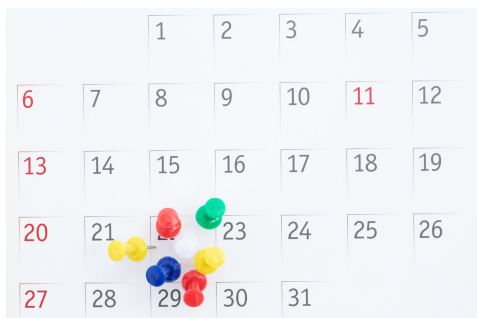


Philo News

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

General Meeting
September 13 @ 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 17
November	October 22
December	None
January '23	December 17
February	January 21
March	February 18
April	March 18
May	April 22

Send to philopublicity@gmail.com;
 Call Amy Black at 970-412-0250 with
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President's Message

WELCOME BACK TO A NEW YEAR WITH PHILO! I am so looking forward to a year where we can meet regularly in person, continue to support our community and each other, and have some fun. It was a busy summer for some committees after the fun Spring Appreciation Social. Thank you, Jeannie and your committee. Wasn't the line dancing fun? DOWH had their Food Truck Rally. It was an extremely hot day, but everyone survived and it was good to see all the Philo sisters out supporting them. You are a very hard working group. Then in July was the Golf Tournament. It was a great success! Hats off to them. I won't say any more about that. Beth will fill in the blanks at the meeting. Last but not least, Integrated Early Childhood has completed their first task of the year, and Debbie will give us that update with a little fun at the meeting.

Please remember dues are due at the September meeting. They are \$50 for active and \$35 for honorary. We accept cash, check, credit card or Zelle which is a bank to bank transfer. If you cannot be at the meeting, please send a check to our P.O. Box or go to our website to pay.

Because of the craziness of the last 2 years, the board has decided to do a review of some of the bylaws to refresh our memories. Article IV, section 3, A, 1 reads: A member who wishes to hold active status must pay annual dues, attend a minimum of 5 regularly scheduled meetings a year, sign up for at least one committee and participate in major club events. This is not meant to point a finger at anyone. Every month I will post another bylaw.

Again, welcome and let's have some fun along with making our community better!

Judy



History/Yearbook

COMING SOON...from the Yearbook/History Committee

Watch your email for the 2021-2022 Philo Yearbook! See what we have accomplished in the past year—in spite of COVID. The yearbook pages document the fact that we are “Better Together.”

Creation of the yearbook is a collaborative effort, working together with the Publicity and Newsletter committees. PhiloPublicity@gmail.com is a repository for photos and articles submitted to those committees and shared among them. Particular recognition goes to Dana Weiss for donating her time and resources to produce the yearbook in its professional format.

Alternatives to Violence

Fresh Start Baskets for ATV



Items for ATV clients moving into
their first apartments



- KITCHEN AND LAUNDRY ITEMS**
 - Dish soap
 - Cleaning solution/ wipes
 - Kitchen towels and dish cloths
 - Laundry Soap
- BATH AND BEDROOM ITEMS**
 - Shampoo/ Conditioner
 - Twin Sheets
 - Toilet / bath cleaning supplies
- OTHER OPTIONS**
 - Gift cards
 - Sanitary products
 - Paper towels
 - Toilet Paper
 - Hand/ body soap
 - Hair brush and comb
 - Bath towels and washclothes



**TAKE A PICTURE! KEEP THIS LIST
WITH YOU AS YOU SHOP! THIS IS
AN ONGOING SUPPLY DRIVE
THROUGH OUT THE YEAR**

September is here and ATV is gearing up to collect items for the "Fresh Start Baskets" Hopefully you had time over the summer to find items off of the ATV "Fresh Start" wish list. Please bring your items to any of our general meetings.

A new request has been made of Philo's ATV committee. Alison Hade from the City of Loveland is in the process of opening a homeless shelter and needs travel size toiletries and feminine products. We are asking you to please provide what you can of these items. Just bring to the general meeting.

Thank you!!

Ruth Swanty, Vice-Chairperson

Blood Drive

There was a successful Blood Drive on August 16th at Grace Community Church in Loveland. We had all the slots filled with donors! A huge thank you to Philo, and both Grace and Zion church members for their gift of life! Did you know that one pint of blood can now help up to 3 people?! We heard that the day before our drive, someone needed 64 pints of blood at MCR! This is an essential gift of life!!!

The next drive will be November 15th! Look for announcements and contact Florence Doksansky, at 401-524-0772, if you are interested in donating.



Integrated Early Childhood

We will be having a “Back to School” theme at our September meeting. Remember the excitement of shopping for school supplies and clothes and seeing everyone after the long break? We are requesting you bring a donation of unisex pants, shorts, socks and toddler underwear. If you are not into shopping, you can make a donation and the committee will shop for you! These will stock the school cupboards for a change of clothes when accidents occur.

The committee met in July to purchase and assemble 120 school bags for the preschoolers in Head Start. The colorful bags will be delivered by the teachers to the students during an initial home visit. The district is once again requesting play costumes for the classrooms. There is material left from previous years and the committee needs someone with sewing skills to please step forward. There are patterns and able bodied assistants to help. We are off to a great start, but could use more members if anyone is interested.

Debbie Riley, Chairperson





Sunshine



Where has this summer gone?!

It has been a relatively quiet summer for the sunshine committee. Since I've taken on the role as chair for this committee, I have only sent out two cards over the summer months.

A sympathy card was sent to honorary member Becky Aldrich on the passing of her mom, Jan Burton, a Philo Emeritus member.

A "Thinking of You" card was sent to Shirley Hogan after she suffered an injury from a fall on her way to the Sculpture show.

There were many birthdays to celebrate over the summer - here goes:

June

Karen Leu
Joyce Mathias
Nancey Guffey
Gay Sennett
Susan Linden
Nicole Jernigan
Landa Stangel
Judy Grommon
Corrine Adams
Beth Soderquist
Jan Frame
RaeJean Sendek
DeeDee Warnock
Janice Farley
Karen Vinal

July

Marsha Reed
Dana Weiss
Glenna Bliss-Cook
Heather Brown
Shirley Hogan
Myrna McIntosh
Denise Rhoades
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

And coming up ...

September

Gretchen Bennett
Eileen Huddle
Linda Anderson
Jamie Powell
Patti Gabelman
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.