

# NEWSLETTER

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### **Sunshine Committee**

Nothing new to report!

Our team always welcomes phone calls concerning events in our members' lives. Before contacting us please check with the member to be sure they are comfortable with having the info shared with the group.

Respectfully Submitted,
Kay Robinson, Chairwoman
Betty Brammer, Co-Chairwoman



## **Rotary Duck Race Ticket Sales**



Be a super QUACKER by purchasing your Duck Tickets!!

## 7 tickets for \$20.00

80% supports Philo 20% supports Rotary

Rotary purchases tablets for the schools' use rather than dictionaries.

The May dinner will be your last opportunity to purchase your

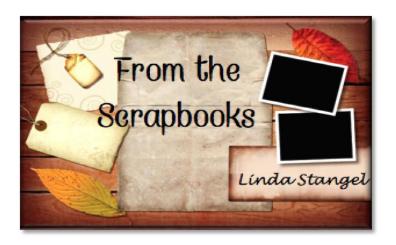
## WINNING

**Duck Tickets** 

Marthann Dahlen, Chairwoman, Rotary Duck Ticket Committee 689-4191

Mary Voggesser, Co-Chairwoman, 669-2245





In preparation for our 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary, I have been asked to verify significant dates in Philo's history. Going back to my notes, the scrapbooks, newsletters, and yearbooks, I have compiled this list. Let me know if you notice the "special" event.

#### Memorable firsts:

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Organization of the Philomatheon Club					
First Christmas Basket					
Vo-Tech Scholarship					
Loveland Community Blood Bank					
Canned Food Drive at schools (Conrad Ball)					
Alternatives to Violence apartment					
First official Philo newsletter was published					
Rotary Duck Ticket Sales					
Sunshine Teams created					
Women's Amateur Golf Scramble					
Philo Internet Address created					
Linda Stangel joined Philo					
Shopping Extravaganza					
Loveland Chamber of Commerce membership					
Dine Out With Heart					
Significant Philo activities:					
	Meeting room at First National Bank				
1982	Philo Style Show				
1987	Santa Claus Shop				
	Spring Home Tour				
	Holiday Mart				
	Holiday Boutique				
	Artists' Charitable Fund				
	S.H.A.R.P. training				
	Garage Sale				
2009	Girls' Night Out				
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The Spring Appreciation committee is excited for this year's event.

Get out your poodle skirts, pedal pushers and saddle shoes! Everyone should have received their invitations to our Rock and Roll Diner!

Let's go down Memory Lane with our favorite tunes from the 50's!

50's clothing is optional but we encourage everyone to join in!

Dinner is \$35 and drink tickets are \$5 each. See you then!

Thanks, Lynn McDonough, Philo Spring Appreciation Dinner Committee





## Philo Book Club

The books and probably discussion leaders for 2017 are:

The Philo Book Club meets on the last Thursday of the month at 10:15 at Group Publishing. Members and friends are welcome. For more information call Susan Linden at (970) 667-5812.

Date	Title	Author	No. of Pages	Leader
1/26	Big Little Lies	Liane Moriarty	512	Gerry Henderson
2/23	The Dinner	Herman Koch	320	Anne Anderson
3/30	The Magic Strings of Frank Presto	Mitch Albom	497	Helen Wilson
4/27	Inside the O'Brien's	Lisa Genova	335	Debbie Riley
5/25	Coronado's Trail	Carl and Jane Bock	364	Sharon Peterson
6/29	The Sparrow	Mary Doria Russell	408	Syd Fancher
7/27	Spider Woman's Daughter	Anne Hillerman	368	Loveland Loves to Read 2017
8/31	Me Before You**	JoJo Moyes	448	Kathy Loken
9/28	A Man Called Ove	Fredrik Backman	337	Susan Linden
10/26	Circling the Sun	Paula McLain	355	Diane Dynes
11/30	Nightingale*	Kristin Hannah	440	Mary Ann Lane

#### **INTEGRATED EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMITTEE**



Early Childhood Committee members participated in the annual spring literacy event at Conrad Ball Middle School on April 20. "I Love to Write Bracelets" and "I Love Reading Pins" along with early reader storybooks were given to the children.

The children colored "I Love to Write" crowns while they waited their turn to make their very own balloon animal with Jason the Balloon Man.

A big thanks to members Judy G, Eileen H., Sue T., Deb R., Miki R., Ruth S., and Pam S. who joined together at workshops this winter to cut the felt characters and cloth for career costumes, and to Marge M., Phyllis P., Judy G, and Stella T. for their seamstress work.

Thompson Early Childhood teachers received 46 career outfits (firefighter, construction worker, astronaut, mail carrier, nurse, Dr. vet, and chef) to go with the hats and helmets given previous years. Teachers also received 16 felt storybook packets for books "Little Quack Counts" and "Five Green and Speckled Frogs".

Thank you, Susan Kuhn, Chairwoman, Early Childhood Committee



## Message from our President

Dear Philo Sisters,

WOW, they say time flies when you're having fun. I just want to say that I have thoroughly enjoyed serving as your Philo president this year. As a board we took our roles seriously but we also had a lot of laughs and fellowship along the way.

I want to thank all of the members that stepped up in leadership roles as chairpersons. Without you, the success of the organization would literally be impossible. To the general membership who generously gave of your time, your talents and your monetary contributions I am greatly appreciative.

Philo successfully achieved our goals of helping out the Loveland\Berthoud communities. I know that through our endeavors we have affected many lives in a positive manner. You should all be proud of your accomplishments!

You are in great hands in the year to come. Our year of celebration should be an exciting and fun filled one. It will take a lot of hard work and planning. But after all that's what we do, right?

Hard working, fun loving and life changing. I think that about sums up the mission we have established. Thank you all for your positivity and friendship.

Kind Regards, Cindy Kurtz Philo president, 2016-2017



#### Get Ready Get Set Philo 100 Year Anniversary

It is happening and every member is an important part of the success of events to honor the 100 years of service of Philo women to the Loveland/Berthoud community. Mark your calendars, jump in and add your talents to making Philo history. Every member and committee will be asked to make an extra commitment for this year of celebration. Watch for important committee information after April 1.

Capital Appeal Campaign Mailing Philo Heart Dedication at FirstBank Philo Family Picnic DeWayne Webster Park FirstBank Employees and Families included April 18, 2017 September 10, 2017 4:00 PM September 10, 2017 4:30 PM

Pastels In Chalk

FirstBank

September 9

**Chamber of Commerce Business After Hours** Cohosted with FirstBank

October 5, 2017

Philo Meeting Highlighting 10 Decades of **Philo History** 

Community Canned Food Drive

November 14, 2017

Saturday in November, 2017

**Community Celebration** 

February 2018

**Spring Dinner Celebration** 

May 9, 2018

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