

NEWSLETTER

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Dues Deadline is Approaching

Here's a reminder that according to Philo bylaws, the annual dues are to be paid in September and no later than the November meeting.

Please remember to bring your payment to the October meeting.

Make your check payable to Philo. Active member dues remain at \$35 and Honorary member dues at \$15.

If you prefer, you can drop a check in the mail.

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Got News?

For future reference, here are the deadlines for submitting content for the monthly newsletters. Stay in touch! Send articles to me as a Word document, or simply in the body of an email.

Send to Juanitalvl@icloud.com

Please call if you have any questions. Juanita Cisneros 970-663-3642 if you have any questions.

<u>Month</u>	Content Deadline
November	October 22
January	December 10
February	January 21
March	February 18
April	March 25
May	April 22



Sunshine Committee

No news is good news! Nothing to report!

Kay Robinson, Sunshine Committee Chair





CANNED FOOD DRIVE COMMITTEE

The Canned Food Drive Committee is off and running for 2016!

Ruth Sprain updated our promotional materials from last year. They were a big hit with the schools and we are looking forward to increasing their usefulness this year. They provide great information about who needs the food, what type of donations are most helpful, and who receives the donated items and how. We will again work with the school district to provide approved posters to all the participating schools in the district.

Good news from the House of Neighborly Service – they will have enough boxes for our canned food drive this year – that's a huge relief!

Box pickup is scheduled for Thursday, October 27. We will deliver the boxes to the schools on November 1 so they may start the monthlong drive.

Food pickup at the schools will be Thursday, December 1. At the October meeting we will send around signup sheets for food sorting helpers and snack providers for Friday, December 2 and Saturday, December 3.

Your support and effort will be gratefully accepted as our club strives to bring food to as many in our community as possible!

Denise Rhodes, Chairwoman,

Canned Food Drive Committee

Message from our President

Happy Fall!!

There is a slight chill in the air but our season is just about to heat up. The beginning of the year is a very active time in our Philo year. We will start right out of the gate with the Shopping Extravaganza.

Please remember that this fundraiser is only one of two activities we do during the season to earn money for all of the committees that we run throughout the year. The Shopping Extravaganza is a time to shop, eat and pamper yourself all for a very low price of \$20.00. On top of that your chances to win great prizes are very good. Heck, why not bring a few friends along too?

We also are gearing up for the upcoming canned food drive and holiday gift basket delivery. It seems so far away but we will be in the thick of it soon.

I'd also like to give a very special shout out to the golf committee. I failed to give them the kudos they greatly deserve in my last message. They had a VERY successful tournament and netted over \$14,000 for this year's scholarships.

We are grateful for all of the hard work and dedication that you have given to this fundraiser that is so important to our community commitments.

I'm looking forward to seeing you all on October 11.

Regards,

Cindy Kurtz, 2016-17 Philo President



FALL SHOPPING

Join your friends for a day of SHOPPING, SAVINGS, PRIZES and FUN!

Once again Philo will be participating in the Shopping Extravaganza event at the Outlets at Loveland! This occasion has been a very successful fundraiser for us and it has always provided an opportunity to spend a day together having a great time.

The Outlets at Loveland

Saturday, October 15, 2016
Registration 10:00-Noon
Event Hours: 10:00-4:00
Exclusive discounts
Over \$10,000 in prizes and giveaways
Lunch
Dessert
Wine tasting
Manicures
\$20 per ticket (Philo makes \$10 per each) Make checks payable to Outlets at Loveland

Tickets will be available at the October meeting. It is very important we purchase at least 50 tickets to the event. This allows us to receive proceeds from the drawings (raffles), which is where we benefit the most from this fundraiser. Currently 20 tickets have been purchased, so we have a ways to go. If you don't have your ticket yet, please consider attending this fun event and bring a friend! If you are unable to attend, there is an option of donating \$20 to Philo. The Shopping Extravaganza, which usually raises around \$2,000, is one of only two fundraisers (the other being the Duck Race) Philo has to cover all of our committee expenses. Let's make this our most successful fall fundraiser yet and surpass what we have raised in the past! Please call me if you are unable to attend the October meeting, but would like to purchase a

Cathy Carroll, Chairwoman, Fall Shopping Committee

ticket. 303-250-7931





Dine Out With Heart is off to a great start! **Chef Clay Caldwell** of mo' Betta Gumbo hosted our kickoff party on Monday, October 3. The amazing Cajun cuisine and rockin' sounds of <u>The Felonius Smith Trio</u> made for a great event!

Please visit the participating establishments during the first two weeks of this month. We are delighted with the response from our area partners!

Are you on Facebook? Please take a moment and follow <u>Dine Out With Heart</u>. Your likes and shares help spread the word about this opportunity to support the fight against hunger here in our community.

Join us this Saturday, October 8 from 8a – 10a at **Applebee's** for the <u>DOWH</u> <u>Pancake Feed</u>. Applebee's will be serving up yummy pancakes to support Dine Out With Heart's mission to eliminate hunger in our community. One-half of the proceeds from the pancake feed will be donated to Dine Out With Heart!

Big, big thanks to **Rob Smith** of solvvAgency, who has graciously given his time and talent to make our amazing branding in print and digital media!

Upcoming events:

<u>Tuesday, Oct. 11</u> – **Rock Bottom Tapping** – For four weeks, Rock Bottom will donate a percentage of their proceeds from a new beer tapping. On opening day at 5pm, Kathy will be honoring Dine Out With Heart with a brief talk and patrons will receive a free beer from the tapping.

Friday, Oct. 14 – Loveland Aleworks – Finale at Aleworks at 5pm to celebrate the last day of the fundraiser and the hard work done by all Philo members.

Diane McInturff, Co-Chair

Integrated Early Childhood Committee

In late August the Integrated Early Childhood Committee members filled 141 Dr. Seuss themed literacy bags each with alphabet cards, crayons, markers, pencil sharpeners, erasers, writing boards, scissors, glue, water colors and stickers. Teachers take these bags to Head Start children's homes at the beginning of the school year and share with families how to use these helpful tools. The Philo literacy bags have become a welcomed annual gift and the children, families and Early Childhood teachers are very appreciative.

Susan Kuhn, Chairwoman, Integrated Early Childhood Committee



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Marge McCoy & Jamie Powell

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