

FROM YOUR PRESIDENTS

Happy Thanksgiving!

This is the perfect season to pause and reflect upon things we are thankful for:

We've felt the support of the past presidents, the board and committee chairs, the hostesses for each meeting, and the membership in general.

Our guest speakers have been engaging and inspiring. Speaking of guest speakers, for those who have asked for more information about Welcoming America to share with friends, tri-folds will be available at our next meeting.

Our Share the Care recipients have been so worthy, and so thankful for our support.

Our social events; Tuesday Tastings and Scrumptious Saturday, have provided the comfort of friendship and camaraderie.

Many thanks to **Joanie Edmondson** and **Margaret Foust** for our lovely and lively Past President's Luncheon at Petite Violette. What a wonderful chance to see and chat with these accomplished women!

As we approach the holidays, some of our members are providing the opportunity to purchase one of a kind, handmade jewelry, artwork, photography and more.

Please consider going to one of the show days at **Nicole Mills'**. The dates are Friday, Nov. 10th from 7:00-9:00 p.m., Saturday, Nov. 11th from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m., and Sunday, Nov. 12th from 1:00 – 4:00 p.m. There are sure to be some great gift options available.

Another opportunity is the Gathering of Artists on Friday, Dec. 1 from 7:00 p.m. – 10:00

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p.m. and Saturday, Dec. 2 from 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at Briarcliff Woods Beach Club located at 1830 Morris Landers Dr. NE, Atlanta. It is very close by in Sagamore Hills. There will be about 20 artists with all kinds of lovely goodies from ceramics, photography, painting, collage, textiles, wearable art, etc. The Amani Women's group, **Vanessa Wardi** and **Margaret Foust** are in it as well.

I (**Lex**) just reached a milestone in my cancer treatment, at the 5year NED (no evidence of disease) mark, I am no longer a cancer patient! Since early in my treatment I've been a Patient Family Advisor, a volunteer position. I am very excited about our speaker this month. DaVida Lee-Williams is the woman who is responsible for volunteer efforts at Winship Cancer Institute. She's the force behind thousands of hours of volunteerism, and is one of the warmest people you could ever meet. I hope that many of you can attend the meeting and learn more about how volunteers are the key to Emory's quest to provide patient centered care.

Dee Zesiger and Lex Gilbert

November 14 meeting: DaVida-Lee Williams; Director of Guest & Volunteer Services, Winship Cancer Institute. Title; How Volunteers Improve Patient Care at Winship.

Hostesses: Leona Young and Margareta Martin

CALENDAR

- Nov 14 Membership meeting
 DaVida Lee-Williams:
 How Volunteers Improve Patient Care at Winship
- Dec 5 Holiday Brunch
- Jan 23 Membership meeting
 Darrel Neill, PhD: Is there a Neurobiology
 of Socioeconomic Success in America?
- Feb 27 Membership meeting
 Margaret Foust:
 Thirteen Years in Community
- Feb 10 Anniversary Celebration
- March 27 Membership meeting
 Sara Elizabeth Macdonald:
 Fellowship Recipient
- April 24 Membership meeting
 Melissa Forgey:
 An Overview of the DeKalb
 History Center and the History
 of the Houston Mill House
- May 1 Spring Luncheon

November Share the Care

At the November 14th meeting we are helping *NETWorks*, a ministry in the Northlake-Emory Hills-Tucker area. They provide assistance to low income and homeless people. Services include emergency assistance, food, classes in budgeting, and their Good Neighbor Program. Donations of school supplies and toys to Good Neighbor are sold to families at discounts. This allows parents to provide for needs of their family themselves while retaining self-respect. As cold weather approaches, socks are needed for children and adults. *NETWorks* is challenged to keep a supply. Donations of socks of any size are appropriate. If you prefer to make a cash contribution, checks should be made to *NETWorks*. The website is networkscoop.org.

Looking ahead to December, Fulton County CASA has been the designee for several years and will be again in 2017. At the November Meeting, you will choose whether you want to provide Christmas gifts for a child/teenager or make a cash donation to that cause. There will be a signup sheet. Information about the child/teenager will be available to you soon. (Our Christmas Luncheon is December 5. Representatives from CASA will join us again.). At the December meeting, the suitcases many of you so generously gave will be presented to the CASA representatives, along with gifts for children/teenagers, as well as cash donations.

EUWC, you are a wonderfully generous group.

Just want to say **THANK YOU** to all of you who have sent cards and food and made cheery calls since my accident while playing basketball with my grandson -- two broken bones in the same arm. I am old enough to know better. Your good wishes have kept me afloat while confined to the house.

Bless you one and all,
Judy Michna

INTEREST GROUPS

Friday Morning Book Club: Book Club we will be meeting on the December 8th at **Barbara Hund's** home at 10 am. **Nicole Mills** will also be leading the discussion of *The Stranger* by Albert Camus & *The Meursault Investigation* by Kamel Daoud. Contact: **Margaret Foust**

First Thursday PM Book Club: On December 7 we will be discussing *A Man Called Ove* by Fredrik Backman. January's selection for discussion on January 4 will be *The Lilac Girls* by Martha Hall Kelly. For information about this discussion group, contact Joanie Edmondson at [404-325-1432](tel:404-325-1432).

Contract Bridge groups meets the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month at the Mason Mill Recreation Center (340 McConnell Dr.) from 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM. We bring our own lunch and beverage, and the hostess provides dessert. This is party bridge at its most fun. We hope that you can join us. For more information, contact: **Missy Cody or Mary Portier**.

Tuesday Tastings: meet with friends for lunch at neighborhood restaurants on the 3rd Tuesday of the month. contact: **Nicole Mills**

Lunch and a movie: join members for a movie and conversation

Handwork Group: (Quilting, Knitting, Beading etc.) meets the second Monday of each month at 1:30-? at Intown Quilters 1058 Mistletoe Road Decatur. Contact: **Barbara Froehlich**

Field Trips: **Carolyn Arakaki** and **Jackie Walker** have volunteered to establish an interest group. Field trips will be planned throughout the year. Carolyn and Jackie have several ideas of activities we would find interesting and enjoyable. Please reach out to them with your suggestions as well.

Volunteers Needed: Head of Publicity Committee, help for **Teri Hopkin** on membership committee.

List of projects

Share the Care

Each month members support a local charity through donation of goods and financial assistance.

Scholarships

The EUWC has established three endowed scholarships which are awarded annually: the Memorial Graduate Research Award, Rollins School of Public Health Scholarship and the Arts Scholarship.

EUWC Memorial Library Fund

The club makes an annual donation to the fund at Woodruff Library in honor of recently deceased members.

Volunteer Work

Members are regular volunteers for organizations such as Children's Healthcare of Atlanta, CASA and Amani Women's Center

Scrumptious Saturday





Our hostess June Seese, Ann Marie Factor,
Martha Catherwood



Avril Sutton and Nicole Mills

October Meeting



Our speaker Jared Feuer



Bee Nahmias and Nancy Smith

Past Presidents Luncheon



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Address, including PO Box _____

Telephone _____ Email _____

Spouse's Name (if any) _____ Want to be listed in the yearbook? Yes _____ No _____

Emory Community Affiliation (if any) _____ If you are a new member, may we list your address and phone number in the newsletter? Yes _____ No _____

Please complete form and send with your check made out to EUWC for \$32.00 (\$30 for dues \$2 for mailing the yearbook) to Martha Catherwood, 2911 Galahad Drive, Atlanta, GA 30345

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