



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

Happy Valentine's Day everyone!!



I'm very happy to announce that Wanda Buck is our new Second Vice President. Members voted unanimously to elect her into office. Thank you, Wanda, for volunteering for this position and we look forward to working with you.

This is our last general meeting before Showtime 2023.

Please tell all your friends and family to attend the show as we want to fill the stands. With all of your help and support Showtime is well on its way and really coming together. We look forward to working with all of you March 4 and 5th. Thank you for all that you do to support the Santa Clara Women's League and the Health and Wellness Program.

Breakfast Club: Tuesday, February 21st, 9:00, (Monday is a holiday) Mission City Grill.

SHOWTIME UPDATES

Everything is going great and the Showtime cast members are busy rehearsing!!! Thanks to everyone for your generous donations and beautiful opportunity baskets. Our next hurdle is publicity and getting people in the seats at the two performances. Please invite relatives, friends, neighbors, and people from clubs you belong to or whomever you want. We have sent you copies of the flyer and please print them and put them all around town! If you need printed flyers, call Emily and she will deliver some to you. We are excited that people can buy tickets online this year. They just need to go to our website www.santaclarawomensleague.org and click on Showtime on the home page. Then if they scroll down they will find the information about the tickets – they choose a date, how many tickets for adults or children and it then takes them to the page to pay. They will receive an email receipt that they bring to the show or if they forget it we will have a list of who bought tickets online. I know lots of people want Sunday but we only have 320 seats so encourage Saturday night performance also. Remember if you plan to see the show, you also need to purchase a ticket. If you are only working at Showtime you do not need to buy a ticket. If you have questions, call any member of your Showtime committee.

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

Bylaws amendments were passed at the January meeting and will be included in the 2023-24 Yearbook.

Showtime Opportunity Baskets - It's Time to Get Me Your Items!

I have received commitments from the following members. Please look for your name to make sure I have you on my list and check the status of your contents. If I don't have your items in my possession, please contact me to arrange for a pick up or delivery. Mallory (408) 813-3677 or malloryvk@gmail.com

Nancy Velasco - 5 baskets received

Mallory - 2 baskets received

Marti Ragone - 1 basket received

Sharon Andrzejewski - 2 baskets received

Kathy Del Pino - 2 baskets received

Alma Guilot - 2 baskets received

Emily Adorable- 2 baskets pending

Georgia Sutter - 1 basket pending

Beach, Toddler, Mystery Cash, 2 Handyman Totes

Gardening/Home Depot, Pasta meal/Eataly

Game Day basket/Chili's gc

Italian (Il Fornaio), Kids/Discover Kits

Hostess with the Mostest

Cats

Golf, Sports basket with Nancy V

Spa Basket

This brings our basket count to a total of 17. I am 3 short of our 10 baskets/performance goal. Can you please help me out?

Each basket should feature a gift card, contain a few items that are new, and please do not spend a lot of money or make these too big. If you wish to arrange your own basket, please do. I have supplies and tons of cellophane bags, so I am also happy to do that if you just give me your stuff.

In addition to baskets, **the following folks have told me they can contribute gift cards:** Emily Adorable \$25 Target (pending), Nancy Toledo \$30 Target (received), and Diane Jones 3-\$25 Target (pending). Please contact me ASAP so I can get these from you. Thanks everyone!!

Notes from the Nurses

Well, 2023 sure started with a downpour and we hope your basements and homes stayed dry! My basement did not and I had to unload about 87 storage tubs in order to dry it out and bring in our new hot water heater - I called it Basement Boot Camp. Ugh. The nurses in the Health & Wellness Program have been dealing with one health issue after another, either our own personally, our families', or our clients'. We are hopeful that February brings sunshine and gentle weekly showers, and we can finally get our equilibrium back. Many continued thanks to our members who are participating in our "Memories & Hugs Workshop" - recipients of the transformed items have been blown away by the incredible work you are doing and it is such a pleasure to meet together each month. We do not have any outside presenters at the Senior Center in February. We will take this time to focus on our day-to-day calls, get ready for the return of USF nursing students later in the month, and may go just one week without a set-back. Fingers crossed! Take care, Mallory with Jodi, and Larisa

2022- 2023 BOARD OF DIRECTORS

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Committee Appointees

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Newsletter	Maria Landaveri
Phone	Diana Jones
Showtime Chair	Nancy and Emily
Speakers	Alma Guillot
Sunshine	Judy Hubbard
Yearbook	Wanda Buck
Webmaster	Emily Adorable

Joke for February

How much dirt is there
in a hole that is two feet
by three feet by four
feet?

There is no dirt in a
hole.

Thought for February

Love doesn't sit there,
like a stone, it has to be
made, like bread; remade
all the time, made new.

—Ursula K. Le Guin