405 Winged Foot Drive, Niceville, FL 32578.

Email: dwcreservations@gmail.com

Telephone # 850-398-4485

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RESERVATION GUIDELINES: [Please try to pay before the meeting] When paying, please make your payment for one month at a time.

Reservations are required and must be made no later than the FRIDAY [by noon] preceding the Wednesday meeting.

Mail your check as soon as you make your reservation.

Please note: If you cannot make the luncheon and do not cancel your reservation in time you will be charged for your lunch.