

NEWSLETTER

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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: starckm@msn.com

Please call if you have any questions.

Mary Starck - 970-214-4332

<u>Month</u>	Content Deadline
December	none
January	Dec. 21
February	Jan. 28
March	Feb. 22
April	Mar. 21
May	Apr. 25
June, July & Au	ıg. none

Mark Your Calendar!

General Meeting Tuesday, Nov. 12, 7 pm Trinity Lutheran Church

Facility will be open from 6 pm to 7 pm for committee meetings.



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Message From Our President

Fall is officially here! The weather is cooler outside, the leaves are changing (and falling), we are on the cusp of the holiday season, and Philo is kicking it into high gear with canned food drives and food baskets. This year really has flown by! It is about that time when you want to cozy up with a good book and de-stress.

So it is fitting that our next Philo meeting, November 12th, is National Chicken Soup for the Soul Day. This is a celebration of YOU! It is a celebration you are, where you've been, where you're going, and who you will be thankful to when you get there.

With the stress of the holiday season coming up I'd like us all to reflect on the value and healing of chicken soup, or whatever it is that makes you feel warm and comfy, and share with your fellow Philo sisters at our next meeting. What is it that you enjoy when you are feeling overwhelmed and stressed? What is your "food" for your soul? What re-energizes you when you feel drained? For myself, I cannot think of just one. When I have had a long hard day at work or life, a nice long hot shower (if I can manage one without anyone coming in to ask me questions) is so claming. If I am sick in bed, ice cream is the only answer! And if I just need to recharge in general, a big warm blanket, a good book, and a temporally empty house will do the trick.....and maybe add some ice cream in there for good measure! Here's to a stress free holiday season!

Shannon

PUMPKIN CHEESECAKE LASAGNA

INGREDIENTS:

2 (8 oz) block cream cheese, softened

½ cup sugar

1 cup heavy cream

2 cups whole milk

3 (3.4 oz) packages instant vanilla pudding mix

1 cup pumpkin puree

12 graham cracker sheets

½ cup caramel

Chopped pecans for garnish

DIRECTIONS:

- 1. In large bowl using had mixer or stand mixer with whisk attachment, beat cream cheese and sugar until light and fluffy. Slowly add heavy cream and beat until stiff peaks form.
- 2. In a medium bowl, whisk together milk, pudding mix, pumpkin and pumpkin pie spice until smooth and thick.
- 3. Assemble lasagna: Spread a thin layer of cream cheese mixture in a 9x13 inch baking dish. Top with a layer of six graham crackers. Add half of pudding mixture and top with half of cream cheese mixture. Drizzle with half of caramel and repeat, ending with cream cheese layer (reserve remaining caramel until ready to serve).
- 4. Cover loosely with plastic wrap and refrigerate at least 4 hours and up to overnight,
- 5. Drizzle with remaining caramel and garnish with pecans before serving.

Enjoy! Judy Grommon



November

Stacee Kersley 4 Kathie Lizardi 14 Peggy Pellizzari 5 Toni Wallace 15 Terri Dimond 5 Dianna Boehner 19 Judy Quadhamer 6 Marilyn Heth 20 Pam Stevens 9 Brianne Smith 20 Sue Lussenhop 22 Cindy Kurtz 11 Betty Brammer 13 Sharon Sheets 26 Lisbeth Sethre 28 Iann Carithers 28

No report

Any Philo needs, happy or sad, call:

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Sunshine Committee

TREASURER NOTES

Membership Dues:

Dues for the 2019-2020 remain \$35 for Active Members and \$15 for Honorary Members and can be made by check, cash or credit card. If you have not yet paid your dues, be sure to make your payment no later than the November meeting. If you will not be at the November meeting, you may mail your check to: Philo, PO Box 484, Loveland, CO 80539. If you would like to pay your dues by credit card, please call me at 970-231-7844.

KingSoopers Community Rewards Update:

We now have 14 households supporting Philo! Those 14 households earned our organization \$129 last quarter. If haven't already, please link your King Soopers loyalty card to Philo.

Thank you for your support,

Stephanie Butts

CHRISTMAS FOOD BASKETS

Philo Members please consider signing to sponsor a Christmas Food Basket this year. We still need help and you could either adopt a family or senior and/or make a donation to help support the gift cards that Phil provides.

If you are interested please sign up before the next meeting in November.

You can email one of the committee members (Tammy) at <u>tideasmith@gmail.com</u> with the number of families or seniors you are interested in adopting this year. Donations can be made at the next meeting or sent to Philo's Treasurer Stephanie Butts.

We will give members information about the family/senior they sponsor at the next meeting or mail them if you are unable to attend.

Thanks as always for your help with this program.

Sincerely,

The Christmas Food Basket Committee

Eat, Give, Love!

November is all of this and so is giving blood! Our community is always in need. Philo is committed to helping out with this need...as we do for so many other community needs. We need you, your support and bring a friend! Come to First United Methodist Church at 533 Grant Street. November 19th, 9am-1pm. We'll feed you, support you and high five you.

Thanks, MJ

New Philo Season - Website Updates Needed!

Since we have embarked on our 2019-2020 Philo year we want to have up to date information on our Philo website. We have reviewed the current information and some of it is quite outdated. If you have any updated posters, photos, or information for your committee please send it to Denise Rhoades, denisee@lpbroadband.net and Peggy Pellizzari peggy_loveland@comcast.net so we can post these updates to the Philo website. www.philoloveland.org

Thanks,

Denise

GREETINGS!

I know with the cold November winds blowing most of you might not be thinking about Golf! But, in 8 short months, on June 26 we will be basking in the sun and admiring our superb shots at The Olde Course. The theme this year is "Girls Club". As always, we need everyone to help out. Even if you are not on the committee please be thinking of a least 3 potential sponsors and/or donors. Small donations, large donations—we want them all! And we want your help! More donations, more golfers means more scholarship \$\$.



DON'T FORGET OUR BOOK FAIR

Barnes & Noble
Saturday November 16th
11am – 5pm
Be sure to do your Christmas shopping, invite
your friends and family!

Judy Gangle

DUCK ALERT!!!!

Look for Rotary Duck Race Tickets Sales to begin in January.

Linda Stangel

MERRY CHRISTMAS 70 ALL!!

PHILO CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 10th

Complete information coming soon.