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Integrated Early Childhood Committee

At the Thompson School District Early Childhood Christmas Breakfast, Philo Early Childhood Committee members delivered presents of preschool level books (collected at the Philo Holiday party plus additional books obtained by Peg Isakson) and sweet treats for the teachers.



Dine Out With Heart

Philo is scheduled to pack for KidsPak bags on February the 17th at 8:45 to about 10:15 at 2600 Lincoln (behind the Fed Ex building). We need at least 15 packers and we have 13 signed up presently. The more packers we have the faster it goes. KidsPak is averaging about 523 bags. Women have an option to sit to pack if needed. To sign up, let Dona Menzies know or sign up at the February 9th general Philo meeting.

Thanks!

Dona Menzies, Chairwoman
Dine Out With Heart

Mark Your Calendar!

February General Meeting

7:00 PM Tuesday, February 9

Trinity Lutheran Church

Church will be open at 6 for committee meetings

KidsPak Packing

February 17

8:45 am at 2600 N Lincoln Avenue

Blood Drive

February 23

First United Methodist Church

9:00 am – 1:00 pm



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

February is always a great month for Lovelanders. So many city traditions and events are celebrated during this month. At Philo we are gearing up for some spring and summer events and celebrating success from winter endeavors. At the beginning of our February meeting we will enjoy meeting some of the community members who assisted us in the restaurants during our Dine Out With Heart event this past October. In March the committee will report out more about how the money raised benefitted our community.

The Philo February meeting will have a guest speaker, Melinaa Koslow Peterson, who is a recipient of blood from one of our Blood Drives. Her story is very compelling and will be introduced by Christina DiGiallonardo of the Garth Englund Blood Center. Christina partners with Jan and Florence five times a year to make our drives a success. Also joining us will be Angela Wilson who is a regular donor at our Philo drives, who donated blood to save Melinda's life and whose son has been a recipient of one of our scholarships. We hope Wes will have time to join us as well. This is such an amazing story of how our programs intersect to help our Loveland community!

Please make sure you see the information in this month's newsletter about Committee Sign-ups. While it may seem early to start thinking about this, there are steps we need to take now to be ready for this process.

We'll see you at the meeting!

Best Regards,
Nita Starr
Philo President 2015-2016

Sunshine Committee Report



Barb Worden (Honorary) -

Condolence card on her husband's passing before Christmas.

Cindy Kurtz - Congratulations on the birth of her grandson.

Julie Mahaffy - Condolence card on her mother's passing in Nebraska.

Anne Anderson - Condolence card on the loss of her grandson in Alaska.

Nancy Guffey (Honorary) - Get well card on a knee replacement before Thanksgiving and a second knee replacement in the middle of January.

Miki Roth - Congratulations on receiving the Heart Award from the Loveland Chamber of Commerce.

Marthann Dahlen, Chairwoman
Sunshine Committee

Newsletter Info!!



Stay in touch! Send articles to me as a word document, or simply in the body of an email. Send to juanitalv1@icloud.com

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

Philo Newsletter Calendar:

<u>Month</u>	<u>Content Deadline</u>
March	February 20
April	March 26
May	April 23



Committee Sign-ups

Committee sign-ups for 2016/2017 will be conducted online again as we did last year. The sign-up window will probably be the last two weeks of March (specific dates to be determined.) We will conduct a brief training refresher at the March general meeting. We will also publish the written step-by-step instructions in the March newsletter for your reference.

To better facilitate the sign-up process, we realized that we need to preload the new chair and co-chair positions before opening up the committee sign-ups to everyone. Therefore we need each of the committees to submit your new chair and co-chair names to us prior to the middle of March.

Thanks!
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From the Historian Committee

Linda Stangel and Sara Quale will accept your yearbooks, news clippings, programs, photos, and other memorabilia at any Philo meeting. Thanks for contributions from Sue Lussenhop and Trudy Eckhardt.

The following is an article from the *Reporter-Herald*, February, 1998:

Contest chooses royalty--

Roger Clark and Helen Wilson were named the king and queen of hearts Friday night at the Have a Heart Ball, a fundraiser for Hospice of Larimer County and the Loveland Philomatheon Club.

Organizers held a contest to choose the cutest boy and girl babies from 10 photos of community leaders. No one knew for sure who the babies were until contestants were announced at the close of the evening.

"The contest was a lot of fun. There was a lot of talk among everybody all night long trying to guess," said Kristin Bohlender, manager of community relations for Hospice.

The ball raised \$4,500.

The Historian Committee
Linda Stangel and Sara Quale

2015-2016 YEARBOOK CORRECTIONS:

One new correction to a member's information in the yearbook is as follows:

Lin Stokes – Primary phone number is **667-8004**, delete secondary number (980-0702)

Someone sent Trudy an e-mail with an update to their member information. Trudy has been having some e-mail issues and cannot locate the message nor can she remember who sent it. If you sent a change request to Trudy and it is not listed here, please send it again. Copy both Trudy and Peggy on your e-mail.

In addition, following is a summary of all of the corrections to the yearbook information so far this year. Please make a note of the changes in your copy.

Membership Directory:

Diane Bakel - alternate phone number: **443-2101**

M.J. Bergstrand – alternate phone number: **916-871-8760**

Margaret Crespo – alternate phone number: **613-5059**

Cindy Kurtz – alternate phone number: **667-9092**

MaryAnn Lane – alternate phone number: **690-9845**

Karen Leu – alternate phone number: **482-2525**

Denise Olson - alternate phone number: **227-3633**

Trish Malik – phone number: **219-3690**

Denise Rhodes - no longer uses home phone:

delete 663-3072

Ruth Sprain – address: **5260 Crabapple Ct.,**

Loveland, CO 80538

Jennifer Wilson - address: **5845 Clearwater Dr.**

Loveland, CO 80538 and

Phone: **970-290-0209**

Sue Lussenhop - delete phone number 663-0568.

Keep cell phone number as listed **481-0453**.

Cathy Carroll – delete phone number 461-

0286. Keep cell number **303-250-7931**.

“Officer” page: Under “Newsletter”: Juanita Cisneros’ e-mail address is now

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Peggy Pellizzari & Trudy Eckhardt

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Presenting the Philo Board of Officers for 2015-2016

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