

# NEWSLETTER

#### September 2017

## Just a friendly reminder ...

#### **\$\$ DUES ARE DUE \$\$**

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 September 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. Mailing address is: Mary Starck 1906 State Highway 60 Loveland, CO 80537

Members who have achieved Emeritus status (35+ years in the organization) are not required to pay any dues but donations are always welcome and greatly appreciated.

Mary Starck, Philo Treasurer

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#### Share Your 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

#### <u>Month</u>

October November January February March April May

#### Content Deadline

September 23 October 21 December 9 January 20 February 17 March 24 April 21



## Message From Our President

Philo Members:

And so it begins! We are already getting into fall and a super year for Philo! We will spend some time this fall and winter getting into position for our 100 Year Anniversary of the start of Philo, Loveland's oldest service club. What a wonderful honor to be part of an organization that has done so much for the community in the past and today continues to make a difference in the lives of people! We have committees to work on all these inspiring projects so that the work is spread throughout the group and everyone is using their talents in the best way. Please be sure to be involved with your committee to get the most out of your Philo membership!

Speaking of committees, the Dine Out With Heart committee has been working diligently to put together the event for the first 2 weeks in October. Please talk it up to all your friends and family and post it on your Facebook page when we kick off the event. We will be trying to get more coverage in print media, Chamber website, etc., but usually word of mouth is an extremely effective campaign!

The Board has reviewed the bylaws and there are a couple of instances where we have grown lax with following the rules. We will try to get back on track, as that makes it easier to know what to expect.

The 100 Year Committee is planning a great Philo review for the January meeting. That will be the time to invite a prospective member to attend a meeting. If they are interested in joining, their application must be received by the March meeting as we vote on the applicants at the April meeting and they are invited to attend the May Spring Social and are installed as Philo members that night.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions concerning Philo. I may not know all the answers, but I will get them for you! Let's have a great year!

Miki Roth Philo President 2017-2018

Mother Teresa- "The world is full of good people. If you can't find one, be one."



Dine Out With Heart 2017 is coming October 1 – 14!

In Case You Missed It....

The DOWH committee has been working this summer to set the stage for another successful fundraiser to help fight hunger in the Loveland area. We had the great opportunity to meet with Loveland Chamber of Commerce president, Mindy McCloughan and Business Membership Director, Dixie Daly who provided us with a wealth of great suggestions for the event's continued growth and success. The Chamber will also be assisting us with our advertising and promotion.

We are excited that Rob Smith, of SolvvAgency, will again invest his time and expertise to develop our promotional materials. His creative insight takes the event's public image to a very professional level!

The participating establishment tally is currently at 22, with a few pending confirmations. This list includes several new participants who have given us some great feedback on how they'd like to make the event work best for their patrons.

**Don't miss the September Philo meeting**...we'll be ready to share our plans, the final restaurant list, and let you know how you can help support Dine Out With Heart!

#### Dona Menzies, Chairwoman, DOWH

## **Scholarship Committee**

This year, we recognized eight area individuals who received a total of \$12,500 in scholarships to continue their education.

The eight students live in the Thompson School District and are pursuing two-year or less technical/vocational degree or certificate programs. This year's winners plan to pursue careers ranging from firefighting and nursing to business and construction management.

Loveland Philo raises money for scholarships during our annual golf tournament in June. Applications for scholarships are accepted each spring. Information on both the golf tournament and the scholarships can be found at <u>www.philoloveland.org</u>.

The following students received scholarships:

- Jordan Crout of Berthoud; Front Range Community College
- Nateal Dunsmore of Loveland; Aims Community College
- Krysta Fehlmann of Loveland; Front Range Community College
- Ktanna Hinojosa of Loveland; Front Range Community College
- William Mattise-Lorenzen of Berthoud; Aims Community College
- Katie Kirkland of Loveland; Community College of Denver
- Tyler Sanders of Loveland; Front Range Community College
- Christiana Soremi of Loveland; Front Range Community College.

The Philo Club is one of the oldest service organizations in Loveland and we will celebrate our centennial anniversary in 2018. We are dedicated to our strong focus on providing support for women, youth and fighting hunger.

#### Sara Quale, Chairwoman, Scholarship Committee

### Scholarship Committee, Cont'd



**Photo:** Loveland Philo Club recognized five of its eight scholarship winners at a reception in Loveland on Tuesday night. Pictured are: Jordan Crout, William Mattise-Lorenzen; Christiana Soremi, Tyler Sanders and Krysta Fehlmann.





#### Advantages of Loveland Chamber of Commerce Membership

Philo is a member of the Loveland Chamber of Commerce. With this membership comes many benefits.

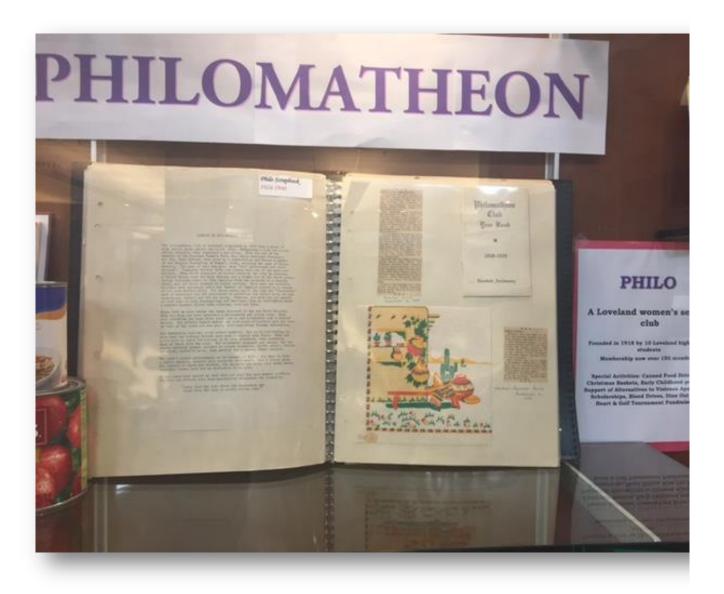
Take advantage of The Chamber Community Calendar

To submit events: Go to Loveland Chamber of Commerce home page Click on the Chamber logo On the left side bar click "calendar" Enter your information Click "submit". The grey box is very lightly colored but it does work! The Chamber will review the item before final submission.

> Questions: Contact Kathy Loken kloken@comcast.net 970-227-6823 (cell)



Thank you to Susan Linden and Myrna McIntyre for the Philo exhibit in the display case at the Loveland Library. It was there the month of August.





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. In November 2015, a dedicated committee began making plans for a centennial celebration. PINCH ME!!!! It is happening! Mark your calendar:

Loveland Philo Heart Unveiling and Dedication September 10, 2017 4:00 PM First Bank, corner of Eisenhower and Taft Ave

King Soopers dollars are being used to fund many of the special events. A special appeal mailing, April 2017, was done to fund the cost of the heart. Donations were very generous, but we are still in a negative position. Unanticipated expense for the base and installation leaves you an opportunity to donate. Be sure and mark your donation 100 Year Anniversary. Thank you to Mary Voggesser and Diane Meuret for spearheading this momentous project.

Anniversary events are an opportunity for all members to participate. It is an opportunity to think positive and outside the box as we continue to serve the Loveland/Berthoud communities for the next 100 years. Be involved!!!

Communication is critical to the success of our celebration. Watch for special Philo emails and the newsletter. Have questions....just ask!

I am humbled and proud to be your Philo sister, Kathy Loken 970-669-5399 970-227-6823 kloken@comcast.net

Anniversary Committee Members: Anne Anderson, Mary Ann Lane, Miki Roth, Dona Menzies, Cathy Carroll, Rita Harden, Diane Meuret, Mary Voggesser, Shannon Voggesser, Sue Lussenhop, Judy Grommon, Jeanne Findley, Myrna McIntosh



Event	Location	Date	Time
Philo Heart Dedication	First Bank	September 10, 2017	4:00p
Philo Family Picnic	DeWayne Webster Park	September 10, 2017	4:30p
C of C Business After Hours	Co-Host at First Bank	October 5, 2017	5:30p
Philo History Program	Regular Meeting	January 9, 2018	7:00p
Anniversary Spring Dinner	TBD	May 8, 2018	
Pastels on Fifth	Fifth Street, Loveland	September 2018	
Community Celebration	Ellis Ranch	October 20, 2018	
Traveling Philo Exhibit	TBD	TBD	
Philo Video Release	TBD	TBD	
Anniversary Canned Food Drive	TBD	TBD	



#### PHILO MEMBERS MAKE HOLE IN ONE

Jeanne Findley, April 18, 2017, #8, 127 yards at the Olde Course

Susan Trumbo, July 5, 2017, #4, 110 yards at Mariana Butte

#### CONGRATULATIONS!!





Come and bring all your friends for a fun day of shopping and fellowship!

Once again Philo will be participating in the Shopping Extravaganza Event at the Outlets at Loveland! Not only has this event been a very successful fundraiser for us, but it has always provided an opportunity to spend a day together having a great time.

- The Outlets at Loveland
- Saturday, October 21, 2017
- Registration 10-Noon
- Event Hours: 10-4
- Exclusive discounts and a goodie bag
- Over \$10,000 in prizes and giveaways
- Lunch
- Dessert
- Wine tasting
- Manicures and maybe shoulder massages
- \$20 per ticket (Philo makes \$10 per ticket)

Tickets will be available for purchase at the September and October meetings. **Bring your own address labels to save time filling out tickets.** Checks are to be made out to the Outlets at Loveland. It is very important we purchase at least 50 tickets to the event. This allows Philo to receive proceeds from the drawings (raffles), which is how we benefit the most from this event. If you are unable to attend, there is an option of donating \$20 or more to Philo.

If you can't stay the entire time, I will be glad to turn your winning tickets in for your prizes and then get them to you.

Don't forget to bring a check or cash to the September or October meeting!

## \*\*\*BONUS!!!\*\*\* The first 50 members to purchase 1 ticket or more may have a jar of my homemade Chokecherry or Elderberry jelly!

#### Kay Robinson, Chairwoman, Shopping Extravaganza

#### \*\*\*PLEASE NOTE\*\*\*

I could use a little help at the September meeting, 2 people collecting money starting at 6:30 pm.

### **Sunshine Committee**

Hello, Philo Ladies!

Keep Shirley Hogan, Rita Harden, and Anne Anderson in your thoughts. All are recovering and things are lookin' up!

When you hear of a Philo member in need of meals, a support card, or a ride to one of our meetings or events, please think to call on the Sunshine Committee.

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, Betty Brammer, Chairwoman 970-412-0465 Mary Ann Lane, Co-Chairwoman 970-461-4911



#### A Note of Thanks

I got the lovely invitation to the Philo event. I realize you did not ask for RSVP's but I wanted you to know that if I could I would definitely be there. The Rotary youth group is having a BBQ at my house at the exact same time, so I will not be able to attend.

The Philo Club is an amazing group and I am so impressed by all that you do! Please let the others know how sorry I am that I can't be there to support you.

Warmest regards, Dixie Schmatz, Ph.D.

