

connection

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From Your President

Dear Friends,

January was a busy month as we celebrated our 101st Anniversary and hosted our Graduate Fellowship Recipient at our membership meeting on the 28th.

Thank you to all who joined us at the HMH for the cocktail reception. About 40 people attended the event. Many thanks go to Vanessa Wardi for decorating the tables with lovely floral arrangements. A slide show featuring photographs from the 100th anniversary gala was shown during the evening.

Archana Venkataraman, our Fellowship recipient shared her research on fear and generalized fear describing her studies on specific areas of the brain. She explained how the zona incerta seems to be an area of promise for exploration on the mechanism of fear and post traumatic stress disorder. She impressed us all with her vast knowledge and sophisticated research!

Thanks to all who contributed to NETWorks Share the Care. We gathered a bag full of food and \$280 to support the needs of the Northlake, Tucker, Embry Hills area of DeKalb County.

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Please bring a friend to the meeting, it promises to be lively and enlightening.

I look forward to a full house on February 25th, Cheryl

Yearbook

Please send pictures to Susan Neel if you would like to have a small photo next to your name in the yearbook.

Nominations

It is time to start thinking about nominations for the Achievement Award. Please let Rosalie Cooper and Sharon Gunn know if you have someone to nominate.

Speaking of nominations, if you are interested in serving on the Nominating Committee for positions next year, please let Joanie Edmondson or Nicole Mills know. We need at least three more members.

Are you interested in doing more with the club, but have little time? Our Share the Care position is open, and requires work primarily in the summer.

Corresponding Secretary Request

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

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Emory University Woman's Club 2019-2020 Schedule

DATE	EVENT	LOCATION/TIME	SPEAKER
September 24	Fall Welcome	HMH 10-12	
October 5	Scrumptious Saturday @ the home o	f Lex Gilbert	
October 15	Tuesday Tastings		
October 22	Membership Meeting	HMH 10-12	Noelle McAfee
October 22	Past President's Lunch	HMH 12:30-2:00	
November 12	Membership Meeting	HMH 10-12	Amy Dorrill
December 10	Holiday Brunch	HMH 10-12	
January 7	Executive Board Meeting	HMH 10-12	
January 21	Tuesday Tastings		
January 28	Membership Meeting	HMH 10-12	Archana Venkataraman EUWC Grad. Fellow
February 18	Tuesday Tastings		EOWC Grad. Fellow
February 25	Membership Meeting	HMH 10-12	Ginger Smith
March 17	Tuesday Tastings		
March 24	Membership Meeting	9:30-2:30 approx.	Oxford
April 18	Scrumptious Saturday @ the home o	f Vicki Bedwell	
April 21	Tuesday Tastings		
April 28	Membership Meeting	HMH 10-12	Josh Newton
May 5	Spring Luncheon	HMH 11-2	
May 12 or 19	Executive Board Meeting	HMH 10-12	
January 18	Anniversary Event	HMH 5-7	

EUWC Share the Care 2019-2020

Share the Care recipient for February is Nicholas House, an Atlanta shelter that provides aid to homeless families, including temporary housing, up to two years of follow-up support after leaving direct services, food and shelter, training for parents to earn a living wage, services to maintain the physical, mental and social health of parents and children, summer camps for children, and several programs to help families settle into long term independent housing.

This month we will continue with our years of support to the Nicholas House. This organization got it's start locally at St. Bartholomew's Church on LaVista and is currently located on Boulevard near the Atlanta Zoo. Nicholas House is an Atlanta homeless shelter that keeps families together regardless of composition and helps them achieve self-sufficiency.

Nicholas House requests checks so that they can meet immediate needs at any given time. When I contacted them, they offered thanks for our past support and invited us to tour their main facility on the third Saturday of each month from 10:30 to 11:30. Go to their website to sign up.

March trip to Oxford

As we look forward to our March visit to the Oxford Campus we need to have an accurate count of those wishing to travel on the Emory bus. So far we have 15 people signed up. We will pass around the attendance sheet again at the February meeting, the bus holds up to 36 people.

Many thanks go to our Carol Penn who has arranged for lunch to be served and for us to hear a presentation from the Dean of Campus Life Joe Moon. The approximate times for the excursion are 9:30-2:30.

EUWC Share the Care 2019-2020

January **NETWorks Coop**—is a 501(c)(3) cooperative Christian ministry in the Northlake-Embry Hills-Tucker area. This group of churches, organizations, and individuals is committed to meeting urgent needs. They provide assistance with food, personal care items, utility bills, rent, and infant needs. NETWorks offers Back to School and Christmas shopping at low prices to families in need. Shopping at reduced prices helps parents retain self-respect.

Needs: non-perishable foods, personal care items. Lists of items are available at https://www.networkscoop.org/pantry-personal care. Checks may be made to NETWorks Cooperative Ministry.

February **Nicholas House**—provides safe housing for families of any size or makeup in order to keep them intact in a shelter or an apartment based setting. Supplying adult education, training programs, and youth programs, Nicholas House focuses on breaking the cycle of poverty and homelessness, following families for up to two years after leaving the program. Their aim is to help families achieve self-sufficiency.

Needs: new twin sheet sets, new towel sets, new twin blankets or comforters, kids' snacks individually wrapped for after school, cleaning supplies, paper products. Make checks payable to Nicholas House.

March – **trip to Oxford College.** No project

April – **Moultrie Project Hygiene Kits**—Students in Emory's School of Nursing and other Schools provide farm workers and families with faculty supervised health services and health kits. This is well supported by students using their academic breaks to volunteer.

Needs: details for health kits will be made available nearer our April meeting. Make checks payable to the Emory University School of Nursing Farm Worker Family Health Program.

Interest Groups

Friday Morning Book Club will meet February 28 to discuss *The Water Dancer* by Ta-Nehisi Coates. Hosted by Dee Zesiger. Contact Margaret Foust.

Thursday Book Club, contact Joanie Edmondson. We will discuss *White Rage* by Carol Anderson at our March 5th meeting which begins at 12:30, contact Joanie Edmondson at 404-325-1432.

Contract Bridge meets the first and third Thursdays of the month at the Mason Mill Recreation Center, 340 McConnell Dr. from 10:00 a.m. until 2:30 p.m. Contact Missy Cody or Cathy Findlay.

Tuesday Tastings meets at neighborhood restaurants on the third Tuesday of the month. Contact Nicole Mills.

Handwork Group (quilting, knitting, beading, etc.) Meets at 1:30 the second Thursday each month at Intown Quilters 1058 Mistletoe Rd. in Decatur. Contact Barbara Froehlich. (Let her know if you are coming) barbfroehlich@gmail.com

Field Trips contact Carolyn Arakaki and Jackie Walker.

The Amani Women Center, sewing academy whose mission is to promote refugees' independence. Contact Mary Emma McConaughey.

EUWC is now registered with AmazonSmile. This is an easy way to support the club. Just designate "Emory University Woman's Club" as the charity you wish to support. Then .5% of the price of eligible items you purchase at https://smile.amazon.com will flow into our bank account.

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Share the Care TBA

Spring Luncheon Ann Marie Factor

Tuesday Tastings Nicole Mills Webmaster Susan Neel











EUWC Membership Form 2019–2020

Name		
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 Please complete for and send with your check made out to EUWC for \$30.00 (add \$2.00 if you wnat the yearbook mailed) to Barbara Froehlich, 1134 Vistavia Cir. Decatur Ga 30033		