



March "Tuesdays" Fundraising

We raised over \$ 1,300 at our November "Tuesdays" Fundraiser—a new record! It will go a long way towards awarding scholarships to deserving students from Sterling in the Spring.

Many thanks go out to those of you who were able to donate your time, cooking talents and/or supply donations which helped us raise so much money!

Let's see if we can outdo November's numbers in March and raise a little bit more...by involving "ALL" of our club members. Feel free to give Brenda a call and find out how easy it is to help out.

North Central District

Organized in 1943

State Federation 1944

General Federation 1951



Carolyn Tinsley, Editor 2010

Sterling Women's Club

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A note from our President:

Happy New Year to everyone! We are off to a great start to our 2011 year with our 4th annual Yankee Swap at the First Church. It's always a fun way to start the New Year! I hope all of you can attend.

We mentioned a member survey at our Kick-Off Dinner in September; however that project got lost in the shuffle. We will be sending it out to you early this year to get your input for programs and meetings for our 2011-2012 year. In the meantime, we would like to know if you would be interested in the Club holding a social event with our spouses, friends and/or significant others, possibly around Valentine's Day. If you would be interested in hosting or attending such an event (such as a cocktail party, etc.), please let me or another member of the board know.

I look forward to another exciting year!

Brenda

2011 Schedule of Activities:

January 13th 7:00pm:

Fourth Annual Re-Gift/Yankee Swap at the First Church

February 19th 7:00pm:

Craft night at the 1835 Old Town Hall

March 10th 12:30pm:

Daytime meeting at the Sterling Senior Center.

April 14th 7:00pm:

Yoga Night at the 1835 Old Town Hall

May 12th 7:00pm:

Annual scholarship awards dinner to be held at a place to be determined.

Sharing & Caring:



Please join us in welcoming Ellery "Ella" Maier, first grandchild of Nicole and

Gary Maier. She was born on Dec. 12, 2010! ***Congratulations!***

2010—2011 Executive Board

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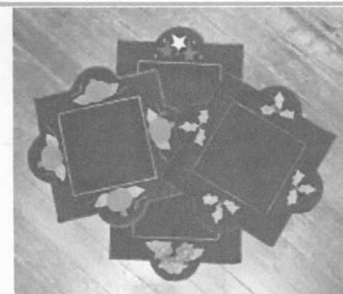
Corresponding Secretary - Dorothy Knight

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February 19th ... 7—9 p.m.

Craft night at the 1835 Town Hall. We might still be able to make the penny mats everyone was interested in doing last year. If not, we will look for another type of craft.

(Ranny will contact a woman who might do it.)



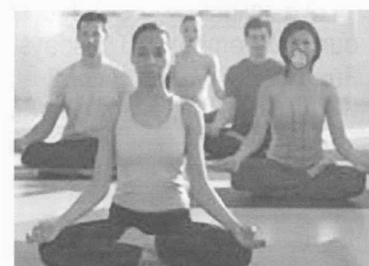
March 10th ... 12:30—1:30

We will host another meeting at the Sterling Senior Center (daytime meeting). We will probably try to get Wendell Crockett again as they really enjoyed his music. Carolyn's recommendation is to find out ahead of time what music he will be playing so we can gather the words on paper to pass out to the seniors...some love to sing; others love to dance! *(Betsy to coordinate Wendell again.)*



April 14th ... 7—9 p.m.

We are planning on hosting a "yoga" night at the 1835 Town Hall. Brenda will contact Karen Shebegian at The Yoga Room, and if that doesn't work, Gail will contact Lucy from Central Mass Yoga. *(Between Brenda and Gail, we should be all set.)*



May 12th ... 7—9 p.m.

Annual scholarship awards dinner. Location to be announced. *(Betsy Sabourin to chair, Melanie Glynn to co-chair.)*



In addition to the above activities, discussions are being held to determine members' interest in a social event, with spouses, possibly around Valentine's Day.



For the Club's November meeting, we honored Veterans on Veteran's Day, Thursday, November 11th, with a program presented by the local chapter of Blue Star Mothers—mothers of current and past

military service personnel. Members were interested in the activities of this organization, providing a supportive network for mothers of young people serving in the military and also providing support of wounded veterans through several projects.

Following the short program, members stuffed Christmas stockings for *Boatsie's Boxes* "Operation Christmas Stocking." Twenty stockings were filled with toiletry items, candy, snacks, socks and personal notes—all donated by members. The stockings were sent to *Boatsie's Boxes* to be shipped to soldiers currently serving overseas in time for Christmas.