

Connection

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Celebrating a Century of Service, Fellowship, Scholarship and Community Since 1919

FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

April is our last membership meeting of the year and it looks like it will be a great one! Our speaker, Melissa Forgey, is the Executive Director of DeKalb History Center. Her talk will include stories about our own Houston Mill House!

Don't forget that we will be voting on the slate of officers for next year. If you can't make it to the meeting, you can vote using the ballot located in this newsletter.

We hope that you will join us for the annual Spring Luncheon on May first. It is one of the highlights of the year, and our annual celebration of a member who has exemplified our club's values.

Although we will take a summer recess, you can stay connected though Tuesday Tastings and our interest groups. Keep a look out in your in box for Tuesday Tastings.

Looking forward to seeing you at the meeting.

Dee Zesiger and Lex Gilbert

Dear members,

Lex is compiling a list of contacts at local newspapers and at Emory publications so that we can send them articles about our centennial.

If you get a local paper, please send Lex contact information for the editor. Many of these publications are looking for feel-good stories and we can write an article about EUWC for them.

In most cases you can see who and how to contact them, often on the second page.

Lex is also looking for contact information for Emory publications, like Emory Magazine, Emory Medicine, etc.

Please email her any contacts that you can find or bring her copies of the publication at one of our meetings.

We'd like to take advantage of our 100th birthday to make more people aware that we exist and of the good work that we do.

Thank you!
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April 24th meeting. Speaker: Melissa Forgey (Executive Director of Dekalb History Center) "An Overview of the Dekalb History Center and the History of the Houston Mill House and Property"

Hostesses: Ann Marie Factor and Louise Freer

CALENDAR

April 24 Membership meeting

Melissa Forgey: An Overview of the DeKalb History Center and the History of the Houston Mill House

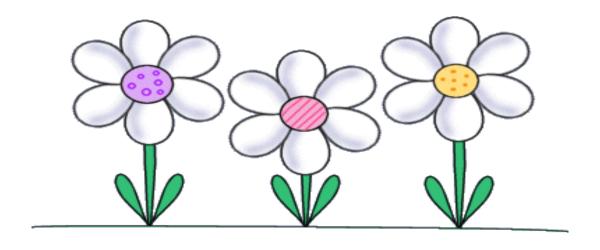
May 1 Spring Luncheon

Share the Care with the Emory University School of Nursing Migrant Worker Program

This meeting is our last of the 2017-2018 year. Let's make it a big one with a bounteous donation to the School of Nursing's Migrant Worker Program. This is an annual event for nursing students who go to Mountie, Georgia, and provide basic nursing hygiene to migrant worker families. Hygiene kits are provided to the individuals. If you didn't receive the previous email with the specific list, contact Alma Owens, 770 712 1561 or alma@owensemail.com. Checks can be made to *Emory University School of *Nursing Migrant Worker Program.

At the end of each year we review our beneficiaries and ask you for input. If you have information about the needs of current beneficiaries or other agencies who are in need, please contact me. If we add an agency we will need to drop one.

Your generosity has made this a wonderful year for **Share the Care.** Thank you so very much.



The Emory University Woman's Club

Pordially invites you to

The Annual Spring Runcheon

Tuesday, May 1, 2018

Refreshments served 11am-12pm Luncheon from 12pm-2pm

Houston Mill House

RSFR to Martha Catherwood 404 321-6582

mmcatherwood@gmail.com

by April 26 -\$27 per person

March Meeting



Ann Marie Factor and Margaret Foust



Lex Gilbert and Louise Freer



INTEREST GROUPS

Friday Morning Book Club is gathering on April 27 for a social event from 11am-1pm. The lunch group includes husbands with no book discussion. It will be at Mary Emma McConaughey's home: **Margaret Foust**

First Thursday PM Book Club. Our selection for the May 3 meeting will be *Elon Musk: Tesla, SpaceX, and the Quest for a Fantastic Future* by Ashlee Vance. On June 7 we will discuss *Friend of My Youth* by Alice Munro. These sessions meet at 12:30 at homes of members. For information call Joanie Edmondson, 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.) We meet at 2:00 PM on the 2nd Thursday of each month 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.

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

BALLOT

It's time to elect our EUWC officers for the coming year. The election will be held at our March 27th membership meeting. If you are unable to attend, please vote by using this form as your ballot.

Slate of Officers for your consideration:
Co-Presidents—Lex Gilbert and Dee Zesiger
1st Vice Presidents—Louise Freer and Ann Marie Factor
2 nd Vice Presidents—Joanie Edmondson and Susan Neel
3 rd Vice President—Barbara Froehlich
Recording Secretary—Teri Hopkin
Treasurer—Martha Catherwood
Parliamentarian — Bette Walton
I approve of the slate of officers shown above.
YesNo
Comments:

Before April 19th, please email your vote to Lex Gilbert at justforlex@gmail.com or mail it to her at 1624 Brockett Rd., Tucker, GA 30084

GLOBAL VILLAGE PROJECT

Many of us have become more finely attuned to the needs of the immigrant/refugee community, especially through current events and our involvement with the Amani Women's Center.

Recently, I attended an Author's Tea -presented by the students of the Global Village Project School for Refugee Girls housed in the Decatur Presbyterian Church on Sycamore St.

The program was an innovative integration of, music, drama, dance, and literature. Even more remarkable is that most of the performers have had very few or disrupted educational opportunities as they have endured displacement forcing them from country to country in search of a stable home.

Currently there are 45 students, ranging in age from 11-17 who come from 12 different countries and who speak more than 17 languages. Many of them reside in Clarkston.

Typically, they have been in the USA for 3 years or less when they enroll in the GVP school. As you can imagine, they need immersion in English as well as the chance to advance to a learning level appropriate to their ages.

Volunteers are active in the classrooms and serve as tutors. As students move on to high school and college, they need a community of support provided by mentors, many of whom have previously served as volunteers. More are always needed. To learn more about becoming a volunteer or mentor, go to volunteer@globalvillageproject.org or contact Teni-Ola Ogunjobi, /Community Engagement Associate at (404)371-0107 or at taogunjobi@globalvillageproject.org

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2017-2018 Executive Board

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Request from Teri Hopkin

Do you know if a member who is ill? Injured? In need of a little cheering up? A member's death? Death in a member's family? Please contact me so that I may correspond with her on behalf of the membership. Reach me at thopkin@ aol.com. Please phone or text to 404-617-5172. Thanks! **Teri Hopkin**

EUWC Membership Form 2017– 2018	
Name	
Telephone	Email
Spouse's Name (if any)	Want to be listed in the yearbook? YesNo
	If and phone number in the newsletter? YesNo
Please complete form and send with your check may yearbook) to Martha Catherwood, 2911 Galahad D	ade out to EUWC for \$32.00 (\$30 for dues \$2 for mailing the brive, Atlanta, GA 30345



