

The Key Sawnee Woman's Club

General Meeting

**Wednesday, January 11th, 2012
Three Chimneys Clubhouse
Social 9:00am-9:30am**

From the President's Corner...

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! I hope that all of you had a very restful and fun filled holiday! Now our break is over and it is time to get busy once again!

There are still several of you that have not become members of our new Yahoo Group. Your invitation that was originally sent has expired so I will be sending another one after the Wednesday meeting so please check your spam or junk mail (I can pretty much guarantee that is where it will end up) and respond to the invite ASAP!

Many thanks to Debbi Little for setting up our Christmas Luncheon at Tam's. The food was great and the company wasn't bad either. It was a great way to end the year!

The Education Committee has the program and food for our January meeting with a speaker from the Library coming to update us on all that is going on with the County Libraries. Don't forget that we will be meeting at Three Chimneys Farm clubhouse starting this month. The address is 3625 Three Chimneys Lane, Cumming, GA 30041.

**See you all on Wednesday,
Beth Daffin**

1st Vice President

Bring your New Member Proposal Forms to the meeting! And please come to the meeting.

**See you next week!
Carolyn Watters**

2nd Vice President

Thanks for all that you do for our community!
Kara

Arts Department

Don't forget to reserve your spot at the January meeting for the New Member Project, Suitcase Art, sponsored by the Arts Committee. The date is Tues., January 17 at 7:00 pm at Cool Bees. Art materials, as well as, wine and cheese will be provided. Just bring your creativity!

Elementary Art Contest starts up this month be prepared to sign up for a school, to take paper and contest letter.

Karen Beyer
Sharon Lee
Arts Co-Chairs

Conservation Department

Happy 2012 Ladies!
Hope you all had a wonderful holiday season.

Conservation tips for January
Here are some ideas to put a freeze on high winter energy bills.

Drape Delivery – Keep the drapes open to capture solar heat during the day and close them at night to keep the heat inside.

Thermostat – Set the thermostat to 68 degrees or lower. You can reduce the heating portion of your energy bill as much as 3-5% for every degree below 68.

Fans – If you have high ceilings, run ceiling fans on low and reverse the rotation to pull air up in the space. This keeps warm air circulating without cooling those in the room.

Hot water heater – Heating water can account for as much as 15% of your home's energy use. Set the temperature no higher than 120 degrees.

We will be doing another road clean up soon. I will announce the date at the meeting. Thanks for your help in keeping our community clean.

See you next week at the meeting.

Tammie Fowler

Education

See you Wednesday!
Karen Smith

International

Don't forget to bring in your Heifer change!!

Thanks,
Susan Matray

Home Life Department

Happy New Year! We hope you all had a wonderful holiday season and are looking forward to all of the good work we will do in 2012. Please make sure to bring any receipts that you might have for Sacks of Love from November and December to the meeting on Wednesday. We will make copies of them to submit to the United Way. We also had a very productive meeting with all of the school social workers this week and have some updates to share with you on Wednesday.

Beth and Kristin

Public Affairs Department

See you on Wednesday!
Lynn Kirby
Wendy Goodrow

Sunshine

Happy January Birthdays to:

Marcia Fervienza

Debbi Little

Kara Zimmer

Lois Watts

Cindy Boff

We wish a speedy recovery to Carolyn Watters after her recent surgery.

Happy New Year,

Karen Beyer

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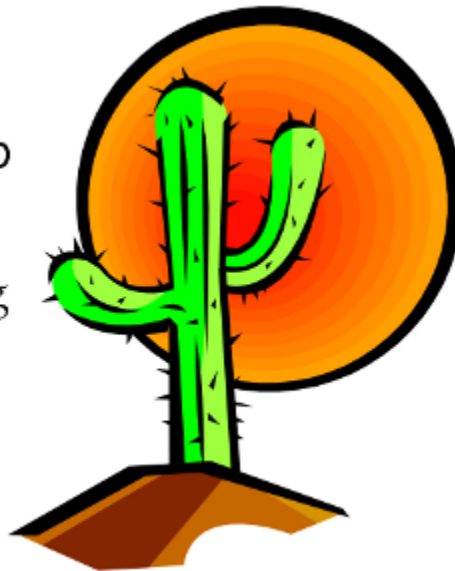
Sawnee Woman's Club

presents the 27th annual

Nite in Olde Cumming

Cinco Celebration

Friday, May 4, 2012 7pm
Forsyth Conference Center



It's a new year and, if you haven't already, now's the time to start working on NIOC 2012. January is the perfect month to start asking friends, neighbors and acquaintances to sponsor our event or donate an item to our silent and live auctions. Asking well in advance gives them time to plan and budget for the donation, so if you're first in line you may get even more than you asked for!

Also remember that we're running a ticket promotion for members that ends at the January meeting. Sell 3 tickets and turn in the money to Kara at the January meeting and you'll receive your own ticket free!

Our next planning meeting will be held over lunch at Cheppe's (3120 Mathis Airport Pkwy, Suite 100, Suwanee, GA 30024) immediately following our general

membership meeting on January 11. All SWC members are welcome to participate. We'll be discussing final plans for entertainment (thank you, Karen, for getting this done early!), decor ideas, catering and bar service.

Let the countdown to Friday, May 4 begin!

**Paula Glover & Wendy Goodrow
3rd Vice Presidents**

Publicity

Hello ladies, please keep me informed of your projects, take pictures and do a short write up and e-mail them to me at stocktondl@bellsouth.net and I will get them in the Forsyth County News.

**Thanks,
Amelia Stockton**

Social

If you were not able to bring your secret sister gift to the Christmas Luncheon please bring it to this month's meeting.

Debbi