

## PENN STATE NOTES

FALL 2020

Dear UWC Members,

I am delighted to be writing to you as your 2020-2021 University Women's Club President. We have a terrific, hard-working board this year, and I would like to sincerely thank and recognize both Joan Grant, last year's President, and Jane Stanton, former President, for their guidance and help during the past months. We are excited to welcome Marilyn Mitinger, Diane Twomley, Sue Miller, and Joan Weidman as new members of the board this year. These ladies bring with them skill sets and new ideas we need during these unbelievably challenging times.



Yes, the COVID-19 pandemic forced us to make some hard decisions this year. This included cancelling our annual Spring Luncheon and Business meeting, the popular spring trip to New York City, and many Interest Group meetings. In addition, the UWC Board has decided the Club will sponsor no face-to-face meetings until the authorities indicate that it is safe to do so. However, I am very happy to hear that several interest groups have been meeting via ZOOM. And we hear the hikers and cyclists are exploring the outdoors while following the recommended safety measure. I realize ZOOMING and all the requirements that come with safety practices can be daunting; but they are the best ways to ensure we stay healthy. As I write this, various areas of the country are experiencing major spikes in the number of cases of the virus; and as a college town, we do not know what we face in the next couple of months. Please know your health and safety is of the utmost importance.

And now let us focus on some good news. Our Fall Kickoff Committee, headed by President-elect Teddy Nicholas, has been hard at work on a special virtual kickoff project. This is a totally different year; so we needed to devise a totally different approach. It's important that you send in your 2020-2021 membership form and dues no later than Tuesday, September 1, in order to view the Virtual Kickoff movie and be able to sign up for Interest Groups on September 8. After that, the movie will be available on our website.

Additional good news comes from our Scholarship V.P., Charlene Harrison. After due diligence, Charlene is now able to share with us the name of the State College School District student who is the 2020 recipient of our UWC Scholarship! You will be hearing from all three of our scholarship recipients during the virtual Fall Kickoff movie. What a wonderful feeling to know we are assisting these women with their endeavors at Penn State! Every time we make a donation to our scholarship, we are helping a young woman achieve her career aspirations. Hint: donations may be made at any time during the year; however, many members do so when they pay their annual dues.

And last but not least.....CONGRATULATIONS to the Wicked Good Reads Interest Group, winners of the Face Mask Contest! With the abundance of creativity submitted, I am certainly glad I was not one of the judges! A contribution of \$100 has been donated to our Endowed Scholarship in honor of our winning Interest Group. Congratulations also to the Honorable Mentions! See pictures of these wonderful entries on page 7. A huge THANK YOU to all interest groups who participated and made the judging quite difficult!

*Deadlines & Dates:  
details in newsletter.*

**August 18**  
Zoom for Beginners  
(see page 8)

**September 1**  
Dues payment **DEADLINE**  
to attend Fall Virtual Kickoff

**September 8** ★  
**FALL VIRTUAL**  
**KICKOFF** ★  
(see page 3)

**October 1**  
Dues payment **DEADLINE**  
to be listed in directory

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## From the President, continued

I close with these thoughts. Today's uncertain times are trying for all of us. I ask you to focus on the GOOD as much as possible. We currently have a membership comprised of women from diverse cultures, ethnicities, and backgrounds. We cherish this aspect of our club and want it to continue to grow in this direction, making it even more vibrant and interesting. Let's keep the momentum going within the UWC and stay safe and stay strong!

My Best,

*Ber Mullen*

UWC President 2020/2021



P.S. Visit the Penn State University Women's Club website at [sites.psu.edu/psuuwc](https://sites.psu.edu/psuuwc) for the most recent Club news and updates. You can also "Like" our Facebook page to show support and to receive updates about the page in your News Feed!

## In Our Thoughts

Linda Forrest	Cynthia Van Druff
Ok-Hi Lee	Julie Gittings
Valerie Park	Renate Ferree
Marilyn Gouran	Sally Kalin
Amber Axeman	Manju Parmar
Bonnie Grant	

## Our condolences

*to the families of...*

Jean Josephine Pazur	Iren McIlvoried
Marie Fedon	Bonnie Ashcroft
Lori Ebert-Tyworth	

If you know of a UWC member who has reached a milestone, received an award, suffered a loss, is ill or recovering from surgery, or otherwise should be remembered, please contact Betz Hanley at 238-8124 or by e-mail at [eah3@psu.edu](mailto:eah3@psu.edu). Betz will send a note on behalf of the UWC expressing friendship and well-wishes.



## Mark your calendar!

**UWC Spring Luncheon & Meeting**

**THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 2021**

**Centre Hills Country Club**

Reception at 11:30; Lunch at noon



The Audit Committee reviewed UWC financial records, found the 2019-2020 records to be accurate, and the audit was satisfactorily completed. Thank you to Audit Committee members Sue Stephenson, Jeanne Weber, Joan Grant, Charlene Harrison, and Jane Stanton.

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## Fall 2020 Kickoff & Interest Group Sign-ups Tuesday, September 8, 2020

Although this event cannot take place at the Nittany Lion Inn as it has in past years, there will be a Kickoff and it will be easy to attend - no worries about parking this year! You can participate at your leisure anytime on September 8.

A link to the Kickoff movie (not a ZOOM) will be sent by email to paid members (that is dues received by September 1) on the morning of September 8. A link to the online Interest Group sign-up form will be included in the same email.

For members who have not yet paid 2020-2021 dues as well as potential members, a link to the Virtual Kickoff movie will be posted on the club website September 9. The Interest Group sign-up form will be sent to members who pay dues later than September 1.

## MAKE SURE THE UWC CAN REACH YOU!

The UWC uses email to send members notice of the newsletter and occasional important updates and reminders. We use "blind copy" to protect your privacy.

**!** Many email programs block such emails unless the sender is already a contact.

## BE SURE

**[PSUUWC@gmail.com](mailto:PSUUWC@gmail.com)**

is on your list of authorized email contacts.

**HOW?** If you are reading this online,

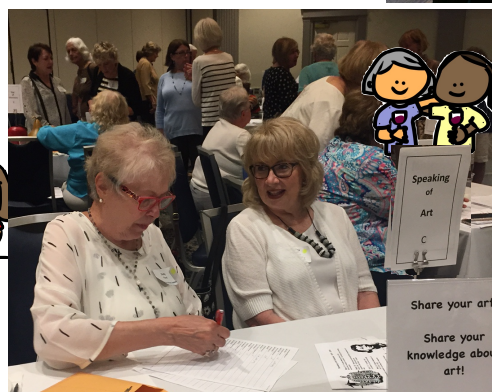
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or you can manually add "psuuwc@gmail.com" to your list of contacts. For questions or help configuring your email, call Jane Stanton at 814-238-4663.

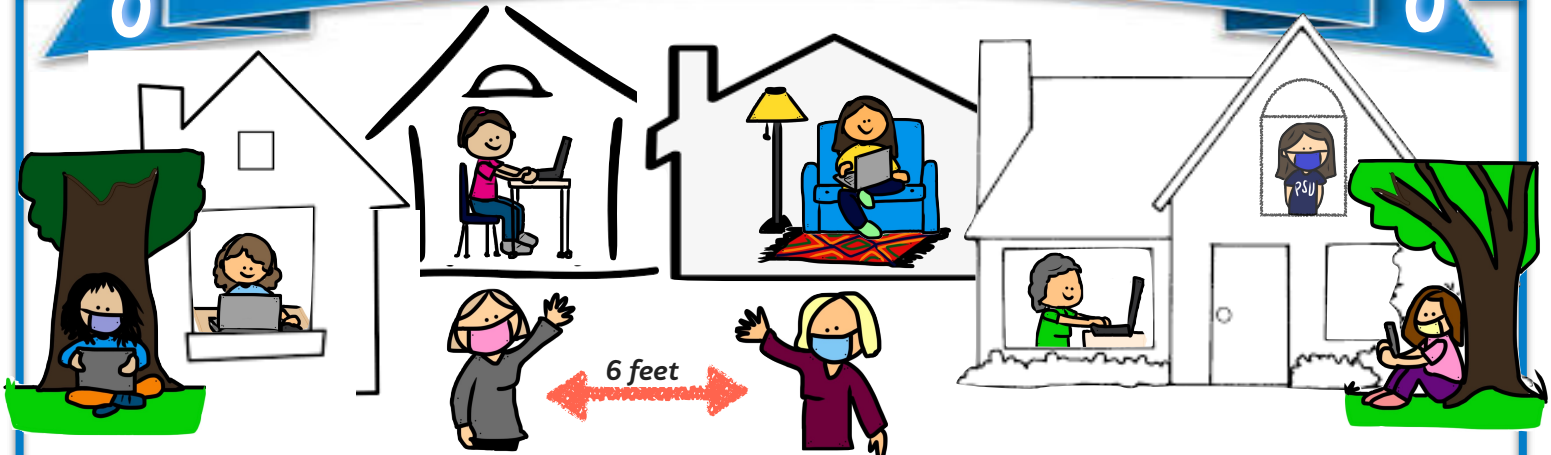


20 UWC FALL KICKOFF & SOCIAL 19

ONE YEAR AGO



20 UWC Virtual Safely Distant FALL KICKOFF 20



**SEPTEMBER 8, 2020**

**WHERE:** Wherever you're comfortable!

**HOW:** Watch a movie!\*

**WHAT:** Learn about Interest Groups, meet the scholarship winners, and get update on plans for 20/21.

\*Members whose dues have been received by September 1 will receive an email on September 8 with a link to watch the Virtual Kickoff movie along with a link to an online form to register for Interest Groups.

*It wouldn't be a Kickoff without punch! Pour a glass, settle in front of your preferred electronic device, and toast your UWC friends as you watch the 2020 UWC Fall Kickoff movie.*

- 3 large oranges      2 lemons
- 6 oz. can frozen lemonade concentrate
- 2 (750 ml) bottles sparkling cider
- 1 liter club soda      1 T sugar



Thinly slice lemons and oranges and place in large punch bowl. Pour in thawed lemonade concentrate. Gently stir in club soda and sparkling cider. Add sugar to taste. Add ice cubes and enjoy!

*Recipe courtesy of President Bev Mullen*

NOTE: The Kickoff movie will available on the UWC website following the Virtual Kickoff.

## UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUB INTEREST GROUPS



Group sign-ups this year will be via an online form. A link to the online sign-up form will be emailed on September 8 to all members who pay their 2020-2021 dues by the September 1 deadline.

In order to sign up for any Interest Group, you must have paid your 2020-2021 UWC dues. Members who join or renew after the deadline will get a link to the form when their dues payment is received.

What stays the same is friendship and caring for each other, sharing interests while looking out for each other! Interest Groups have traditionally been the heart of the University Women's Club. Because of the pandemic, some groups have been meeting online; others are temporarily suspending activities. Please note: the UWC is not currently sponsoring any whole-group face-to-face meetings or activities due to the COVID-19 epidemic.

The full list of Interest Groups is included below to show the exciting range of activities our members enjoy!

### ANTIQUES STUDY

The Antiques Study Group will not be meeting until we can do so in a safe and secure manner. We will miss not doing so. We encourage you to take advantage of the ZOOM classes and events that are offered by OLLI at Penn State and Road Scholars.

**Connie DiNunzio** ([lioness230@gmail.com](mailto:lioness230@gmail.com)); **Lydia Fox** ([skippyfox66@gmail.com](mailto:skippyfox66@gmail.com));  
**Linda Wilson** ([2hjlw11@aol.com](mailto:2hjlw11@aol.com))

### AROUND THE WORLD

Women from around the world who meet to discuss and learn about one another's cultures through art, food, discussions about customs and traditions, etc. So far women from the following countries have joined the group: Argentina, Bulgaria, Germany, India, Japan, Romania, Thailand, and the United States. Meetings typically held in member homes on the 3rd Friday of the month from 10:00 am until noon. During the coming year 2020-2021, we will be meeting via ZOOM.

**Mariana Degeratu** ([marianaxd@netscape.net](mailto:marianaxd@netscape.net));  
**Nilima Kumar** ([nilimakumar@yahoo.com](mailto:nilimakumar@yahoo.com))

### BICYCLING

The group meets on Tuesday mornings at 9:00 a.m. in the spring, summer and fall. Rides will be closer to home than usual because members are following a no-carpooling rule. A mask and a bike in good working order are required and the ride distance is generally about 20 - 30 miles.

**Pat Schulte** ([pls5@psu.edu](mailto:pls5@psu.edu))

### BOOK DISCUSSION GROUPS

There are several book discussion groups, some of which are at capacity because they meet in member homes or small areas. If you would like to join a book discussion group, please indicate this on the sign-up sheet. If there are at least 10 people on the waitlist, the UWC can provide assistance to start a new group.

### BOOK AND PLAY REVIEW

The Book and Play Review Group invites local authors, often Penn State faculty, to lecture on a wide variety of topics. The group will not meet during the 2020 fall semester. We look forward to resuming our meetings when it is deemed safe to do so. An announcement will be made when in-person UWC activities are able to restart. In the meantime, please stay safe and healthy!

**Mary Atchley** ([misa@comcast.net](mailto:misa@comcast.net));  
**Uma Belegundu** ([umabelegundu@gmail.com](mailto:umabelegundu@gmail.com))  
**Lida Ouwehand** ([lida@ouwehands.com](mailto:lida@ouwehands.com));  
**Linda Witmer** ([lindawitmer@ymail.com](mailto:lindawitmer@ymail.com))

### BRIDGE

We are suspending our group until we can meet again in person. The group consists of twelve women and we traditionally play ten times a year, September to June, on the first Thursday of the month. We occasionally have openings and always need substitutes.

**Tamara Downs brough** ([tamaradown@comcast.net](mailto:tamaradown@comcast.net))

### COOKING WITH FRIENDS

We will not be meeting until it is safe to gather freely. Enjoy a luncheon with your UWC Cooking with Friends members and take home some delicious new recipes. We meet on the first Friday of the month with occasional exceptions.

**Betz Hanley** ([eah3@psu.edu](mailto:eah3@psu.edu))  
**Pat Williams** ([4pwilliams422@comcast.net](mailto:4pwilliams422@comcast.net))  
**Kay Kustanbauter** ([kfk1@psu.edu](mailto:kfk1@psu.edu))

### DAY OF DISCOVERY

This Interest Group will take you to places you may have heard about but never ventured to. Once it's safe to travel freely, we will plan three one-day trips.

**Kay Kustanbauter** ([kfk1@psu.edu](mailto:kfk1@psu.edu))

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# UNIVERSITY WOMEN'S CLUB INTEREST GROUPS

## DINNERS FOR EIGHT

"A jug of wine, a loaf of bread, and thy company". Unfortunately, we are NOT meeting during COVID-19 Restrictions. Once it is safe to meet again in person, we look forward to meeting once a month for good food and lively conversation in comfortable surroundings. We usually rotate four times in the year to someone's home in groups of eight. It's "pot luck" for all events, except when we go to restaurants for holidays (saving cooks a lot of work). Singles and couples are welcome.

**Mary Ellen Beechan**  
**Teddy Nicholas (teddyandnick@comcast.net);**

## DOLLHOUSE DELIGHTS

Our Dollhouse Delights will be meeting via ZOOM, We usually meet the third Tuesday of the month at 10:30 AM at members' houses. Owning a dollhouse is not a prerequisite. Members will be invited to view our dollhouse collections and share their expertise and knowledge. We offer a range of skills from the basics of dollhouse design and restoration to building unique interiors. We have come to realize that there are so many people who love dollhouses and so few places for them to share this passion, learn more, or create stunning designed dollhouses to pass down through the generations. We are looking forward to sharing our love of this hobby and working with others who want to discover the joys that dollhouses can bring.

**Linda Berenson (linda8888@hotmail.com)**  
**Linda Wilson (hjlaw11@aol.com)**

## FUN WITH FOOD

Not meeting due to indoor nature of the gathering. The group may try to meet in February 2021 depending on the state of the virus. If and when we are again able to have luncheons, we will contact members by USPS mail; we have a \$5.00 fee to cover printing and mailing.

Fun With Food has over 150 members and we welcome anyone who wants to join. Many of our locations have limited space but all members have an equal chance of securing a seat at any given lunch.

**Lurene Frantz (lurenef@aol.com)**  
**Marilyn Gouran (mgouran@comcast.net)**  
**Marge Hymer (wch@psu.edu)**

## GAMES NIGHT

Due to the fact that the Games Night requires sitting in close proximity and passing cards or other items, in-person meetings will not be held until there is a vaccine and it is safe to once again mingle. When we resume meeting in person, we meet on the third Monday of each month at 7:00 PM to play games in a relaxed atmosphere. Members are invited to bring games and we play whatever strikes our fancy. We are an eclectic group that enjoys sampling the gaming tastes of all members – come join us!

**Kathy Rachael (kathyrachael@msn.com)**

## GARDENING

Meetings suspended. Usually meets on the second Tuesday, September-December and March-June.

**Diane Farr (dmaxineF122@hotmail.com)**  
**Betz Hanley (eah3@psu.edu)**

## HIKING

If walking in the woods is one way you like to stay fit, join the Wednesday hikes. Since 1971, this group has been a perennial favorite for those who appreciate natural beauty, which abounds in Central Pennsylvania. For newcomers, walking and talking is a great way to meet people. Hikes are easy to difficult and range from three to seven miles. A printed schedule with a brief description of hikes and estimated times of return will be posted on the UWC website each fall and spring. Look for details on our annual overnight hike.

**Kathi Ferrigno (kathiferrigno@comcast.net)**  
**Jennifer Kolln (jennifer.kolln1@gmail.com)**

## KNITTING AND CROCHETING

The Knitting and Crocheting group members enjoy knitting, talking about projects they have finished (or are trying to finish), and patterns found on the internet or in old pattern books. They will meet again as soon as it is safe to do so in person. Though most meetings are unstructured, there are occasional programs or field trips.

**Nanette Bohren (bohren@meteo.psu.edu)**  
**Bernadette Jermusyk (bbjermusyk@gmail.com)**

## LION PRIDE

Plans for this year will depend on the University's response to Covid 19 with first consideration being the health and safety of our members. The group exists for members to share fun adventures at our wonderful University. Members take turns planning 5-8 annual Penn State related activities that may include behind-the-scenes and lab tours, visits to exhibits and performances, lunches/dinners, and meetings with professors. Some activities may be exclusive to our membership; others consist of getting a group together to attend some of the great offerings on campus. We prefer in-person activities but, like the students and staff, know that even virtual experiences will be special when they involve Penn State.

**Laurel Zydney (laurelzemail@gmail.com)**  
**Jane Stanton (jstan2000@gmail.com)**



Please note: any Interest Group that holds in-person indoor meetings must ensure six feet minimum social distancing, frequent hand washing, and that everyone wears a face mask covering nose and mouth.



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## LUNCHES FOR SIX

With a heavy heart, I fear that we must put our delightful lunches for six on hold until February. We will evaluate the situation prior to that point. For those of you that have not had the opportunity to enjoy these monthly gatherings, you are missing laughter and an opportunity to learn more about club members along with good food and stimulating conversations. Normally, each member would host once a year and invite five guests to their home or go to a restaurant. Traditionally, we have had two pot luck meals where all members are invited, so we can meet everyone. That will not be the case this year. Please register if you are interested in being contacted in January.

**Lurene Frantz (lurenef@aol.com)**

## NEW! PERFORMING ARTS

This is a new group for the 2020-2021 year. Originally designed to provide a social, cultural and comfortable environment for members to attend performing arts presentations, the group focus will shift a bit this fall because there will be no live campus performances to attend. Leaders will share with group members opportunities to connect with artists and performances through virtual networks. More information will be forthcoming as it becomes available.

**Linda Brown (lbbrown717@gmail.com)**

## MEDITATION (YOGA)

The Yoga Meditation IG has moved to doing online meditation. Yoga Meditation is the act of focusing your mind and is also part of a well-rounded yoga experience. Learning to meditate involves more than sitting still. The more you're able to quiet your thoughts through yoga meditation, the more you experience a sense of true presence. Being in the moment helps create that beneficial mind-body connection that yoga meditation is known for. The Yoga Meditation IG has moved to doing online meditation. Come and experience and learn this unique technique. You will learn to transform the mind from negative to positive, disturbed to peaceful, and from unhappy to happy. Contact Lalita for further information and times.

**Lalita Patil (lgpatil@hotmail.com)**



Reminder: Only members who have renewed by the September 1 deadline will be able to register for groups as part of the Kickoff on September 8!

## MOVIES

Join us if you enjoy movies and like to discuss them with others. When theaters reopen, we meet on the third Sunday of the month. Members suggest films, preferably matinee showings. The group coordinator informs members by email or telephone when, where, and what movie has been chosen. Members can bring friends. This is an informal group, and we sometimes stop for coffee or a meal following the movie

**Maureen Moses (mamamoses@gmail.com)**

## NEEDLECRAFT

We are planning to meet virtually. If you are interested in creating with a needle and thread, the needlecraft group is for you. This year we will also complete some craft projects that don't require stitching. All skill levels are welcome. Each month we introduce something new or you can enjoy working on your own project. Help and advice are freely given!

So come and learn a new skill or revisit a favorite pastime. We look forward to stitching with you. We meet the fourth Wednesday of the month at 6:30 PM at the Tanglewood Clubhouse. We don't charge dues.

**Karen Truitt (truittka@comcast.net)**

## SPEAKING OF ART

This is an Interest Group for people who love art: talking about art, visiting art galleries and museums or making art. In a "normal year" meetings are held monthly at Foxdale from 1-3 PM on the second Friday of the month from September through May. Until the meetings can be held, the leaders and members of the group will continue to share emails with news about local and online art announcements and exhibits.

**Dotty Ford (dottysford@gmail.com)**

## WINE TASTING

There are several wine tasting groups, some of which are at capacity because they meet in member homes or small areas. If you would like to join a wine tasting group, please indicate this on the sign-up sheet. If there are at least 10 people on the waitlist, the UWC can provide assistance to start a new group.

## QUILTING

The Group will not be meeting during 2020-2021.

**Nanette McAtee (ndmcaatee@gmail.com)**

**JoAnne Westerhaus (supermofo0624@gmail.com)**

# THANK YOU!

for renewing your membership! Your dues pay for: Insurance... Mailing Costs... Printing Costs... Scholarships... Big Ten participation...





“I got a call from Julianne Sills. I do not know her personally but she is a long time UWC member. She saw my bio. for the Board election of officers and noticed I was a native of the Garden State of New Jersey (sorry for the admission!) It turns out Julianne lived in the town I grew up in (West Orange) and we talked for an hour about the area and the shore (as only NJ folks refer to the beach). There were lots of interesting coincidences including the fact that we went to neighboring all girls Catholic high schools, sister schools if you will. We were about 10 years apart but the uniforms and other things were the same. It was nice to hear from someone who I likely wouldn't have met (by phone) if not for social distancing, etc. A positive conversation in a bleak time lifted both of our spirits!”

Board member Pat Garthe shares a silver lining story — a happy result of isolating at home and being in the University Women’s Club!



For many years, a highlight of the Kickoff has been signing up for our annual New York trip. Through the lovely fall and cold days of winter, we’ve looked forward to it as a welcome sign of spring.

Unfortunately, due to the unpredictability of the COVID-19 pandemic, the uncertainty of developing a vaccine and the apprehension and vulnerability of so many of our members, the New York Trip committee has decided not to plan a spring trip to New York City in 2021. We hope that everyone continues to stay safe and healthy so that we can all be together again, headed for the Big Apple, in the not too distant future.

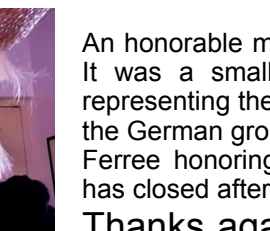
## Mask Contest results!



On behalf of the entire UWC Board, thank you to all who enthusiastically participated in the UWC Mask Event. Thirteen groups joined in the fun submitting many colorful, clever, creative entries. Unfortunately only one group could be selected as winner and it was a difficult choice!



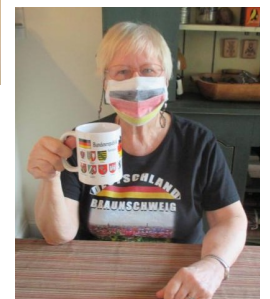
**CONGRATULATIONS** to our winning group: *Wicked Good Reads!* The group, led by Priscilla McFerren and Barb Slattery, chose a whimsical and unique approach to masks, and the participation rate of members was excellent. According to the leaders, it was challenging to organize the group since they could not meet in person. All communication was done by email and each person had to work on her mask individually. Priscilla was “excited and delighted, practically speechless” when she heard the group had triumphed. According to Priscilla “I was so tickled pink I was jumping up and down!” She noted how much she enjoyed the event and how nice it was to see the book covers again and remember the wonderful gatherings spent discussing the books. A \$100 donation to the UWC Scholarship will be made in the name of the group.

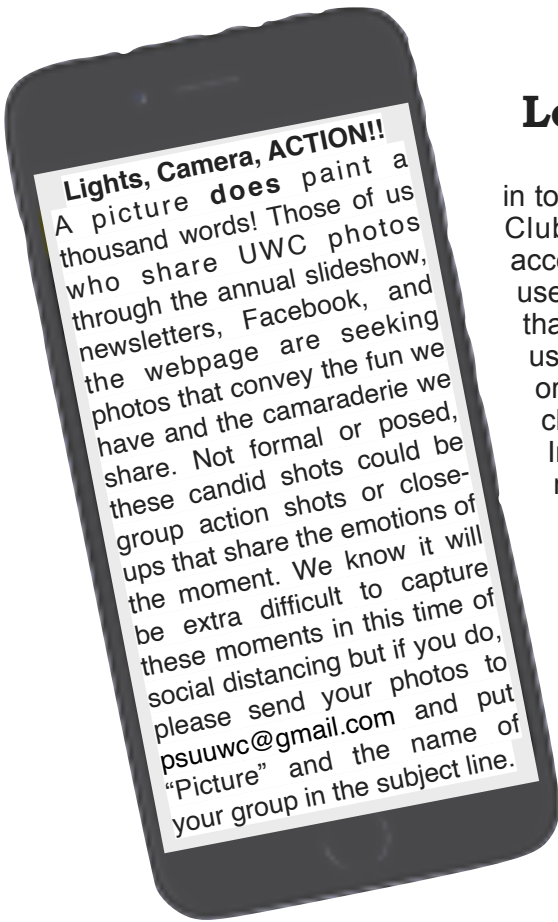


An honorable mention goes to the Hiking group for their lone submission. It was a small but mighty entry designed by Marsha Turner Pluhar representing the best of the outdoors! A second honorable mention goes to the German group submitting one special photo of long time leader Renate Ferree honoring her German heritage. (Note: Sadly, the German group has closed after many years).

Thanks again for making the Mask Event a success!

*Pat Garthe and Pat Weaver*





## Learn to ZOOM

To help our members stay in touch during the pandemic, the Club has acquired a ZOOM account. ZOOM is an easy to use videoconferencing program that can connect our members, using a smartphone, tablet, iPad or computer. This has enabled the Board to continue to meet virtually to chart a course for this unusual year. The account is also available to Interest Group leaders who would like to continue to stay in touch with members.



If you are new to ZOOM, help is available. In July, an email invitation to join an Introductory ZOOM Session was sent to all members. In the sessions, members learned how to connect on ZOOM, navigate ZOOM features, and how to host their own meeting to stay connected with family and friends.

There is still time to start ZOOMing! Another Introductory ZOOM Session is scheduled **Tuesday, August 18, 3:00-4:00 PM.**

If you would like to participate in an Introductory ZOOM Session, or would like more information on using the UWC ZOOM account, contact Sue Miller, Communications Assistant VP, at psuuwc@gmail.com.

## SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE



A portion of every UWC member's dues supports the Club's annual UWC Award, presented annually to a graduating State College Area High School senior who has achieved academically and participated in school and community activities and will attend Penn State. The award winner receives a \$500 prepaid account at the Penn State University Bookstore.

The 2020-2021 recipient of the UWC Award is Melody B. Sharp, who enrolled at Penn State this summer with plans to major in biology. Since elementary school, Melody has been involved in Girl Scouts and has fostered cats for PAWS. Her scouting involvement culminated in Melody's achieving her Gold Award last year. During her State High years, Melody participated in Future Business Leaders of America, National Technical Honor Society, and the National Honor Society, for which she was Treasurer her junior year. As a high school student, Melody enjoyed teaching other students American Sign Language. She lives in Port Matilda with her family and two cats and a dog. Her sister is a Senior at West Chester University; her mom is a Bellefonte middle school teacher and her dad is HRI's IT director.

With UWC's year-end activities curtailed, we didn't have an opportunity to learn how the year went for our 2019-2020 Endowed Scholarship recipients at the annual Spring Luncheon. However, here are the updates they provided. Our graduate student scholar, Samantha Suk, thanked her family, friends, and church family for keeping her grounded during COVID-19. Samantha graduated with her M.Ed. in Higher Education in May and on July 1 left her position as a senior undergraduate admissions counselor to become an academic advisor in the Department of Energy and Mineral Engineering. She wrote: "I can't thank you all enough for the scholarship! It was a blessing not to spend a cent on tuition this past year."

Anna VanAlstine, our 2019-2020 undergraduate student scholar, continues to work as a financial assistant in the Astronomy Department and pursue a second bachelor's degree in Atmospheric Science, which she anticipates earning in fall 2021. This summer, she's beginning research to address the climate problem of polar amplification. Outside of academics and work, Anna enjoys working in her vegetable and flower gardens, kayaking in Spring Creek, and spending time with her two Dalmatian hound mixes. She wrote, "Forever you all will have my sincere gratitude and thanks."

In closing, UWC Board members extend their sympathy to Lori Ebert-Tyworth's family. Lori was actively involved in the club when Penn State hosted the biennial conference of Big Ten University Women's Clubs. As a Penn State Development staff member, she donated through payroll deduction to the UWC Endowed Scholarship and to our annually funded scholarship before it. Sadly, she recently succumbed to cancer after a valiant fight.

*Thank you to all donors!*

*A full list of 2020 donors\* will appear in the Winter newsletter.*

\* Please note: to respect your privacy, Penn State does not share names of those who make donations via credit card. If you use your credit card to donate to the UWC Endowed Scholarship, please inform Charlene Harrison (chh1@psu.edu) so we can acknowledge your generosity.



**Whether you are joining the University Women's Club for the first time or renewing your membership, please print form below or download the Membership Application (found under Membership tab on this website) and mail in with your dues.**



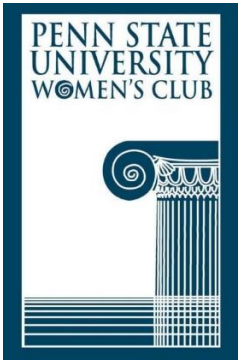
***Dues are due!***



**Deadline to get the link for the Fall Virtual Kickoff movie and Interest Group sign-up sheet is SEPTEMBER 1.**



The next UWC Newsletter will be ready in mid-December. If you will be leaving the area in the winter and prefer to have your newsletter mailed, please be sure UWC Treasurer Sue Stephenson has your correct winter address by December 1. This will ensure you get your newsletter on time and avoid the Club getting charged automatically for forwarding your newsletter. You can reach Sue at [sts39@comcast.net](mailto:sts39@comcast.net) or send address change to PO Box 341, State College PA 16804.



# Membership and Dues Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**ENCLOSED is a \$30 check for my dues, payable to University Women's Club.**

DIRECTORY: Your contact information will be included if your dues are paid by Oct. 1.

Do NOT include my information in the directory.

NEWSLETTER: Your membership includes 3 newsletters per year. Please check one:

**I'm going green! Please deliver my newsletter to my email address.**

Please mail my newsletters to my home.

Check one:  NEW MEMBER.  CONTINUING MEMBER.

The University Women's Club is open to ALL women who have a common concern for the interests of Penn State and our community.

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