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The Distaff

Newsletter of the Medical University Women's Club

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Write it Down!

Happy Easter

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From the President…

As the 2010-2011 Board winds down their activities for the year, we would like to encourage our members to consider becoming a board member. Officer positions are filled but there are a few Standing Committees that remain vacant. Commitment time is once a month for about three hours on the second Tuesday afternoon of the month. We would love to have new ideas for fundraising, too, as our cookbook will not be reprinted. For this you only need to talk to a Board member by phone or e-mail!

The last official meeting before the luncheon is Tuesday, April 12 in room 1120 of Rutledge Tower. Come see how we work together as a team to support MUSC. If you can't make it, we will see you at our May board meeting; our Spring Luncheon at Donna Wilson's home.

Debbie Lambert

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The nominating committee is please to present to you, the general membership, the nominees for the 2011-2012 MUWC Board. Voting will take place at the annual meeting,
**Parliamentarian:**
Karen Gemmill

**Hospitality:** Cecily DiPiro

**Handbook/Distaff:**
Katy Kuder

**Scholarships:** Cindi Solomon

**Web Site:** Kristi Adams

**Liaison to Membership:**
Lynda Selby

**Publicity:** Susan Master and Laura Patrick

**Liaison to CCMA:** Jean Lang

**Liaison to MUSC:**
Women’s History Month: Chris Conway

**Liaison to Walk for the Cure and MUSC Health First:** Annie Steele

**Chair for Posies for Patients:** Megan Zwerner

**Chair for Teddy Bear Day:** Maria Cordova Salinas

**Chair for Roses for Commencement:** Open

**Cookbook Chair:** Laura Patrick

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**Position** | **2011-2012 Board**
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Executive Board: President | Cecily DiPiro
President-Elect | open
VP - Programs | Susan Wamsley
Recording Secretary | Charlotte Gillespie
Corresponding Secretary | Terri DeVane & Karen Gemmill
Treasurer | Carol Green

**Standing Committee Chairs:**
Historian | Laura Patrick
Parliamentarian | Karen Gemmill
Past-President & Scholarship | Debbie Lambert
Hospitality | Jo Ellen Basile
Publicity | Susan Master & Laura Patrick
The Distaff Editor | Cindi Solomon
Web Page Editor | Kristi Adams
Handbook Editors | Terri DeVane
Liaison to Women’s History Month | Chris Conway
Liaison to Membership | Lynda Selby

**Project Chairs:**
ART Cookbook | Laura Patrick
Todd Carter Teddy Bear Day | Maria Cordova-Salinas
Posies for Patients | Megan Zwerner
Roses for Graduation | Jane Drabkin

**Interest Group Chairs:**
Book Group - Afternoon | Terri DeVane
Bridge Club | Jenny Reves
Investment Club | Laura Patrick
Lunch Bunch | Betty Howell
Mahjongg Club | To be determined
Ravenel Bridge Walkers | Kathy Squires
Supper Club | Debbie Lambert

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**MUWC**

**Spring Luncheon and Annual Meeting**
May 12, 2011 at 11:00 a.m.
At the home of Donna Wilson
302 Pilots Point (Olde Park)

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Mt. Pleasant, SC

RSVP to Cecily DiPiro by May 1st
southpole@comcast.net or 216-6060

Please bring your favorite Salad or Dessert to share!

The 2011 New Member Oyster Roast
Some had a ball, and some had a crawl,
but everyone had a Shell of a Great Time!

Go to http://muscwomensclub.shutterfly.com/ to see all the smiling faces of the MUWC!
It's almost baseball season! And perhaps you will head out to the JOE and watch a game or attend a grandchild's little league game, or just turn the channel to see an old favorite on TV, but one thing is common in all games: they start with the National Anthem. And Ladies, I will feel safe in saying, that you will not hear a better performance in any ball field than this one right here! Turn up the speakers and listen to this little 5 year old show you how it's done! Just lovely! CLICK THE LINK AND BE AMAZED!  

http://youtu.be/yX3o2mpKF7M

The Art of Health Cooking

MUWC currently has a case of books for sale at the CSO Designer Show House and we will have a booth selling cookbooks at the 5th Annual Women's Heart Health Symposium that will be held at the Gaillard on Saturday April 30, 2011 from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Debbie Lambert, Cecily DiPiro, Laura Patrick, and Annie Steele have books to sell at their homes, plus Katy Kuder and Jane Beaudrot have them available on campus. Total number of the ART Cookbooks we have left is approximately 90.
~Laura

KAYAK TRIP

Once again, Charleston County Parks and Recreation will guide us through another fun kayak trip! Please read the information below and mark your calendars.

April 28, 2011, Thursday: Folly River (either one of the rivers or around Folly Island, whatever the tides dictate)
9-12 (followed by lunch at Lost Dog Cafe)
$35 per person

Mail check, made payable to "Charleston Co Parks and Rec Commission," to: Jane Drabkin, 340 President Street
Charleston, SC 29403

RSVP by Monday, April 25th
rebaderche@comcast.net
737-5404

DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FUN!!

CLUB CORNER CONTACTS

Lunch Bunch - RSVP to Betty Howell, 577-6285, bettynowell25@att.net
Bridge Club - Contact: Jenny Reves, 209-9857 (cell) or 853-5970, or jennyreves@yahoo.com
Book Club - Contact: Terri DeVane, terri.devane@gmail.com & phone 559-3636
The Investment Club - The Investment Club meets the last Tuesday of the month at the downtown Charleston County Library, 1:30 PM, Meeting Room B. Newcomers are welcome. If you have any questions or would like more information, please email Laura Patrick or call her at 884-4380, lgpatrick@comcast.net
Mahjongg Club - Sunny Steinberg, 884-3991, samuel22@bellsouth.net
Dining Divas - Contact Debbie Lambert, 795-2285 or dpl_chalacha@hotmail.com

PLEASE CONTACT THE CHAIR LISTED ABOVE FOR DATES AND SCHEDULES OF UPCOMING EVENTS. WE ARE ALWAYS LOOKING FOR NEW PEOPLE TO JOIN IN! COME ON, TRY US OUT TODAY!

VOLUNTEER SPOTLIGHT and NEWS:
UPCOMING EVENTS: Volunteer Fundraisers

First Uniform and Shoe Sale
April 26-28 on the Portico at the Horseshoe, 9:00 -5:00
Great buy on Alegria, Dansko, New Balance, Saucony and more!

Fudgie Wudgie Fudge Sale
May 3rd-4th in the Children's Hospital Lobby, 10:00 - 5:00
Goodies by the slice or by the pound! Great sweet treats just in time for Administrative Specialist Day or Mother's Day!

And We're Moving!
The Volunteer Services Office is moving on May 5th to the North Tower entrance of the hospital behind admissions. So look for our sign, we won't be hard to find. We will be just one revolving door down from where we currently are located. The Children's Hospital Volunteer office will move in our old space on Monday, giving us all more space!

WHY NOT VOLUNTEER AT THE GREATEST PLACE IN CHARLESTON?
MUSC MEDICAL CENTER

Come volunteer today! Go to www.MUSCHealth.com/volunteer
We are waiting for you!

DINING DIVAS CALENDAR
Designed for the working women of MUSC! Come dine and socialize with us at the following locations during the coming year. Meeting times will be at 5:30 p.m. unless it is marked as a lunch date which will start at 12 Noon.

04/28/11 The Hominy Grill, 207 Rutledge Ave
05/26/11 Group Choice

Some times putting together the newsletter makes me NUTS! I never know if it's enough, but at least the squirrels come running! :)

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Hugs, -Katy

Our Website - www.musc.edu/womensclub

Conundrum Answers from March Distaff:
3 flies
Chocolates 6 cents - fruit jellies 5 cents
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MUWC APPLICATION: _____ New Member _____Renewing Member

Name______________________________________________ College/Dept/Title_____________________

Address__________________________________________________________

Ph: H____________W____________C_______________ Email_________________________________

Spouse's Name_________________________________________ College/Dept/Title_____________________

I am interested in joining: _____Book Club _____Lunch Bunch _____Bridge Club _____MahJong _____Investment Club

I am interested in volunteering for: ____________________________________________

MUWC Projects ___________Hospital Volunteer

Send this form with your tax-deductible dues to: Terri DeVane 5092 Chisolm Road, Johns Island, SC  29455

Amount Enclosed: $ _____________________ (Payable to MUWC)