JANUARY 1993

**NEWSLETTER** 

#### LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

I have card lists for friends, gift lists for family but for the Women's Club I have a long thank you list! Patti Stickney we thank you for a tremendous Christmas Meeting. Our largest turnout ever of over 100 entitled her to the "party giver of the month award". Our biggest ever Breakfast With Santa was due to the organizational efforts of Mary Dettman and committee. The final figures are not in, but we know we have at least a net profit of \$600.00 of which 75% will be donated to the Salvation Army. We owe thanks to Nancy Daluga for organizing our Red Cross Stocking project. A total fo 145 Stockings were collected filled with toys. Thank you to Ginny Hoehlein for collecting our Ecker Mental Health gifts and delivering them. Lastly, on behalf of the Board, we extend our thanks to all members who so generously gave of their time and gifts to support the success of these projects. We wish all a very Happy Blessed Holiday and New Year.

#### LADIES NIGHT OUT

Come join us on January 27, 1993 at 6:30pm for a casual buffet and conversation at MILL ROSE BREWING COMPANY in South Barrington. It's the first ever Women's Club Night Out. The best part is it's your turn to be waited on ...... no set up or clean up. Don't succumb to the Post Holiday Blues, get dressed up and come on out!!!!

The Menu -- Taste of Mill Rose Buffet -- includes: Spicy wings, ribs, potato skins (or "potatoe" skins, depending on which part of the country you're from (sorry Dan)) assorted sausages, meatballs crudite and brew battered shrimp, flourless chocolate cake and coffee, cash bar. All this for \$14.75. Your check is your reservation and it must be received by January 13. Send checks to Theresa Lehr, 480 Paul Circle, Barrington.

A special tour of Mill Rose Microbrewery will be given by the head Brewmeister (with sampling of the freshly brewed beers).

Mill Rose Brewing Company is located south of the village at Barrington Road and Central. Questions......Call Suzanne Hyde at 382-9228

#### DECEMBER PROJECTS REPORT

Breakfast with Santa was a great success again this year. Over 650 people attended, all of whom were treated to a good time, lots of fun, and a visit from your friend and mine, Santa!! Thanks you, Mary Dettman.

At the December Meeting 145 Red Cross Christmas Stockings were collected by Nancy Daluga to be distributed to needy children in Lake County. Thank YOU!! There was also a VERY generous outpouring of gifts for the Ecker Mental Health Center. The people there were most happy and touched by your generosity. Thank you all for participating, may your blessings return tenfold!!!

#### A NIGHT IN CAMELOT

Our annual Dinner Dance ESCAPE TO CAMELOT will be held Saturday, February 27th, 1993, 6:30PM until 12:30am at the Biltmore Country Club in North Barrington. The plans sound as if this night will truly be an escape to fantasy. !!!

The Grand Prize Raffle is Round Trip Airfare for 2 to London, donated by American Airlines. Live Auction items so far include a one week stay

In Puerto Vallarta Mexica, two Cocktail
Parties hosted by Father Jack, Notre Dame
football tickets, a fur from D'Brien Furs,
two rounds of Golf at Wynstone, a one week
stay in Marco Island, Florida, a Family
Membership to Chrystal Lake Tennis and
Raquet Club, Photography sittings, a two
night package at the Chicago Hilton and
Towers, and much more. Cost will be



\$55.00 per person, Black Tie Optional RSVP's will be due by February 12th. Mark your calendars now. More information will follow as our event approaches.

#### **SPRING RETREAT**

The Women's Club Spring Retreat has been planned for Wednesday, March 10th beginning with Mass at St. Anne at 8:15am. The retreat will continue at Ballermine Retreat Hall from 9:15am until 1pm. The speaker this year is Sr. Anne Willits, O.P. Sr. Willits spoke at our Faith and Formation program last year. The program focus this year is a Parable Conference. More information will follow as it is available but mark your calendars now. See you there.

#### PLAYGROUP

January Playgroup will be Thursday, January 28th from 9:30am until 11am in Thane Hall. Come relax and enjoy! Call Debbie 381-1744 or Karen 304-5604 for more information

#### JANUARY CALENDAR

JANUARY	7	1993 Dinner Dance Invitation Addressing and Stuffing 9am to 12noon and 1pm until 4pm
JANUARY	8	More Addressing and Stuffing III Come one and all II 9am to 11:30am and 1:30pm until 4:30pm all sessions will have nursery available all sessions will be in the conference room
JANUARY	13	9:15am to 10:30am Board Meeting
JANUARY	20	9:30am to 10:30am Dinner Dance Meeting
JANUARY	27	Laddies Night Dut at Mill Rose Brewing Co.
JANUARY	28	9.30am TO 11am Playgroup Thane Hall



FEBRUARY 1993

**NEWSLETTER** 

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

I think of WOMEN'S CLUB TEAM SPIRIT as I recall the last month of club activities. We saw this spirit as many of our members gathered for our annual Dinner Dance Invitation Ennvelope Addressing and Stuffing session! Over 2800 envelopes were readied for mailing and we owe many thanks to those who helped and organized the effort. Our board meeting was cancelled due to heavy snowfall, but all board members rallied for a re-scheduled meeting. Our newsletter is on time because of everyone's cooperation!! I then had the dissapointing news that Anita Gambke, our Corresponding Secretary of two years, was being transferred to New York. Anita has been both Recording Secretary and Corresponding Secretary since our Recording Secretary position had been unfilled. I wondered how the board would function. But again the dedication of our members was evident as Maureen Seiger offered to take Anita's Corresponding Secretary position and Diane Nowik has offered to take the position of Recording Secretary.

#### DINNER DANCE

AN EVENING IN CAMELOT promises to live up to it's name!!! The evening begins at 6:30pm on February 27th at the Biltmore Country Club with Cocktail Hour entertainment provided by Barrington Suzuki Strings. The Feast will begin with an Open bar, followed by dinner at 8pm consisting of Biltmore Salad, Chicken Piccata, Julienne of Vegetables, Wild Rice, and Tiramesu for dessert. The Richmond Rodes Band will entertain after dinner for your listening and dancing pleasure. There will be 15 oral auction items and 10 raffle items besides the Grand Raffle of the trip to London. Mail your RSVP's soon !!! We'll see you there!!!!

#### **FEBRUARY MEETING**

The February Women's Club General Meeting will be held on February 2nd, at 7:30pm, in Thane Hall. Our program will be Family and Women's Services offered through St. Anne Parish, presented by our Spiritual Moderator - Sister Lauretta, Family Ministries - Adrienne Kalmes and Pastoral Councilor - Jeanette Egan. Following this short presentation we will enjoy a Chocolate Lovers Valentine's Day Party!!! Share your favorite dessert or bring your favorite bottle of bubbly!! What a great way to get ready for Lent!

#### BREAKFAST WITH SANTA UPDATE.

Breakfast With Santa was a great success!! Thanks to all who worked so hard. Our profit was \$1000 of which \$750 was given to our local Salvation Army as in past years. Their reserves were depleted from the demand at the Christmas Season and our gift was greatly appreciated.

#### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

Drivers are needed to deliver Meals On Wheels February 2nd and 11th. This task takes about one hour to complete and is greatly appreciated by those served. For more information or to volunteer call Mary Reinhart 381-8251.

#### CALLING ALL QUILTERS !!!!

This year the Women's Club will be making a quilt to be raffled at the annual Visions Of Sugar Plums Arts and Crafts Show. Now we need any and all who are interested in helping make the quilt!! Individual blocks will be sewn together by volunteers and then we will gather at the parish center to Quilt the whole thing together. Raffle tickets will be sold during October and the drawing will be held at the Arts and Crafts Show. Many other organizations have had great success with quilting projects so lets give it a try!!!! To volunteer call Diane Raab at 304-5521 or Bonnie Heim 304-1669.

Applications are now being taken for the October 22 and 23, 1993 exhibitors at the Show. If you are interested in having a booth you MUST contact Danielle Milliken at 304-7881 for an application. The deadline for applications is April 30.

#### **PLAYGROUP**

All mothers with young children are invited to attend the St. Anne Playgroup on February 25, from 9:30 to 11:00am in Thane Hall. A good time is had by all. Come and meet other moms, share childrearing tips and introduce your children to some new friends. For more information call Debbie at 381-1744 or Karen at 304-5604.

#### SPRING RETREAT

Our annual Spring Retreat will be held on March 16th beginning with Mass at St. Anne at 8:15am, and continuing at Ballermine Retreat House from 9am until 1pm. Our speaker is Sr. Ann Willits O.P. Cost is \$15 and includes brunch. Child care with organized activities will be provided at St. Anne for \$5 per child. Detailed information will follow later. Questions? call Joan Kuhn 381-1054

#### NOMINATING COMMITTEE

A nominating committee is now being formed to provide a slate of candidates for the Women's Club Board, Comissions, and Committee Chairpeople. If you are interested in serving in any of these capacities or if you would like to suggest someone, please contact Anita Gambke at 382-6356 before February 15th.. Those currently in positions who are not returning, have been asked to find their own replacements if at all possible. Please take a little time to really think about (and pray about) the possibility of serving. Many helpers make light work. You may be getting a phone call.... remember, it's hard to ask for volunteers. Be kind.

#### **COUPLES NIGHT OUT**

You asked for it in the last survey so here it is....a low cost, fun, exciting couples night out!!!!! April 24th will be our first ever COUPLES BOWL!! The fun begins at 7:30pm with a buffet dinner at The Brunswick Deer Park Lanes in Lake Zurich with bowling after. All are welcome, bring a friend! Cost is \$25 per couple. For information or reservations call Kathy Bliss at 304-8579.

#### **CALENDAR**

January 27 Ladies Night Out at Mill Rose Brewing Company 6:30-9:30pm

January 28

Playgroup 9:30 to 11:00am Thane Hall General Meeting - 7:30pm Bring dessert or bubbly!!!! Budget/Finance Committee Meeting 9:30am Library February 2 February 3

February 10 Dinner Dance Meeting 9:30 to 11:00am

February 17 Board Meeting 9:15 to 10:30am

February 25 Playgroup 9:30 to 11:00am Thane Hall

MARCH 1993 NEWSLETTER

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This month I feel I must write a letter of praise and apology to all members of the Women's Club. First, my praise. Our Ladies Night Out at Millrose Brewing Co. was a huge success. We expected forty reservations and ended with a total of seventy-five ladies. We had to arrange for their larger room due to this great crowd!! Thank you to Theresa Lehr and Suzanne Hyde for their efforts and also to Kim Platenik for her generous donations for the raffle. This type of response is repeating itself for our Dinner Dance Committee arranging our Evening in Camelot on February 27. We praise them for all their hard work and look forward to this event. The committee has had to regretfully turn numerous people away who wanted reservations. Two years ago we had approximately 175 attend and last year 220. As a past committee member, I know the struggle it has been to sell our goal for tickets. This year the response has been overwhelming. The Biltmore can seat 230 with dancing. We thought we had padded adequately due to many changes we made this year. We could NOT anticipate the overwhelming response and are not sure why this year is so different. We aplolgize to ALL those who had the disappointment of not being able to attend. We regret that many people who have supported this event for years past were not able to come. The committee has done everything they can to seat as many as possible and we will make accommodations next year for this increased demand. Thank you for your understanding and we appreciate your continued support.

#### MARCH MEETING

Our March 2nd Women's Club Meeting will begin at 7:30 pm in Thane Hall. Joan Kendall, Dean of Student Development at Harper College, will present WOMEN AND SELF ESTEEM. Following the program there will be a Make Your Own Sundae Party!!!!! A paper goods collection will be taken for the Crisis Center in Elgin which supports abused women and their children in need. Suggested items include large diapers, toiletries, feminine hygiene products, kleenex, paper towels etc. Mark the date on your calendar now if you haven't already. See you there!!!

#### SPRING RETREAT

Our annual Spring Retreat will begin on Tuesday, March 16th at 8:15am with Mass at St. Anne (optional) and continue on to Ballarmine Hall, West County Line Road at 9:15am. NOTHING OUT OF THE ORDINARY has been chosen as the focus of our retreat, featuring Sister Ann Willits O.P. as our Spiritual Director. Through reflection, prayer and Scripture, we find that God and grace are present in the "ordinary-ness" of our daily routine. Brunch will be served and the program will end at 1:00pm. The suggested densition in \$15.00

the program will end at 1:00pm. The suggested donation is \$15.00. Babysitting, with organized activities for the children, will be offered at St. Anne for a \$5.00 per child donation (call Cathy Faust 382-4228 or Joanne Pokrajac 304-0137). For reservations call Joan Kuhn 381-1054.

#### **PLAYGROUP**

There will be no Playgroup meeting in March. We are looking for a new Co-Chair for this group. Please call Debbie at 381-1744 if you are interested.

#### SENIOR CITIZEN LUNCHEON

The Senior Citizen Luncheon will be held on May 5th if we can get someone to help coordinate it!!! This has been a tradition with the Women's Club but this year we have had no volunteers to organize it. The luncheon begins at 11am and ends about 1pm. Volunteers as well as a Chairperson are needed. If you are interested in undertaking yet another activity call Maura Chamberlin at 381-8423. You will be many times blessed.

#### **COUPLES NIGHT OUT**

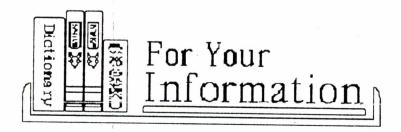
COUPLES BOWL is coming in April !!!! April 24th to be exact. This outing is not just for us old married folk, but for everyone!!! Come by yourself, bring a friend, just COME ON DOWN!!!! The fun begins at 7:30pm with a buffet dinner at The Brunswick Deer Park Lanes in Lake Zurich. Cost is \$25 per Couple. For information and reservations call Kathy Bliss 304-8579.

#### **MEALS ON WHEELS**

St. Anne has been given March 2nd and 11th to deliver Meals On Wheels to area Seniors. This is a wonderful way to give even if you only have an hour or so. The service is so greatly appreciated. Give it a try, Call Mary Reinhart 381-8251.

#### LADIES NIGHT OUT

Just what did happen that January evening??? We had a BALL!!!! The room was pleasantly crowded and filled with laughter and chatter. We put names with a lot of faces we had "seen around church". Many of us found a new Bible Study group, or Quilting group or Cooking group (or Beer Drinking Group) we hadn't known of before. The raffle was great fun and the Raffle Ticket Sellers were properly chided. The lucky winners included Suzanne Hyde, Marilyn Ortinau, Sr. Lauretta, Julie Walker (twice) and Kathy Grain. Donations for the Raffle came unsolicited from a most generous Kim Platenik. (Thank You, Thank You, Thank You) Those in the "know" tell me that Maria Liedlich left home (again) without cash so she had to sip water all night!!. She should have hooked up with Nancy Daluga, Anita Gambke, Maureen Sieger and Katie Derouche who were trying out Beer Samplers (a specialty of the House), they might have had pity on her!! Our beloved President remained under healthy control, munching zucchini (not chicken wings or ribs) and indulging in only half a piece of luscious flourless chocolate cake.....can you believe it?? It really was a great time and I can hardly wait for next January!!!



#### CALENDAR

February	25,	Playgroup	9:30 - 11am Thane Hall
	27,	1993 Dinner Dance	6:30pm Biltmore
March	2,	Meeting, Women and Self Esteen	7:30pm Thane Hall
	5,	World Day of Prayer, Church Wor	men United
	16,	Retreat at Ballarmine Hall 8:15Ma	ass at St. Anne
	17,	Board Meeting	9:15 - 10:30am



**APRIL 1993** 

NEWSLETTER

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Our Evening in Camelot, this years dinner dance held at the Biltmore Country Club was an overwhelming success. The Committee and it's Co-Chairs Maria Leidlich and Marybeth Ostrander are to be commended on their hard work. What a highlight to this years memories. Notes on the dance follow from the Co-Chairs.

At our March meeting the candidates for the WC 1993-94 elected officers were presented. They are: Beth Raseman, President; Vice-President/President Elect. Marilyn Ortinau; Treasurer, Bonnie Heim; Corresponding Secretary, Maureen Seiger; Recording Secretary, Diane Nowik. This slate will be voted on at our meeting April 6th. Please join us for a brief presentation by Barrington Youth Services with light desserts to follow.

Many thanks to our nominating board this past month arranging for our positions within the club for 1993-1994. Please remember that if you would like to help by chairing a committee or being a committee member, contact Nancy Daluga 382-5867 or Cathy Casey 382-7607.

#### **APRIL MEETING**

Mark your calendars now for the April 6th Women's Club Meeting, 7:30pm in Thane Hall. Elections will be held for Women's Club Board Members for the 1993-1994 year. The nominations are as follows: President...Beth Raseman; Vice-President/President Elect...Marilyn Ortinau: Treasurer...Bonnie Heim: Recording Secretary....Diane Nowik; Corresponding Secretary...Maureen Sieger.

Following our business meeting, a program explaining the services offered by Barrington Youth Services will be presented by Counselor Liz Larsen and Doctor Albert Long. An offering of Delightflully Delicate Desserts will top off the evening:

#### COUPLES BOWL

Come One Come All !!!! It's time to get on the Band Wagon for Couples Bowl, April 24th, 7:30pm at The Brunswick Deer Park Lanes. We will be starting out with a Buffet Dinner at 7:30pm followed by three games of bowling. Even if you haven't bowled since High School you'll have fun tonight!! Bring your favorite bowling partner or pick up one at the party, just get you reservation in and come on down. Cost is \$25 per couple. Reservations must be in by April 18th, call Kathy Bliss at 304-8579.

#### WELCOME COFFEE

Our second Welcome Coffee will be on April 18th from 10am until 12:30pm. All are encouraged to join us in Thane Hall after Mass that Sunday. The purpose of these Coffees is to welcome new and prospective members to the Women's Club. Bring your family and show your support...besides, you won't have to cook breakfast when you get home!!!!.

#### AN EVENING IN CAMELOT

The 1993 Women's Club Dinner Dance proved to be an enchanted evening after all. The Biltmore Country Club truly set the stage for "An Evening in Camelot". Greeted by a King and Queen, two hundred forty guests arrived to the gala event and were entertained by twenty children from Suzuki Strings who ranged in age from four to seventeen. Guests had an opportunity to enjoy drinks and hors'd oeuvres while taking a chance on the many raffle items available, and to bid on the nearly 20 items auctioned off during dinner. Afterwards, the dance floor swayed to the music of the Richmond Rodes Band.

Some of the Lucky winners included: Courtney and Barry Murtaugh who won the American Airlines trip: Dr. Anthony Savino who won the lovely O'Brien Fur for his wife Patrice: and the Chair herself, Maria Leidlich who bid on and won (much to her husbands dismay) the 8 Karat blue topaz ring.

Nearlly \$20,000 was raised for St. Anne's through the generosity of all who attended and supported this event.

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Thank you to all who helped to make it happen, especially to those of you who assisted Marybeth Ostrander and Maria Liedlich on the Dinner Dance Committee...Carrie Baartmans, Kathy Casey, Mindy Fransen, Ginny Hoehlein, Suzanne Hyde, Judy Koehl, Mariann Leahy, Anne Maxwell, Anne McSorley, Pam Mitchell, Moureen Sieger, Mary Kay Williams, Karen Woodbury.

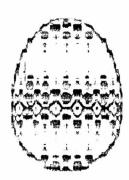
Special thanks goes to: Mariann and Daniel Leahy, Nancy Daluga, David Hyde, Kevin Maxwell, Clyde Patterson and Ward Schell.

#### MEALS ON WHEELS

We have been given April 6th and 8th to deliver Meals On Wheels from Good Shephard Hospital. This activity takes about one to two hours and is greatly appreciated. If you would like to volunteer please call Mary Reinhart at 381-8251

#### PLAYGROUP

April's Playgroup Easter Party will be held in Thane Hall on Thursday April 1st from 9:30am until 11am. Bring a little basket to collect the eggs from the Easter Bunny. All moms with young children are invited to come and enjoy the comraderie of other women in the same boat!!! The children have fun playing and making new friends and moms get a chance to put names with faces they have seen around the parish. RSVP to Debbie at 381-1744 or Karen at 304-5604. Come join us!!!



#### CALENDAR :

Playgroup April

General Meeting 6

6 Meals on Wheels Meals on Wheels 8

Board Meeting 14

Welcome Coffee

18

April 24 Couples Bowl

Easter Party !! 9:30 to 11am Thane Hall

7:30pm Thane Hall

9:15am

After Sunday Masses 10am till 12:30pm

7:30pm Deer Park Lanes



MAY 1993

**NEWSLETTER** 

#### PRESIDENT'S LETTER

Congratulations! Congratulations! At our April Meeting the candidates for the Women's Club 1993-1994 were voted on. We look forward to our new board as follows: Beth Raseman President, Vice President/President Elect Marilyn Ortinau, Treasurer Bonnie Heim, Recording Secretary Diane Nowik, Corresponding Secretary Maureen Seiger. These officers will be installed on May 4, 1993 at our final General Meeting. This year we will officially change the name of the meeting to the Installation /Appreciation Dinner. This is our time to thank ALL members of the Women's Club for whatever contribution you have made to the club. We have had a dynamic year of spiritual and social growth that has expressed itself in your overwhelming participation. There are many new and exciting ideas for our 1993-1994 year so get involved! Look for your membership form early this year. Plans are to have them to you by the end of May so our membership booklet can be in your hand in September. Look for new areas of volunteership on your form plus we will add a special advertising section for Women in Business.

Please join us May 4 for an evening of fun and sharing. We encourage you to invite new prospective members, family, or friends. Dont's forget to RSVP! More info below....

#### MAY GENERAL MEETING

Our May Installation/Appreciation Dinner and Meeting will be held on May 4th beginning with Mass at 8:30pm in the Lower Church and continuing in Thane Hall. A catered dinner is planned while we are entertained by "Colors", a Choral group from Barrington High School. A brief meeting will follow the festivities as we conclude our 1992-1993 Women's Club Year. All members are encouraged to come and enjoy this evening. Guests are welcome at a cost of \$7.95 each. RSYP (Please) to Patti Stickney 332-1577 or Maura Chamberlin 381-8423.

#### MEALS ON WHEELS

St. Anne has been assigned May 4th ane 13th for delivery of Meals On Wheels. Drivers are needed to pick up and deliver meals which takes about 1 to 2 hours. Your time and efforts are greatly appreciated. Call Mary Reinhart at 381-8251.

#### SENIOR CITIZEN LUNCHEON

Our annual Senior Citizen Luncheon will be hald on May 5th from 11am until 2pm in Thane Hall. Volunteers are still needed to help with this project. Any amount of time you could volunteer would be appreciated. The Seniors will be entertained by COLORS, a choral group from Barrington High School. Among other numbers they will present selections from West Side Story, the BHS Spring Play. If you have signed up to bring a casserole dish please deliver it to Thane Hall between 9am and 11am. For more information or to volunteer call Mary Reinhart at 381-8251.

#### PLAYGROUP

May playgroup will be held on May 27, from 9:30 until 11am in Thane Hall. Hopefully this will be the last INDOOR playgroup this Spring!! Playgroup will be held during the Summer at Lagendorf Park. Announcements of dates and times will be in the bulletin. Call Maureen Seiger at 382-0378 or Maria Liedlich at 304-1123.

#### PRAYERS AND HELP

It has come to our attention that there is a Women's Club member who is especially in need of your prayers and support during a very trying time of family illness.. Help will be needed with care of an 18month old and perhaps meals to be taken to the home. If you can help please call Maura at 381-8423 or Marilyn at 382-5696. If you know of any others who need help let us know.

#### CALENDAR

May 4, Installation/Appreciation Mass and Dinner 6:30pm Lower Church Wine and Cheese 7:15pm Dinner at 8pm Thane Hall

May 5. Senior Citizen Luncheon 11am to 1:30pm Thane Hall

May 7. May Fellowship Day Church Women United 11:30am Barrington United Methodist Church

May 27. Playgroup 9:30am to 11am

Thane Hall







AUGUST 1993

NEWSLETTER

#### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Welcome to all new and current members of the St. Anne Women's Club. We have a great year planned and look forward to letting you know all about it. Our year kicks off with a membership welcoming night.

Tuesday, September 7th
7:00 - 7:30 pm Wine, dessert and socializing (please note the new starting time)
7:30 - 8:30 pm Program

BRING A FRIEND!!!!!!! (and let them find out what a great group of women we have)

FIVE GOOD REASONS TO ATTEND:

- 1). Friendship
- 2). A night away from the kids
- 3). A night away from your husband
- 4). Good conversation and laughter
- 5). Fine food and wine (for free)

#### FUN FACTS FROM THE PAST

The Women's Club is 97 years old this year! Back in 1946 the group was known as the "St. Anne's Ladies Sodality." Dues were 25 cents and most meetings were held in the Rose Room or at the Dinner Bell Restaurant. If you have any historical information on the Women's Club you would like to share with us, please contact our new historian, Terry Rickel 304-0659 or 593-4200 (work).

#### NCCW CONVENTION

This year's convention "On the Wings of Change" is being held in Chicago, September 16th to the 20th at the Hyatt Regency. If you are interested in attending this event please let Beth Raseman (304-0846) know as soon as possible. We have purchased two tickets for the event and can send two people on each of the four days.

Tuesday, September 7th and Thursday, September 16th. Your assistance is greatly appreciated by these recipients and it only takes approximately one hour of your time. Please call Mary Reinhart to volunteer 381-8251.

#### JUST A REMINDER

SEPTEMBER 24 PLAYGROUP

If you have not sent in your membership form, please do so or use the one below. The September 7th meeting will be the last night for members to be included in the 1993-1994 membership booklet.

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PLEASE PRINT					
Husband's Name:			First New Member:	Yes	_ No
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SEPTEMBER	CALEND	AR			
SEPTEMBER	7 M	EMBERSHIP/WELCOME MEETIN	G 7:00pm - Thane Hal		
SEPTEMBER	8 L	ADIES MORNING OUT	10:00am - Liesure R		
SEPTEMBER	13 S	CRIPTURE SHARING GROUP	10:00am - Conference		
SEPTEMBER	18 C	OUPLES NIGHT OUT	6:30pm Hackney's	: Alpine Ro	om

10:00am - 11:30am

Thane Hall

#### ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW: "VISIONS OF SUGAR PLUMS"

Our annual craft show is just around the corner. Mark your calendars for October 22nd and 23rd. This is a great event to meet the other women in the club and do pre-holiday shopping for Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas.

NEEDEDED: FUN LOVING, HARD WORKING CO-CHAIRS FOR CRAFTERS, LUNCHEON AND RAFFLE.

FOR CRAFTERS, LUNCHEON AND RAFFLE. IF INTERESTED: CONTACT MARILYN ORTINAU 382-5696

OR KIM PLATENICK 540-9044.

NEEDEDED: QUILTERS OR THOSE WHO WANT TO LEARN. MASTERFUL

TEACHERS. WILL BE MEETING IN THE PARISH CENTER ON TUESDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS DURING THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER. IF INTERESTED CALL BONNIE HEIM 304-

1669 OR DIANE RAAB 304-5521.

#### LADIES MORNING OUT

Relax and enjoy adult conversation as St. Anne Women's Club welcomes all new and prospective members to meet us over coffee and rolls on September 8th from 10:00 am until 11:30 am in the Leisure Room in the Dillon/Parish Center. The nursery will be open. If you would like to attend, please contact Maureen Sieger 382-0378.

#### MOTHERS BREAKING THE WORD

This is a Scripture Sharing group where mothers meet to support each other through our faith. We meet in the Conference Room at the Dillon Center every other Monday beginning September 13th from 10:00 am - 11:30 am. The group is open to all mothers and please feel free to bring a friend. The nursery will be open. If you would like more information, please contact Julie Rodosky 304-5624.

#### PLAYGROUP

The September playgroup will be held in the Thane Hall nursery on September 24th from 10:00 am to 11:30 am. All mothers with small children are encouraged to come meet each other while the kids play together. This is a great opportunity for moms and kids to make new friends. For further information, contact Maureen Sieger 382-0378.

#### MEALS ON WHEELS

Volunteer drivers are needed to deliver meals to the elderly on



SEPTEMBER 1993

NEWSLETTER

#### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It was great to see so many new faces at our Membership/Welcoming Night. There was a record turnout of almost one hundred women. I hope you enjoyed the program and got a feel for the many worthwhile organizations which we help to support throughout the year.

Our big event this month is the Arts and Crafts Show, "Visions of Sugar Plums." We hope to see you all there. Be sure to let your friends and neighbors know about the show, the beautiful handmade quilt we will be raffling off, and the great baked goods. We will have almost 50 crafters in attendance, with a little something for everyone. And don't forget to bring the kids, since we have something special in store for them.

#### OCTOBER MEETING

The October Meeting is a must see! Our own Sr. Lauretta will be presenting a program on "Spiritual Risks and Challenges." For any of you who have heard Sister speak in the past, you know what a treat you are in for. The meeting will begin at 7:00 P.M. with an Octoberfest celebration. We will have beer and root beer, soft pretzels and popcorn. Maybe we'll even get in a few verses of, "Shoot, I can't remember, what the heck is the name of that German song they sing at all of the Octoberfests?"

#### ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW / VISIONS OF SUGAR PLUMS

Our Annual Arts and Crafts Show "Visions of Sugar Plums" will be held on Friday, October 22nd and Saturday, October 23rd. The show will be located in the Parish Center and will be open from 10:00 A.M. until 3:30 P.M. both days. The exhibits offer a wide variety of handcrafted gift and holiday items. Special Treats for the little ghosts and goblins include face painting (from 11:00 A.M. until 2:00 P.M. both days), handcrafted Halloween treat bags and balloons. There will be a Raffle featuring a very special item - a blue and white Ohio Star handmade Quilt! Diane Raab and Bonnie Heim have been "camping out" at the Parish Center, working hand-in-hand with their highly talented volunteers. So don't miss the chance to own this quilt and be the envy of your fellow members! Chances are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. A Luncheon and Bake Sale will be held both days in Thane Hall. All women's club members are asked to donate a baked goods item and/or a batch of cookies which can be delivered to Thane Hall after 9:00 A.M. on either day. So don't miss the fun and an opportunity to do some early holiday shopping!!!



#### PLAYGROUP / HALLOWEEN PARTY

A Halloween Party will be held for the October Playgroup. The party will be held in Thane Hall on October 29th from 10:00 A.M. until 11:30 A.M. There will be refreshments and games for the children. Bring your little ones in costume! If you would like to attend, please call Maureen Sieger 382-0378 or Maria Liedlich 304-0785.

#### FISH DRIVERS NEEDED

Volunteer drivers are desperately needed to transport the elderly on local errands (doctor's appointments, grocery store, drug store, etc...). Can you please help as a driver or a substitute driver? Also, we are always in need of volunteers for answering FISH telephone requests. This can be done out of your home and is only performed once per month. If you can help out or have any questions about FISH, please contact Cathy Giamalva at 381-6840.

#### COMMUNITY CRISIS CENTER

Paper goods donations will be accepted at the **November** Women's Club meeting. These items include kleenex, toilet paper, feminine products, large disposable diapers and paper towels. We will also take shampoos, soaps and deodorants. The center is in great need of bath towels so if you have any towels you can donate, please include them as well. Our donations are greatly appreciated by the Community Crisis Center. Any questions may be directed to Dawn Kraft at 381-1520.

#### INFORMATION FROM THE HISTORIAN

OOPS!! A correction to last month's historical information is needed. Our Women's Club is 47 years old, not 97!! Sorry for the error. Here's some new information: In 1948, St. Anne's Sodality started a yearly Christmas Bazaar held in November. This has now become the "Visions of Sugar Plums". Other events in the forties were monthly card parties, a rummage sale in the spring and a very early Dinner Dance (which raised \$695.00 in 1947). The group's name has changed from Sodality (meaning a lay society set up for religious or charitable purposes) but many of the activities have survived and flourished through the years.

#### MEALS WITH WHEELS

Volunteer drivers are needed to deliver meals to the elderly on Tuesday, October 5th and Thursday, October 14th. This job will only take about one hour of your time and is greatly appreciated by all recipients. If you can assist, please contact Mary Reinhart at 381-8251.

#### CROP WALK

The eleventh annual Barrington Area Crop Walk will be Sunday, October 17 from St. Paul's Church. Envelopes for Walkers and Sponsors will be available after all masses on Sundays until then. Help is needed on the 17th for Walk registration and welcoming walkers to St. Anne. For information, call Marge Brinkman 381-3820. Watch Bulletin for more details.



#### A SPECIAL THANKS

Our Hospitality Committee would like to say a big THANK YOU to all those who brought dessert for our September meeting and to especially thank our "Hostess of the Month," Maria Liedlich. Debbie Calpin, Cindi Detrempe, Katie Derouche, Suzanne Hyde, Judy Koehl, Kathy Giamalva, Winnie Payne, and Maureen Lightbody, the desserts were delicious! The beautiful flowers were due to the generosity of Nancy Leonard and Patti Stickney. Thanks a bunch!!!

Mindy Fransen

p.s. I will have pop at the next meeting (sorry!!)!

#### PARISHIONER'S REQUEST

A new parishioner, Lynn Cushwa has been placed on bed rest due to pre-term labor. Lynn has two other children, Katie (5 years) and David (3 years) and needs help with meals until her due date, December 7th. She is not picky about the meals and will appreciate any kind of food other than hot dogs (Lynn's loving husband's specialty). If you can help with a meal or two, please contact Marilyn Ortinau at 382-5696.

#### OCTOBER CALENDAR

OCTOBER 5	OCTOBER MEETING	7:00 PM - 8:30 PM
OCTOBER 13	BOARD MEETING	9:15 AM - 11:15 AM Conference Room
OCTOBER 22/23	ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW " VISIONS OF SUGAR PLUMS"	10:00 AM - 3:30PM Parish Center
OCTOBER 29	PLAYGROUP/HALLOWEEN PARTY	10:00 AM - 11:30 AM Thane Hall



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NEWSLETTER

#### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

The leaves are falling, the days are growing shorter and thoughts of Halloween are making way for Thanksgiving. The Arts and Crafts Show is over, which means Breakfast with Santa must be just around the corner. A special Thank You for a great Arts and Crafts Show goes out to Kim Platenik, Marilyn Ortinau and all of their dedicated and talented committee women: Danielle Milliken, Anne Maxwell, Debbie Calpin, Mary Hickey, Cathy Faust and Bonnie Heim. And thanks to all of you who volunteered, baked, shopped and brought friends!!

#### NOVEMBER MEETING

The November Meeting will begin at 6:30 P.M. with a Mass in the main church dedicated to the Women of the Parish. We will remember especially those members who are deceased. At 7:15 P.M. h'ordouvres, dessert, wine and coffee will be served in Thane Hall and our Program will begin at 7:45 P.M. We look forward to a stimulating and interactive session on "Group Dynamics" with Phil Faris. Phil is a nationally recognized speaker and author on training and motivational issues. It should be a fun way to get to know all the new members that have joined us this year (So far we are up to 67 new members, giving us a total of 370+.

#### COMMUNITY CRISIS CENTER DONATIONS

The November Meeting is the time to bring Paper Goods for the Elgin Community Crisis Center. These items include kleenex, toilet paper, feminine products, large disposable diapers and paper towels. We will also take shampoos, soaps and deodorants. Any questions may be directed to Dawn Kraft at 381-1520.

#### RED CROSS CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

Red Cross Christmas Stockings should be picked up at the November Meeting. Last year Nancy Daluga was seen driving the byways and driveways of all Barrington. Lets give her an early Christmas present this year and pick them up at the meeting. If you cannot attend the meeting, please contact Nancy (382-5867) to arrange a time to pick your stocking(s) up.

#### BREAKFAST WITH SANTA

"Calling all willing Volunteers!" There are two upcoming meetings for Breaskfast with Santa. These meetings will be held on November

3rd and 17th from 9:30 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. in the Thane Hall Conference Room. Child care will be provided for both meetings. We hope you can come and give us your ideas and assistance for this fun family event. For more information, contact Mary Dettman at 304-0418.

#### CHILDREN'S BOOK REQUEST

A request for hardcover children's books is being made by the Benefit-Auction '94 committee. The collection of books will be used as a silent auction item(s) the night of the Benefit. Sydney Johnson Bookseller in the Village stocks a wide variety of children's books and their staff would be more than happy to assist in your selection.

#### FASHION SHOW

A kick-off meeting for the 2nd annual Fashion Show and Luncheon will be held Tuesday morning November 8th at 10:00 A.M. in the Thane Hall Liturgy Room. Babysitting will be provided. Anyone interested in helping plan the event is welcome to attend. The Show is scheduled for Saturday, April 16th at the Biltmore Country Club. For more information, contact Debbie Calpin at 382-3825.

PADS - Volunteers are greatly needed for Meals! Please call Judy Koehl at 639-2173.

WELCOMING SUNDAY - Welcoming Sunday is November 7th and the Women's Club is the host. If you would be willing to greet people please call Nancy Leonard at 438-1404. We will need people after all masses.

CHRISTMAS TEA - Save the Date!...December 15th, 1:00 P.M. to 3:30 P.M. - Beth Raseman's Admission is a bottle of spirits to donate toward a basket for the Benefit Dinner Dance. More information will come later!

HOOP IT UP!!!! - Does your spouse live for basketball? The Women's Club is sponsoring the first ever men's two-on-two Benefit Basketball Tournament in January 1994. The Tournament will feature 16 teams, 48 players, all teams drawn randomly, games half court, unlimited substitution. All teams play at least two games. Cost-\$25 per person, 1st place team wins \$150, 2nd place team wins \$90. Fore more "ball bouncing" facts, call Beth Raseman 304-0846 or Nancy Daluga 382-5867.

PLAYGROUP - Due to the Thanksgiving Holiday, there will not be a November Playgroup, however, stay tuned for more information on the December Playgroup/Christmas Party to be held on December 10th, 10:00 A.M. to 11:30 A.M. For information, contact Maria Liedlich 304-0785.



DECEMBER 1993

NEWSLETTER

#### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

At this busy time of the year, we gather with friends, to give thanks and to celebrate all that we have been blessed with. The Women's Club invites all of its members and their guests to come enjoy an evening of socializing, fine food and music.

Annual Christmas Party
Thane Hall
December 7th

7:00 P.M. Appetizers and Dessert 7:45 P.M. Dinner Piano accompaniment provided by David Lightbody

#### Please Bring:

Holiday smiles and good cheer!!!

An appetizer or dessert
Red Cross Christmas Stocking(s)
Gifts for House on the Corner
Ecker Center Christmas Donation



(Guests will be asked to contribute \$8.00 toward the cost of the evening.)

#### RED CROSS CHRISTMAS STOCKINGS

If you have not picked up your Red Cross Christmas Stocking(s) or you cannot attend the December 7th meeting please contact Nancy Daluga 382-5867 to arrange a time to drop off your stocking(s).

#### ECKER CENTER CHRISTMAS DONATIONS

Gift donations are needed for the Christmas Party at the Ecker Center for the financial and mentally disadvantaged. Recommended gifts are mainly adult items such as bath towels, blankets, clothing (in good condition) and any other items to help meet their basic needs. Children's items are welcomed too (i.e., stuffed animals, toys..). Please bring donations to the December 8th meeting or drop them off in advance at Beth Raseman's (304-0846) or Ginny Hoehlein's (382-8002).

#### BREAKFAST WITH SANTA / DECEMBER 4

December 4th is the day Santa has arranged to come for breakfast with the children (young & old) of St. Anne's. There will be three seatings for breakfast, 8:30 A.M., 9:15 A.M., & 10:00 A.M. The donation is \$3.50 for adults and \$1.50 for children. There are many activities planned for the kids such as Face painting, Crafts,



Balloons. A Magician and Piano Player will be there to entertain as well as the Sugar Plum Fairy and the Jolly Old Elf himself. Breakfast will be in Thane Hall and will include Pancakes and sausages. Reservations are a MUST and spaces fill quickly so please call Ann McSorley 358-7415 or Patti Stickney 382-1577.

#### PLAYGROUP / DECEMBER 10

A Christmas Party will be held in Thane Hall on December 10th from 10:00 A.M. to 11:15 A.M. Moms, please bring a \$5.00 wrapped gift for your child to receive from Santa. RSVP is required if you would like to attend. Please call Maria Liedlich 304-0785.



#### CHRISTMAS TEA / DECEMBER 15

What: Tea, (Coffee), and Dessert

When: Wednesday, December 15th from 1:00 - 3:30 P.M.

Where: Beth Raseman's

84 Old Mill Court (south Fox Point, turn into subdivision,

go right on Old Mill Road, runs directly into Old Mill

Court).

Donation: A bottle of cheer to be used for the Benefit-Auction.

RSVP: Marybeth Ostrander 381-7455 by December 13th.

#### CHILD CARE UPDATE

The new Child Care Room will be installed in Thane Hall by the end of November. Storage Cabinets, a table and chairs, toys and mats for the floor have all been ordered. A TV/VCR will be purchased for the small child care room, as soon as a wall mounted bracket arrives. A split door has also been ordered for the small child care room to help provide better air quality in the room. We are asking for donations of good quality toys, slides, kitchens, swings, playpens, and riding toys. We could also use video tapes and cassette tapes to build a small collection for the room. If you are able to donate any of these items, please leave them by the child care room or call Cathy Faust at 382-4228.

#### LADIES NIGHT OUT / JANUARY 19

For this year's Ladies Night Out, there will be a 7:00 P.M. Reception at B.A.A.C. followed by an 8:00 P.M. Dinner at Pasta Impromtu. The date is Wednesday, January 19. Details will follow at the December Meeting and in the next newsletter. For questions, call Claire Hamilton 304-1123 (evenings).

#### HOOP IT UP 1994 / JANUARY 22

The St. Anne Women's Club is proud to be accepting registration for a 2 on 2 Basketball Tournament, "Hoop It Up". The Tournament is scheduled for Saturday, January 22, 1994 from 12:30 P.M. until 4:30 P.M. (there are no football games scheduled for this weekend). The Tournament will feature 16 teams, 48 players, all teams drawn

randomly, games half court, unlimited substitution. All teams play at least two games. The Cost is \$25.00 per person, The prizes are: 1st place team wins \$150, 2nd place team wins \$90. Sign up now by filling out the form below! Send the form along with a check for \$25.00 (payable to St. Anne Women's Club) to Nancy Daluga, 240 Wyngate Drive, Barrington, Illinois, 60010 or Beth Raseman, 84 Old Mill Court, Barrington, Illinois, 60010. Spaces are filling up quickly, so be sure to register early. All proceeds will go toward a package for the Benefit-Auction.

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#### NO GENERAL MEETING IN JANUARY

The next Board Meeting will be Wednesday, January 12 at 9:15 A.M. in the Conference Room.

#### BARRINGTON GIVING DAY / DECEMBER 3 - 16

Each December the Barrington community invites local disadvantaged families to a Giving Day to receive food, clothing and gifts. The members of our churches, schools and many business and civic organizations have always been generous in their support of this day which serves over 200 families each year. An ADCO Van will be parked at the Barrington Police and Fire Department on Station Street to receive small amounts of Food, Toys, Gifts, and Clothing, December 3 through 16. Food, Toys and Gifts will also be collected at the Ice House during that period. For more information regarding donations, please read the flyer which will be distributed at the December meeting.

#### ARTS AND CRAFTS SHOW RESULTS

Thanks to all who attended the 1993 Arts and Crafts Show. A special thanks to those who helped, especially Kim Platenik (this year's co-chair and next year's chairman), Jan Wolowicki, Debbie Calpin, Mary Hickey, Dannielle Milliken, Janet Asher, Patti Zimmermann, Mary Faris, Ann Maxwell, Bebe Overhue, Cathy Faust and Bonnie Heim. This year there were 1,635 people attending the fair. Our quilt made \$720, the Women's Club Booth made \$220, The Raffle made \$801, and the Bake Sale made \$966. Our total profits were \$7,880 which is a record high for the fair. HURRAY and THANKS AGAIN!!!!!!!!!!!