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# Late Fall Update

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#### **Craft/Night Meeting**

Thursday, November 13th we will be meeting at the Sterling Greenery on Route 140 in Sterling to make a boxwood tree for the up-coming holiday season.

The cost for the class and materials is \$20. If you have any questions, please contact *Nicole Maier at 978-422-7421*.

#### **November Fundraiser**

Once again, we are volunteering at the First Church in Sterling to "man" the concession stand during the John Power's Auctions. We hope to raise even more money then we did this past summer now that the cooler weather has arrived and people's appetites have picked up!

We are hoping to have the general membership assist us—as this is your club too!

If you are unsure of what to do, we'll have it all spelled out for you and you will also have plenty of help. We worked 2-1/2 hours shifts (4—6:30 PM and 6:30—9:00PM) which made it easy and enjoyable.

If you are unable to help out on Tuesday nights, we will be accepting food donations in the way of sandwiches, casseroles, desserts, beverages and condiments.

Contact Carolyn Tinsley at 978-422-5257 or email us at: swc01564@gmail.com



#### **Joys and Concerns**

As an important part of all our agendas and newsletters, we would like to keep in touch with our members and know if there is someone that should be mentioned in this section, such as births, graduations, illnesses, deaths, moving, etc...anything noteworthy.

#### **Condolences**

Condolences were sent in September to Kathy Haven, former SWC President 1999—2000, on the death of her father, James Nasis.

#### **New Member**

Please join us in welcoming Karen King to the Sterling Women's Club. Karen owns the Willow Tree Fabric store in downtown Sterling. Stop by to check out her store and say "hi" to her when you're in the area—or give her a call at 978-424-6060.

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## **Donations Requested**

Eris Nash has long been a supporter of children in need. She is looking for donations of clean, lightly used or new stuffed animals.

Eris is also aware of the needs of our veterans and because of this is, she is requesting donations of small toiletries. Some items you might have around the house could be "freebies" from hotels.

If you are able to make a donation, please call Eris at 978-422-6124 to make arrangements for drop-off no later than November 30th.



## Get-Together-Teas

If anyone knows of someone who is interested in joining our club and would like to find out more about it before attending a general meeting, please let Carolyn know as she is willing to host "Get-Together-Teas" for anyone interested in joining our club throughout the 2008—2009 season.



#### **Red Cross Blood Drives**

#### June 30th and August 29th

The American Red Cross sponsored a Blood Drives this summer at the 8 Points Sportsmen Club in Sterling. Kathy Haven was successful in having a number of SWC volunteers to sign people in and distribute snacks. Many thanks to Kathy and all who helped to make these successful days!

Kathy will be in touch soon to let us know when the next Red Cross Blood Drive will be held. Be sure to watch the local newspapers for additional information



# .Inspirational Speaker

# February 12, 2009

The speaker for this meeting is still TBD. We hope to have someone secured very soon. If you know of someone who would be of interest to the SWC, please let us know.

Feel free to contact Carolyn Tinsley at 978-422-5257 or email us at swc01564@gmail.com

# **SPA Night**

# Thursday, March 12, 2009

At a Spa "TBD," there will be a series of 15-minute Spa services to get you acquainted with what they do as well as offer you a very relaxing evening. Some of the services will include a mini-facial, mini massage, etc. Details are still being finalized as of this printing.

<u>Cost</u>: (Also TBD). Contact Judy Reynolds at 978-422-6589 for more information.

# Nominating/Planning Meeting

#### Thursday, April 16, 2009

We will be putting together next year's "Executive Board" at the old Sterling Town Hall from 7:00 p.m.—9:00 p.m. We ask that many of you come to assist us in the nominating of those members as well as help us plan next year's agenda—with items that are of interest to you! Contact Carolyn Tinsley to sign up at 978-422-5257 or email us at swc01564@gmail.com

# **Club Notices**

A social hour from 6:30 PM to 7:00 PM will precede the meeting. Guests are welcome at club meetings.

If a member commits to attend an event that has an associated cost, she is responsible for that cost, even if she is unable to attend.

If a member is unable to fulfill her job, it is her responsibility to find a fill-in.



#### "Federation Topics"

Is the magazine of our General Federation of Women's Club of Massachusetts. Subscriptions are approximately \$8.00 covering a period of: June 2008 to June 2009.

If you are interested, contact the GFWC at 978-443-4569.