



YORBA LINDA LIGHTS

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE YORBA LINDA WOMAN'S CLUB



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DATES TO REMEMBER

- 9/8 – Board Meeting/Clubroom 7 p.m.
- 9/15 – General Meeting/Yorba Room 6 p.m.
- 9/19 – Newsletter Articles Due for October



REMINDERS

- 9/1 – Sew Kind/Clubroom 1 p.m.
- 9/6 – Book Club/Clubroom 9 a.m.
- 9/7 – Lunch: Mimosas Kitchen 11:30 a.m.
- 9/13 – Bunco/Clubroom 7 p.m.
- 9/22 – Dinner: Evan's Smokehouse BBQ 6 p.m.



BIRTHDAYS

- 9/1 – Lynne Yauger
- 9/3 – Tara Campbell
- 9/6 – Joyce Hackman
- 9/10 – Margaret Donovan
- 9/11 – Amy Rosas
- 9/17 – Loui Cronholm, Sue Garvey, Dinah O'Brien
- 9/19 – Jane Spence
- 9/27 – Dana Collins
- 9/30 – Tonya Lindersmith



A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
INTERNATIONAL & CALIFORNIA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

*Yorba Linda's
Mayor*



MAYOR CARLOS RODRIGUEZ

RECOGNITION OF YLWC

Mayor Carlos Rodriguez and the City Council of Yorba Linda recognized the Yorba Linda Woman’s Club at the August 2nd City Council meeting. This recognition was for our 2022 Academic and Art Scholarship Awards. We had a good turnout of 18 ladies from the Club all wearing purple. Thanks to all our members who worked at both of our Craft Fairs to make this possible.

Kindly,

Dottie Jensen

1st VP {Dean}



A letter from the President

THINK POSITIVE, BE POSITIVE

Volunteers are seldom paid; not because they are worthless, but because they are PRICELESS!

We were honored at the August 2nd Yorba Linda Council Meeting for our Scholarship Program. Mayor Carlos Rodriguez presented us with a declaration that we will proudly display in the clubroom.

The Orange District held its Annual Summer Conference in August. Many of our members attended and gained a lot of knowledge, new experiences, and tips.

A big thank you to our 2nd VPs/Membership for a fun and different summer event. The Bingo and Board theme was a hit!

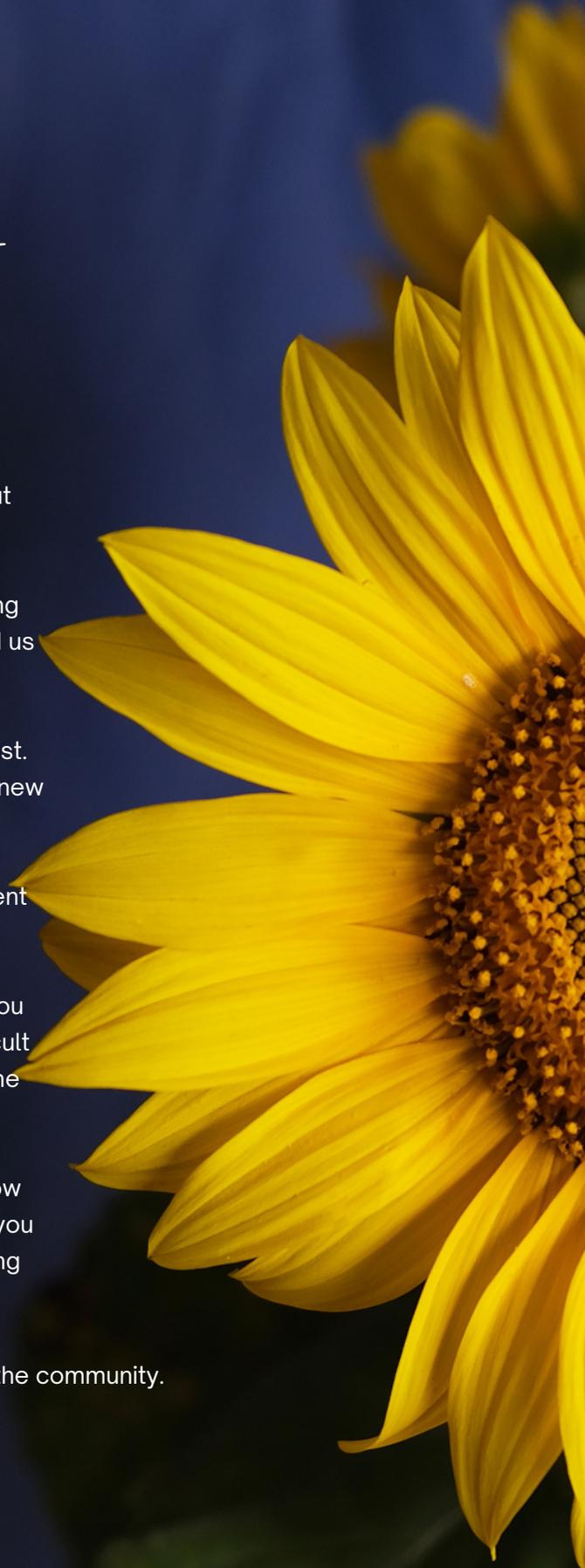
Summer is about over and it's time to start thinking about how you can be involved in our club. There are so many options, it's difficult to list them all! Here are a few. Want to know more about how the club is run? Join the Bylaws Committee. Wish you could help worthwhile non-profit organizations? Join the Philanthropy Committee. How can we make the community more aware of how we can be of service? Be a part of the Publicity Committee. Do you love to see the happy and excited faces of the students receiving scholarships? Help at the Craft Fairs.

Your participation, support, and effort have a positive effect on the community. Keep it going!!



Kaycee Stack

President



A message from



DOTTIE JENSEN

1st VP (Dean)

WELCOME BACK TO THE YLWC

I am very excited to begin the 2022-23 club year as your Dean of Programs and Projects. I am planning many new events and projects. I hope you will all join in and help our club have a productive, fun year of volunteering.

At each General Meeting, I am trying something new to promote program and project volunteerism among our club members. Each month, I will designate three tables as K.I.S.S. (Keep It Short & Savvy) tables, which will be hosted by individual Project Chairmen. The Chairmen will discuss the importance of their projects and let members know how they can help. **For September, Table #1 will have Jackie McPheeters discussing the Navajo Children's Holiday Gifts Project. Table #2 will have Carrie Buck discussing HIS-OC, and Table #3 will have Ann Test discussing Working Wardrobes/VetNet.** Sessions will begin at 6:30 p.m. and each session will last seven minutes. After seven minutes, I will blow a whistle and everyone will change tables. We will stop in time to get refreshments and use the restroom. As seating is limited to 24, I encourage you to come early and get a seat at your favorite table.

Our September General Meeting Program will spotlight SmileMakers. Louise Hernandez, Chairman of Health and Wellness, will present Jamie Cansler to talk about the Council on Aging and how our club members can help with Holiday Gifts for seniors in Assisted Living. We hope this will be a New Member Project, offering them an opportunity to work together as a team to distribute and collect the gift requests/angels, and deliver them to the Council on Aging. We will work with Jamie to determine a date for club members to wrap the gifts. (In past years, our ladies have really enjoyed doing this.) Then, of course, we will go to lunch. Please help us promote this wonderful project.

Our October General Meeting Program will spotlight Wreaths Across America. Sue Garvey, Chairman of Civic Engagement & Outreach, will present Jim Tucker to discuss the project, the date of National Wreaths Across America Day, and how we can participate.

Our November General Meeting Program will spotlight Veterans. Project Chairman, Ann Test, Chairman, will present a special speaker from Working Wardrobes/VetNet to explain their program and needs.

With gratitude,

Dottie Jensen

1st VP {Dean}

A message from



NIKKI WARE + NICOLE LEYVA

2nd VP Membership Co-Chairmen

JOIN THE YLWC

Joining the Yorba Linda Woman’s Club means something different to all of us. For me, it was a way to continue my philanthropic works with a great group of like-minded ladies, and Nicole was excited to experience the comradery of women in her community. Whatever reason you have for joining the YLWC, we are glad you are here!

We loved getting a chance to get together this summer with our first “Boards and Bingo” event. Club members had a great time playing Bingo, winning prizes, and enjoying everyone’s creativity with their *Boards*, from a sushi board, burger board, pizza board, popcorn board and even an ice cream board. Thanks to all who joined in!

A few things to remember:

YLWC Dues:

- New member \$75
- Renewing Member \$50
- Contributing Member \$75 (No hostess duties)
- Supporting Member \$110 (Yearly donation in lieu of active participation)

Nicole and I look forward to seeing everyone at the September General Meeting.

Nikki Ware & Nicole Leyva

2nd VP Membership Co-Chairmen



*A message
from*



CAROLINE WAHLSTROM

3rd VP - Ways and Means

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

Dear YLWC members,

2022 Fall Craft Fair dates: November 5th and 6th.

The planning of our Fall Craft Fair is well underway. Vendors have been invited to sign up for the fair and, at this time, we have a vendor assigned to every booth location within the Community Center. We are so pleased with the response and are excited for a very successful Fall Craft Fair.

I would like to take a moment and thank the members who have been hard at work throughout the summer with the planning of the fair.

- **Robin Solomon** – help with the vendors and answering numerous emails
- **Carrie Knipfer** – for being our MailChimp guru
- **Janece Herrington and Lorrie Fennell** – for stepping up and being willing to fulfill the duties of Kitchen Chairs
- **Cindy De Mint** – planning and organizing of donations for the opportunity baskets

Members: We will be looking for you to sign up for a shift during the craft fair weekend. Make sure to stop by the sign-up table at the general meeting and let us know what would work for you.

If you have any questions or suggestions regarding the fair, do not hesitate to email.

Caroline Wahlstrom

3rd VP - Ways and Means

FALL CRAFT FAIR

FREE ADMISSION + PARKING

November 5th : November 6th
9 a.m. - 4 p.m. : 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

YORBA LINDA COMMUNITY CENTER

4501 Casa Loma Ave.
Yorba Linda, CA 92886



A special request



CINDY DE MINT

Opportunity Baskets Chairman

OPPORTUNITY BASKETS

The Fall Craft Fair will be here before we know it! The **Opportunity Baskets** Committee is busy working on collecting items for the Baskets. Our attendees will have the opportunity to purchase tickets to win our Infamous Baskets. This is a portion of the Craft Fair that attendees love to visit and see what Gorgeous Baskets we have created.

Do you have a favorite restaurant, spa, department store, fast food, or sporting event, etc. that you frequent? Telling a perspective donor about the YLWC and educating them about what we do for Community, will make them feel honored to donate to support our philanthropic endeavors. Gift cards and tickets to events are very popular! When requesting a donation, we have a donation request letter and tax receipt form that you can give to businesses. In the past, our members are very generous with donations. E-mail Cindy De Mint for a copy of letter/receipt.

Be Creative! Think Fun! Pick a theme and create your own basket to donate! Come together with other members and have fun building a basket. Please let the committee know what theme you will be creating.

We are looking forward to seeing what creative ideas and items our members contribute for the Baskets. You can bring items to the next general meeting on September 15, 2022; or call Cindy De Mint for pick up. Please do not wrap your donated items. The committee do will do the wrapping and decorating of the Baskets.

See you at our Craft Fair!

Cindy De Mint

Opportunity Baskets Chairman



A message from



DEBBI PURPURA

Director of Finance

FINANCIAL UPDATE

Welcome back everyone! I'm looking forward to my new role as Director of Finance. As of July 31st, we have \$35,149.30 in the bank with more to come from the vendors signing up for the Fall Craft Fair. The previous financial team has filed all their necessary reports for the June 2021 to May 2022 club year, including our Charitable Trust Renewal. Over the summer, I have submitted our Quarterly Sales Tax, requested our 2022-23 Raffle Permit, and filed our non-profit raffle report for last year. We will present a complete financial report at our General Meeting on September 15th.

Kindly,

Debbi Purpura

Director of Finance

SEW KIND AND THREADS OF LOVE

Now that the Summer break is over for this year, the sewing groups are ready to get going on all their projects again.

We invite all members to visit our workshops and see if they would enjoy participating. Our projects are easy and everyone is needed. If you think, "Oh, I don't sew, that doesn't matter," there are ways that you can help with our projects; it might be cutting our items, stuffing doll heads, stuffing Trauma bears, making items for preemie babies, sorting fabrics or sewing, or even crocheting. If you don't have the time to stay at our workshops, you can take items home to work on and bring the item(s) back the next month.

Please note the Threads of Love Workshops will begin meeting in October.

Sew Kind Workshop
September 1 | 1 p.m.
Clubroom

Aileen Baker & Andrea Hagen
Sew Kind Co-Chairmen

Threads of Love Workshop
October 13 | 1 p.m.
Clubroom

Jackie McPheeters
Threads of Love Chairman



A message from



TERRY KUESTER

Amenities Chairman

AMENITIES

Friends, welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful summer; it was a little warm and a little bit humid!

Your face is familiar, but we need a little help with your name! **Remember to grab your Membership name badge, along with your Federation pin, as you head out the door to come to the meeting.**

When you check-in at the Amenities table before the meeting – and you’re wearing your pin – be sure to get a ticket for the Pin Prize Raffle at the end of the evening. Who doesn’t love a winning ticket?

Lead Hostess: Denise Mitchell

Hostesses: Susie Autry, Jennie Frank, Jan Lavison, Sandy McPherson, Lynne Yauger

Thank you,

Terry Kuester

Amenities Chairman

Don't miss out...

Hi everybody!!! If you are a new member or among our many dedicated club members, you won't want to miss our first Socialite Lunch.

PLEASE NOTE: This Socialite Lunch is a week before the General Meeting on Thursday, September 15.

You are invited to sign up now for lunch or dinner or both, of course.

Looking forward to seeing you!

RSVP: Billie Cerovac



Socialite

Join us for Lunch
September 7 | 11:30 a.m.

Mimosas Kitchen
8150 E. Santa Ana
Canyon Road
Anaheim

Join us for Dinner
September 22 | 6 p.m.

**Evan's Smokehouse
BBQ**
4859 Main Street
Yorba Linda

Guest Speaker



JAMIE CANSLER

Director of Development &
Community Outreach

SMILEMAKERS

Jamie Cansler, Director of Development & Community Outreach for Council on Aging-Southern California, will be the Spotlight Project Speaker at our General Meeting on Thursday, September 15th.

SmileMakers mobilizes community support to provide holiday gifts to older and disabled adults in skilled-nursing and residential care facilities. Angel Gift Tags, which include specific gift requests from isolated older adults, will be passed out to any member who wishes to purchase the item listed. Cost of gifts will not exceed \$25.00. The gifts will be returned to the Council on Aging for distribution to these adults. Beginning after Thanksgiving through December 9th, we will be invited to the Council on Aging giftwrapping location to help wrap around 6,000 gifts. A sign-up sheet will circulate for those interested in participating.

We look forward to helping Jamie with this special project.

Louise Hernandez

Health & Wellness Chairman

SmileMakers Station

Connecting Hearts & Hands



A message from



NANCY CAPEL

Tara's Chance Project Chair
Tara's Chance Board Treasurer

CALLING ALL MEMBERS...

TARA'S CHANCE is having our big GALA event on
October 1, 2022, 5:00 pm
(Coyotes Hills Ranch)
219 E. Claire Ave.
Fullerton, CA 92835

This is our major fundraiser for the year, so show up with your cowboy dress on and see the kids ride...this is a moving experience that you will never forget!! Great meal, lots of fun. Live and online auctions.

Dinner/Drink Tickets - \$75

VIP Tickets \$150

Go to TARASCHANCE.GIVESMART.COM to purchase tickets (and for more info) or call me for more info.

Tara's Chance is dedicated to promoting the physical, cognitive and social well-being of those with special needs through equine-assisted activities and therapies.

Thank you,

Nancy Capel

Tara's Chance Project Chair and Tara's Chance Board Treasurer



*A special
thank you from*



ANNA NICKL

Giving Children Hope
Co-Chairmen



KATIE HRANUELLI

Giving Children Hope
Co-Chairmen

GIVING CHILDREN HOPE

A heartfelt thank you to all who volunteered their time and donated cereal/snacks for Giving Children Hope (GCH) over the last year. Our YLWC Team spent a sunny morning in July helping out with the "We've Got Your Back" Friday Food Distribution. We assisted with packing food items and loading groceries into the caravan of cars driving through the GCH facility. There were smiling faces all around and GCH was able to provide a week's worth of groceries to over 200 families. The Club dropped off the latest donations of 33 boxes of cereal and 3 large boxes of snack items. As we move into Fall, there will be a number of opportunities to join in with hands-on volunteering. The next volunteering for the Friday Food Distribution has a tentative date of September 23rd from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. The dates are pending for Food Sorting and Food Packing for a weekly distribution of backpacks, with 2 hours of volunteering Tuesday mornings and Thursday afternoons. Please feel free to reach out to Anna Nickl or Katie Hranuelli if you're interested in helping out. Thank you!

Anna Nickl & Katie Hranuelli

Giving Children Hope Chairmen



A message from



ANN WALKER

BACA Project Chairman

BIKER'S AGAINST CHILD ABUSE

I'm in continuous need of standard size teddy bears (approximately 12" to 18" tall) that a child could take to bed, as well as carry into a courtroom, and any size denim jackets or vests (not decorative, please) to fit male or female children ages 5 to 18 years old. Keep in mind that some teens may require larger sizes.

Bears will cost approximately \$3 to \$6 each; jackets and/or vests \$4 to \$10 each. Please check with local thrift stores for these items. Savers offers a 30% Senior Citizen Discount on Tuesdays, which is a considerable savings! I think other thrift stores offer similar discounts. In addition, please check your closets and storage areas for bears and/or jackets you may already have at home. Ask your neighbors and friends, too! I will be glad to schedule a time with you to pick them up. If you prefer, you may make a donation, by check, to Biker's Against Child Abuse, Int., which I will be happy to pass along to their organization.

For more information about this worthy organization go to: bacaworld.org.

Thank you for your generosity,

Ann Walker

BACA Project Chairman



A message from



CARRIE BUCK

HIS-OC Project Chairman

HomeShare OC

[Watch this short video about HomeShare OC](#)



YOU CAN HELP HOMESHARE OC

Did you know that 1 in 5 community college students in California are sleeping in their cars or on friends' couches because they can't find affordable housing? Students at colleges and universities throughout Orange County are experiencing the same pressures of staying in school while also working full-time, in order to afford rent. As a result, some students drop out or take longer to complete their degree and end up spending more on college than they would have if they completed their degree on time.

Founded in 2020, by Homeless Intervention Services of Orange County (HIS-OC), HomeShare OC is an innovative program that matches homeowners who have a spare room in their home with college students who need a safe and affordable place to live.

How It Works - Homeowners and students receive the full support from HIS-OC and an assigned case manager throughout the entire process. The homeowners and students are matched based on interests and then get to know each other before agreeing to become housemates for the semester. It is only a one semester commitment, about 4-5 months, with the option to continue if both wish to. The homeowner receives up to \$500 per month in rent. The student provides five hours of household assistance per week. Assistance can include a helping hand around the house with things like cooking, cleaning, grocery shopping and gardening. Help with technology and staying connected are also popular benefits of home sharing with a young adult.

Three Ways You Can Help - HomeShare OC is in desperate need to find homeowners to host a local college student. We currently have 14 students on our waiting list, and our list of students is growing as we enter the Fall semester. **1) HomeShare Host:** Please contact Stephanie Palmer, HomeShare OC Program Manager at 714-993-5774. **2) Sponsor:** Contact us for information about our Sponsor a Student program. **3) Champion:** Help us get the word out about this innovative, new program! We can come out and give a presentation.

Join me for a speedy Q&A at 6:30 p.m. (Table #2), at the upcoming General Meeting.

Carrie Buck

HIS-OC Project Chairman

A request from



DINAH O'BRIEN

Domestic Violence Awareness
and Prevention Chairman



SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED

I am collecting backpacks with school supplies for survivors of domestic violence and sex trafficking. This is a huge step for these survivors and they need lots of loving care, and knowing that we do care for them is extraordinarily meaningful and helpful to them. Anyone who wants to contribute a backpack is encouraged to do so, as there are quite a few survivors who will be needing them.

Sales are going on now at Target, Staples, etc., so it is a good time to make a purchase and I will get them delivered. Please contact me and I will arrange for a pick up.

More Information on human trafficking can be found at [Orange County Human Trafficking Task Force](#).

Typical supplies for a backpack are:

Adults

- Backpack
- Pens
- Pencils
- Pencil Sharpeners
- Erasers
- Pencil Box
- Whiteout
- Highlighters
- Notebooks
- Sticky Notes
- Paper Clips
- Index Cards
- Hole Punch
- Dividers

Kids

- Backpack
- Notebooks
- Pencils
- Scissors
- Glue Sticks
- White Glue
- Colored Markers
- Paper
- Ruler
- Highlighters
- Binders

Thank you,

Dinah O'Brien

Domestic Violence Awareness and Prevention Chairman

Greetings from



SUE GARVEY

Civic Engagement &
Outreach (CEO) Chairman

CIVIC ENRICHMENT & OUTREACH

Fall will be falling and YLWC will be rising! Welcome to the 2022-2023 year of fun, friendship and philanthropy. We continue to foster so many worthwhile programs. Here are a few for your contemplation in the upcoming year:

Working Wardrobes – we will highlight this program, led by Ann Test, at our September meeting. Our focus will be on Men’s Wardrobe items for those veterans returning to the civilian labor force. Ann will share all of the details with us at our first meeting of the new year.

Wreaths Across America – we continue our “boots on the ground” efforts to remember those veterans who served us so well during their lifetimes. Jim Turner, local director, will be speaking to us at the October meeting in anticipation of donations and wreath laying in November and December.

11th MEU – we continue to provide much needed support and morale for those Marines serving in the 11th MEU. Donna Watkins will continue to update us with the ongoing needs for these Marines and their families, including donations and participation in the holiday parties we have planned.

Navajo Children’s Holiday Gifts – Jackie McPheeters will provide the details regarding the when, where and what is needed to provide these beautiful children with a memorable holiday this year.

I will also be asking for your extra, spare change for donation to the Orange District project – collecting money for Habitat for Humanity. The goal this year is to provide enough money to purchase an appliance for the new homes built.

I am looking forward to a wonderful year ahead for all of us.

See you on the 15th,

Sue Garvey

Civic Engagement & Outreach (CEO) Chairman

A message from

ANN TEST

Teacher Grants Chairman

CALLING ALL YLWC MEMBERS

There's a new project in town!

Many of you know the work being accomplished in Orange County by 'Working Wardrobes' and our group will be specifically focusing on one aspect of their work – that of VetNet – which attends to the needs of veteran men and women, and their families – as well as transitioning service members. Using peer navigation, VetNet provides job training, career readiness, job placement, professional wardrobe, and housing and behavioral health referrals. We will be involved with this project through donations of business attire for men and women, volunteer opportunities, and possible attendance at their fundraising events.

To that end, I will be hosting a Table Talk at our September 15th General Meeting to share more information about the important work of VetNet. November will be declared a month of focus on Veterans and we're planning on a guest speaker from VetNet to share additional information with us. **In both September and November, we will be hosting a clothing drive of business attire for men and women. You will bring your clean items to the meetings on hangers, consisting of suits, dresses, dress shirts and blouses, pant suits, sport coats, slacks and more.**

Additionally, they have their annual fundraising Gala, Growing Through the Decades, scheduled for Saturday, September 24th at the Bowers Museum from 5:30-10:00. We've been invited to assist with the planning and volunteering – with the planning meeting tentatively scheduled for Thursday, September 1st from approximately 1:30-3:30 at the Career Success Center on McFadden in Santa Ana. We could carpool from the YLCC. **We've also been invited to purchase a table and attend the Gala – helping in one more way to support their work! Any takers?**

I look forward to chairing this committee – and do need to have others interested in this project to join me!

Ann Test

Teacher Grants Chairman



A message from



CINDY DE MINT

Brothers On a Quest
Chairman



WALK N' ROLL TO CURE ATAXIA

I am excited to announce that the 13th Annual Ataxia Walk N' Roll will be held in-person this year, in Yorba Linda, at the East Lake Clubhouse Parking lot on Saturday, September 17th! Please join us!

The Walk N' Roll to Cure Ataxia campaign is the National Ataxia Foundation's (NAF) largest grassroots fundraising event. Walk N' Roll began in 2007. It is held in cities across the United States. Thousands of families, friends, co-workers, neighbors, and communities come together each year to support NAF's mission to accelerate the development of treatments and improve the lives of people living with Ataxia. Walk N' Roll events nationwide have raised more than \$3,000,000, thanks to the tireless commitment from walkers, rollers, runners, volunteers, donors, and sponsors.

Brothers On a Quest is a new club project and we will have a booth at this event. We will have a DJ, opportunity drawing for participants, local vendors showing their products/services, children's activities including rock painting, live characters, games, and a chance to unite with others affected by Ataxia. All proceeds benefit the NAF.

Please come out and support the OC Walk N' Roll for Ataxia to raise awareness and raise money for a treatment and a cure! For more information or to volunteer, contact Cindy De Mint at cindyocataxia@gmail.com.

Cindy De Mint

Brothers On a Quest Chairman



Please scan QR code to register!

8 a.m. | Check in and Pancake Breakfast

9 a.m. | 1 mile Walk N' Roll starts

**East Lake Village Community Association
(Club House Parking Lot)**

5325 Village Center Drive
Yorba Linda, CA

A message from

**MARCIA WILLETT +
CATHY AIKEN**

Environment Co-Chairmen

STATE LAW SB1383

Starting July 1st, the City of Yorba Linda teamed up with Republic Services to launch the new State Law SB1383. This new law requires households and businesses to separate organic waste from regular trash. SB1383 is part of a larger plan to reduce emissions in hopes of creating less air pollution. California expects there to be a 75% reduction of emissions by 2025. Additionally, this collected organic waste will be turned in to a nutrient-rich fertilizer.

What is organic waste? It is food waste as well as food-soiled paper bags, coffee filters, and teabags.

What does this mean for you? You are now expected to throw all organic waste in the BROWN bin. Preferably on collection day, organic waste should be placed on top of the lawn waste in the brown bin. If recycling waste has been combined with organic waste in the same bin, it is considered “contamination.” A slip will be placed on your cart as a reminder to place your organic waste in the brown bin. If further contamination occurs, SB1383 has the power to assess fees.

Some helpful tips from Republic Services are:

- Put food waste in a sealable kitchen pail (a two-gallon, lidded pail can be purchased from Republic Services (800-700-8610), or paper bags.
- NO plastic bags, cups, plates, or utensils, EVEN if they are labeled compostable or biodegradable, are acceptable. They go in your recycle bin.
- Rinse your pail as needed, use a paper bag to line it, or keep the pail in your refrigerator or freezer until trash pickup day.
- NO fats, oils, or grease can be placed in the brown bin. They only belong in the black bin.

Another great resource we have near us is the Anaheim Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center, located at 1071 Blue Gum Street, (corner of Blue Gum and La Palma). It's a drive-through, so you just pop the trunk and the workers take everything out and you simply just drive away. It can't get any easier than that! And there is NO cost to you. The Collection Center takes items that are toxic, corrosive, reactive, and ignitable. The Center also accepts items such as paints, cleaners, oil, e-waste (TVs and computers), batteries, pesticides, and fertilizers to name a few.

Have a safe and green fall!,

Marcia Willett and Cathy Aiken

Environment Co-Chairmen

*A special
thank you from*



DONNA WATKINS

11th MEU Adoption Committee
Project Chairman

A BIG THANK YOU

A big thank you to our members for the donations of baby items for the baskets. Member, Yvette Lloyd, was able to make five beautiful baby baskets to give to new mothers of the 11th Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU). The Polly Pie's fundraiser was also a big success. With the help of YLWC members, who went to Polly's on the day of the fundraiser, the Adoption Committee received a check for \$210.00. Colonel Thomas Siverts is the new Colonel for the 11th MEU. He is very surprised and impressed by how much our club helps the marines of the 11th MEU, and he is looking forward to working with the YLWC.

Baby Baskets - Kyp Hughes, Deployment Readiness Coordinator, and Linda Queen, Board President of MEU Adoption Committee

Hope everyone is having a great summer.

Donna Watkins

11th MEU Adoption Committee Project Chairman



A message from



LINDA QUEEN

Education & Libraries
Program Chairman



GOT BOOKS

BRING 'EM TO YLWC'S NEW BOOK SWAP. Starting at our September General Meeting, swap gently-used books you're done with for a few new-to-you ones. For FREE!

Members can **bring up to five (5) books** each month and **select up to five (5)** to take home. Remaining books will be donated to the Book Corner at Yorba Linda Library. Please swap only Fiction, Romance, Mystery, Thrillers, Biographies or Autobiographies, paperback, hardback, or large print.

NO cookbooks, craft books, kid's books, non-fiction, or magazines...but, you can donate those directly to the Book Corner.

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Linda Queen

Education & Libraries Program Chairman

W.O.W.

WOMEN OUT WALKING

WHEN:

Tuesday and Friday / 8:30 a.m.

WHERE:

We meet at the Imperial entrance to the Community Center

Duration:

1.5 hours/2 miles

Come join us, meet new friends and learn about our club.

Questions: Heather Laporte



A message from



CHERYL BOWEN

Yorba Linda Lights Editor



LOUISE HERNANDEZ

Yorba Linda Lights, Co-Editor

OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Thank you to all who have submitted articles for the Yorba Linda Lights September 2022 newsletter.

Helpful tips:

- Please email your article for October's newsletter on or before **September 19th** to Cheryl Bowen.
- Submitting early ensures your article will be included in the newsletter.
- Create a descriptive title that will clearly state your subject matter (two to four words).
- Create your article in a Word document and attach it to your email. If you are including pictures, **do not incorporate them in the Word document** but attach pictures separately.
- If you are attaching an image, we have the discretion of not including the image/picture in our newsletter.
- If your article is a request for volunteers for an upcoming event, be sure to include dates, times, locations, and a brief description of what the volunteers will be asked to do.
- Word document word count is a minimum of 150 words and a maximum of 200 words if you are submitting pictures. If text only, the maximum word count is 375.
- When submitting your article please attach a color photo of you to be inserted by your article.

HOW TO CONTACT YLWC

For the safety and privacy of our Yorba Linda Woman's Club members, we do not include emails, telephone numbers, or other contact information in Yorba Linda Lights newsletters. To contact one of our members please use your Yearbook or go to our [website](#) to our Membership page and click on Current Members.

We look forward to receiving your articles for October,

Cheryl Bowen & Louise Hernandez

Yorba Linda Lights, Editor and Co-Editor



SEPTEMBER

DATES TO REMEMBER

Club Related

Holidays

Monthly Events

Special Events

EVENTS AT A GLANCE



LADIES BUNCO NIGHT

Fun and Friendships

Easy to learn and easy to play. Just warm up your hands and roll the dice! Join us and you're sure to have an evening filled with fun, treats, and laughter! **Questions?** Contact Heather Laporte

All for only \$2.00

2nd Tuesday of the month. 7 p.m. Community Center Clubroom



SOCIALITE LUNCH/DINNER

Lunch 9/7 - 11:30 a.m. at Mimosas Kitchen, Anaheim

Dinner 9/22 - 6 p.m. at Evan's Smokehouse BBQ, Yorba Linda.

RSVP: Billie Cerovac

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- 9/1 - Sew Kind/Clubroom 1 p.m.
- 9/5 - Labor Day
- 9/6 - Book Club/Clubroom 9 a.m.
- 9/7 - Socialite Lunch 11:30 a.m.
- 9/8 - Board Meeting/Clubroom 7 p.m.
- 9/11 - Patriot Day
- 9/13 - Bunco/Clubroom 7 p.m.
- 9/15 - General Meeting/Yorba Room 6 p.m.
- 9/16 - POW/MIA Recognition Day
- 9/17 - WALK n' ROLL FOR ATAXIA
- 9/19 - Newsletter Articles Due for October
- 9/22 - Socialite Dinner 6 p.m.
- 9/25 - Gold Star Mother's Day
- 9/26 - National Pancake Day
- 9/29 - National Coffee Day