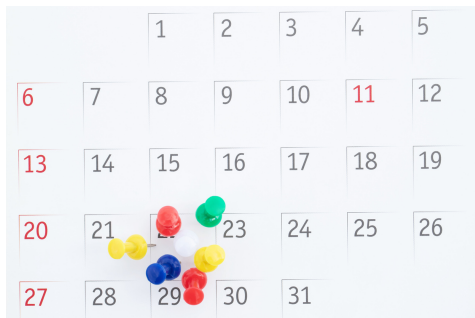


Philo News

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

General Meeting
September 12 @ 7 p.m.
Trinity Lutheran Church
3333 Duffield Ave.
Loveland, CO

Facility will open at 6 p.m. for
committee meetings.

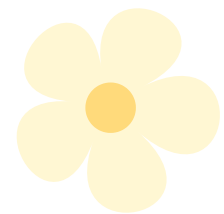


SHARE YOUR NEWS!

For future reference, here are the deadlines for submitting content to the monthly newsletters.

MONTH	CONTENT DEADLINE
October	September 23
November	October 21
December	None
January '24	December 16
February	January 20
March	February 17
April	March 23
May	April 20

Send to philopublicity@gmail.com;
 Call Amy Black at 970-412-0250 with
 any questions.



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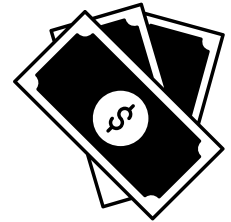
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President's Message

Greetings everyone! I don't know about you, but I think it's been a short summer! Even though we haven't had general meetings for three months, I know several committees have been very busy! Beth Soderquist will fill us in at the September meeting on the Golf committee's results from their tournament. I will just take the pleasure of thanking everyone for their baskets and volunteer time. What a difference it made!! The Integrated Childhood Education committee was busy shopping for school supplies and filling bags for children. What an important gift for them to have the supplies needed for success! I have to give the Dine Out with Heart committee a huge shout out for their work in creating a new event to be held in downtown Loveland on September 8th at Backyard Tap. I am ready to get back to a regular routine and eager to see you at the September general meeting.

Carol Rieser, Philo president

Dues are Due!



It's that time of year again where we all need to pay our annual dues to Philo. Dues this year remain the same. Active dues are \$50, honorary dues are \$35 and although our Emeritus members are not required to pay dues, we truly appreciate any donation that comes our way.

You can pay by check, cash or Square. There won't be anyone at the September meeting to process a Square payment but you can log into our website at <https://www.philoloveland.org/members> and click on the appropriate link to pay. We do charge a \$2 service fee for payments made via Square to cover the processing fees they charge us.

Checks can be dropped off at the meeting or sent through the mail to Philo, PO Box 484, Loveland, CO 80539

A reminder that the deadline to pay dues is by the November meeting (November 14th).

Thanks in advance for taking a moment to get your dues taken care of. It makes my job a lot easier if everyone can submit their dues on time.

Thanks!

Peggy Pellizzari
Philo Treasurer

Alternatives to Violence

Pastels on 5th is a free, family-friendly, community-wide sidewalk chalk art festival where artists, businesses, and downtown Loveland come together to transform 5th Street into a spectacular sidewalk gallery. This event is designed to highlight the thriving Loveland arts community and serve as a benefit for Alternatives to Violence.

Philo sponsors a “square” each year and Pastels on 5th assigns an artist to the square. Philo volunteers direct artists to hand washing stations and to their brown bag lunches. Volunteer for this event on September 9 via the SignUp Genius link that went out to all Philo members.

We will also have a Philo booth there to share information about our organization and how to become a member! Contact Ruth Swanty to volunteer for the Philo Booth.

Contact Lorie Smith lorie.smith@me.com or Ruth Swanty ruthswanty@gmail.com for more information.



Our ATV committee put together and delivered several Fresh Start Baskets in June. Way to go ladies!

Dine Out with Heart

The Dine Out With Heart fundraiser is coming up fast and the committee could really use your help. **The fundraiser is being held at Backyard Tap on September 8th from 4-9** and there will be a cornhole tournament from 5-8. The entry fee is \$80 per team (2 players on a team) and that includes 2 free drinks with 3 games guaranteed. Prizes will be given for first, second and third place winners and also one for the best team name. There will also be two food trucks there for your convenience: Antojitos Del Sureste and Liquid N2 Ice Cream. The link to get more information, sign up for the tournament or just to donate is at; www.philoloveland.org/dine-out-with-heart or go to Eventbrite at dineoutwithheart.eventbrite.com

This year's profits will be donated to KidsPak, Alternatives to Violence and Thompson Education Foundation for homeless children. These nonprofits will be using the proceeds to help feed food insecure in the Loveland/Berthoud area. We need your help in advertising for this event. Can you put this information on your Facebook page or any other social media platform that you use? Can you talk to your friends and colleagues about the fundraiser? Can you talk to anyone about sponsoring the event? Every connection helps!

Also consider putting a team together yourself and joining in the fun! Nevertheless, we would love to see you at the event. Come hang out for some food, drinks and entertainment. It will be an evening of fun!

If you or someone you know are unable to attend, but would like to donate, you can use the above link to contribute to the cause as well.

Shannon Voggesser, Chair





Loveland Philo Presents:

DINE OUT WITH HEART

Cornhole Tournament

FRIDAY, SEP 8TH
4PM - 9PM
BACKYARD TAP

TOURNAMENT 5-8PM
ENTRY FEE: \$80 PER TEAM
FEE INCLUDES 2 FREE DRINKS
3 GAMES GUARANTEED
PRIZES FOR WINNING TEAMS &
BEST TEAM NAME!



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For More Info Visit: www.philoloveland.org/dine-out-with-heart

Integrated Early Childhood

The committee has been busy shopping, stuffing and delivering 144 back to school bags for preschoolers who qualify for Head Start services in the school district. Teachers deliver the bags during a home visit and help the families with activities to fully utilize the materials which remain in the home.

Terri Dimond generously donated books and a huge bag of small stuffed animals for distribution to the students. Underwear and socks which were donated to the committee late last year and some new donations this year were also gratefully accepted.

We would like to make the September meeting a “Back to School” event and we would appreciate donations of socks and underwear appropriate for preschoolers size 3 to 6. Cash donations will also be accepted and the shopping will be done for you!

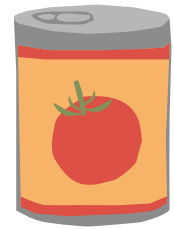
The committee would like to do a book donation/sale at a future meeting as a fundraiser, so save all those books from your summer reading and more information will follow!

Debbie Riley, Chair





Holiday Giving



School has started, and the Holiday Giving committee is preparing for the upcoming canned food drive. Last year we delivered 14,000 lbs. of food and boxes of toys to HNS and several holiday baskets to homebound seniors. We are looking for a few good Philo sisters to join us! Please let Brianne know if you are interested - brianne.c.smith@gmail.com.

Blood Drive

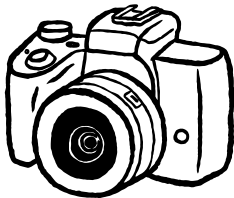
Philo had a successful blood drive August 15th. We had 16 donors and thanks to our great committee, lots of yummy treats!

We again thank Grace Community Church for the free use of their building and warm hospitality.

Look for information on our next drive November 21st.



Florence Doksansky, chair



History/Yearbook

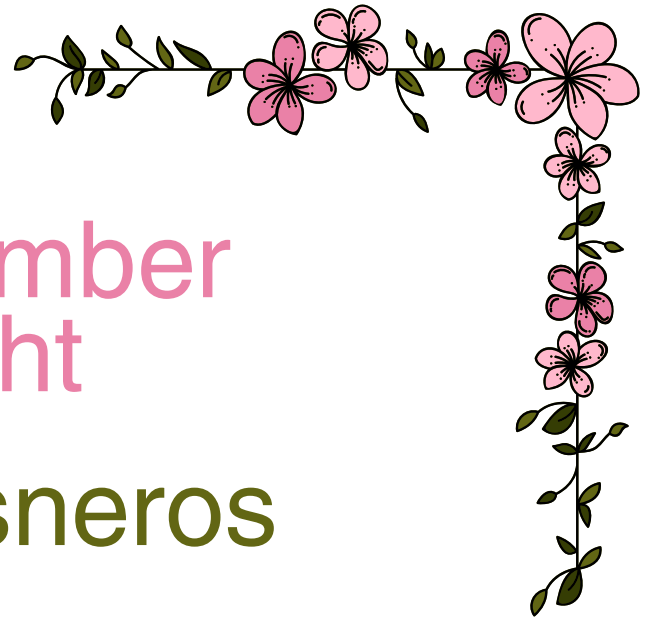
The Philo Yearbook 2022-2023 is coming soon, but we are already thinking ahead to the new year.

Each of you should consider yourself as a reporter and photographer for the yearbook. Whenever you are participating in a Philo event, take out your phone and snap a couple of pictures. Then send the pictures to PhiloPublicity@gmail.com with the subject "Yearbook."

This summer I have received a box of memorabilia, primarily related to the Philo Home Tour. The notebooks from 1983 to 2000 record the time and effort that went into this fund-raising event. Just finding five or six different homes each year boggles my mind. Over 75 Philo and community members opened their homes to the public! The 2000 Home Tour featured my own neighborhood.

My job is to preserve both our past and our present. I never reject a contribution of Philo materials. They enrich our understanding of Philo's long heritage. I look forward to celebrating all of our current efforts in the next yearbook. I appreciate your cooperation in both.

Linda Stangel, Chair



Active Member Spotlight

Juanita Cisneros

I joined Philo in 2005 at the invitation of my dear friend, Jeanne Findley. I have served as monthly hostess several times, and initially joined the Christmas Basket Committee. As a new member, I was a bit confused about how the committee worked, and my family and I ended up delivering 8 baskets around Loveland in a blizzard! Our then president, Doreen MacDonald, awarded me with a special certificate she made for going above and beyond by "schlepping through the snow," to get them all delivered. I had the honor of serving as Philo President from 2011-2012, and worked with many great members on other committees. Philo has changed over the years; "back in the day" meetings were held twice a month and were often the only social and educational outlet for many women. Although there have been changes and some challenges to our organization, Philo still offers a fulfilling way to help in our community and form lasting bonds with so many wonderful women.





Sunshine



We sincerely hope that the summer has been good for all. It seems to be flying by as we see kids going back to school and Halloween decorations on the shelf! For several of our members the summer months have been bittersweet as losses and health issues have entered their lives.

Over the last few months we have sent cards or condolences to Sally Moninger and Pat Farnham at the passing of their mother, Toni Wallace at the passing of her Son-in-Law, Stevie Benkendorf for continued healing following back surgery, Jan Frame at the passing of her husband Bill, Sue Lussenhop at the passing of her father and her mother-in-Law, and Amy Black at the sudden passing of her father John Boose.

We certainly continue to send our thoughts and prayers to all of these wonderful ladies.

We would like to wish a belated birthday to our summer born members and upcoming birthday wishes to our September ladies:

June

Karen Leu
 Joyce Mathias
 Nancy Guffey
 Gay Sennett
 Susan Linden
 Nicole Jernigan
 Linda Stangel
 Judy Grommon
 Corrine Adams
 Beth Soderquist
 Jan Frame
 RaeJean Sendek
 DeeDee Warnock
 Janice Farley
 Karen Vinal
 Maureen (Mo) Reilly

July

Marsha Reed
 Glenna Bliss-Cook
 Heather Brown
 Shirley Hogan
 Myrna McIntosh
 Elaine Persichitte
 Lynn Hendrickson
 Trudy Eckhardt

August

Natalie Parker
 Phyllis McCormack
 Nancy Roe
 Kathy Leonard
 Carol Watt
 Gerry Henderson
 Debbie Riley
 Jeanne Westermann
 Stevie Benkendorf
 MaryAnn Lane
 Jeanne Findley
 Mary Kay Spangler
 Sue Taigman
 Becky Aldrich
 Carol Reiser

September

Eileen Huddle
 Linda Anderson
 Jamie Powell
 Barbara Giesey
 Lorie Smith
 Marne Engelking
 Karen Pielin



Remember that your Sunshine teams are ready to celebrate your joys and help with your woes. Feel free to contact either Cindy Kurtz at 970-962-6832 or ckurtz1962@gmail.com or Amy Black at 970-412-0250 or blackamyb@hotmail.com.

Please let us know of any information worthy of a card or help for our members.