



Santa Clara Women's League  
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### ***President's Message: Nancy Velasco***

Happy New Year everyone!!! I'm wishing each and every one of you a happy and healthy 2023. Let's continue to be kind, grateful and positive to each other. Every day is a gift.

Showtime 2023 is just a little more than two months away. Please invite your family, friends and service organization members to join in on the fun, prizes and food.

Our next general meeting is **Tuesday, January 10<sup>th</sup>**, 1:00pm at the Santa Clara Senior Center. I hope you can join us as we'll be voting on a new second vice president.

I'm looking forward to seeing all of you January 10<sup>th</sup> and at Breakfast Club on **Tuesday January 17<sup>th</sup>** at Mission City Grill.

### ***SHOWTIME UPDATES***

Only two months until Showtime so we need as many members as possible to attend our January 10<sup>th</sup> general meeting. The committee will report as to where we are now and what we need help with over the next two months. If you have finished your opportunity basket, please bring it for Mallory to store and if you need empty baskets, we will have many there for you to choose from. Thank you to members who have sent us cash donations for Showtime as this helps with our expenses. At the January 10<sup>th</sup> meeting you will receive the tickets for the Cash Prize raffle (taking the place of Entertainment packages). Each member gets 24 tickets to either purchase or sell to others. Price remains the same - \$2 each or 6 for \$10. If you cannot attend the meeting, we will mail you the tickets. Please come to the meeting and hear about all the exciting changes to Showtime this year.

Your Showtime Committee:

Emily Adorable and Nancy Velasco, Showtime co-chairs. Committee chairs: Diane Jones, Cyndy Rice, Marti Ragone, Georgia Sutter, Sharon Andrzejewski, Judy Hubbard, Kathy Del Pino, Mallory von Kugelgen. Showtime Director: Robin Burdick

### ***SCWL BYLAWS REVIEW***

You received the Bylaws revision last month with the newsletter. Please look them over and if you have suggestions or concerns, please come to our general meeting on January 10 at 1 PM when we will discuss the suggestions and vote on them. This is a VERY important meeting and we would like to have as many members as possible. Please come!!!

### ***Basket Time!***

Okay, parties are over - let's get to work!! We're about halfway to our goal of 20 Opportunity Baskets for Showtime. Hurray! We are looking for 10 baskets per performance; I need 11 more. Each basket should be centered on a theme with some goodies and a gift card. To date, some of our themes are an Eatery basket, gardening, and a Mystery Cash basket. I am collecting baskets now, and the deadline is February 3<sup>rd</sup>. If you only have the contents, that's okay - I have spare baskets. I need to know the contents of your basket and the total retail value, please. Contact me with your planned contribution ASAP and many thanks!

## Notes from the Nurses

We hope everyone had a wonderful holiday. Many thanks to the Santa Clara Women's League for making sure our participants in the Senior Nutrition Program had a good one, too. We heard raves about the luncheon provided on December 14. It was a chance for many just returning to the Senior Center to reunite with old friends, and for others, this was their only celebration. So thank you for your generosity in making it a great party. Now ~ on to a new year. Here's hoping 2023 gives us a chance to catch our breath! Peace to you all, Mallory, Jodi, & Larisa

Our January general meeting speaker is the co-founder of Stepping Stones. Her name is Jane Selig. She will give a 15 minute presentation at the beginning of our January Meeting.

**Stepping Stones** is a nonprofit organization which deals with end of life information for everyone to establish at any age.



## 2022 Holiday Lunch

### 2022- 2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

President	Nancy Velasco
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice President	Marti Ragone
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice President	TBD
Treasurer	Emily Adorable
Recording Secretary	Kathy Del Pino
Corresponding Secretary	Mary Hanel
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Parliamentarian	Nancy Toledo

### Committee Appointees

Audit	Marti Ragone
Email Notification	Maria Landaveri
Finance	Emily Adorable
Holiday Meals	Dorothy Carlson
Membership	Dorothy Carlson
Newsletter	Maria Landaveri
Phone	Marti Ragone
Showtime Chair	Nancy and Emily
Speakers	Alma Guillot
Sunshine	Judy Hubbard
Yearbook	TBD
Webmaster	Emily Adorable