

# *The Chatham Woman's Club, Inc.*

## Newsletter

**General Meeting – November 10, 2006**

### **Those Wonderful Ongoing Socials**

I attended two socials since the last meeting and both were wonderful. I have reports about the others and they are glowing in their praise. Thanks to the hostesses: Bette Hahner, Blanche MacMullan, Pat Sachtleben, Judi Cutts, Egle Pedini, Suzanne Chalkey, Nancy Beauchamp, Margaret Stenberg, Dee Flaherty, Fran Monroe, Barbara Sifflard, Anne Brown Vets, Barbara Lynyak, Shirley Kangas, Marta Dutkewych, Nancy Rafferty, and Blanche MacMullan.

Socials in our future:

- **Holiday Wine Tasting and Buffet**, on Friday, December 1, 2006 –6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- **Holiday Cocktail Party**, Wednesday, December 6, 2006 - 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.
- **Taste of Christmas Past** , Saturday, December 16, 2006 6:00 p.m.
- **Charade Party** . Wednesday, January 17, 2007 - 7:00 p.m. **STILL Room for more!**
- **Wine and Cheese Social** , Saturday, January 20, 2007 at 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.



Fran Monroe and Dee Flaherty – with Outrageous Desserts



Halloween Party prize contenders. . .



. . . and winners.

### **New Members**

Six additional new members will be introduced at our meeting today. They are Carol Abel, Barbara Baule, Morag Geraci, Fran Tocci, Michele Dupont, and Peggy Sullivan Crespo. An addendum to the Year Book will be distributed at the December meeting.

### **December Meeting on Friday, December 1 – PLEASE TAKE NOTE**

Please note that our next meeting is on Friday, December 1. This is our holiday meeting, and there is no formal business meeting, although we may have a few announcements of interest. We come together for a festive party and entertainment.

### **The Community Service and Veterans Committee**

The Community Service and Veterans Committee will be circulating sign up sheets for the various new programs we are trying to get up and running. Please be open to giving some time to the community. Some activities require as little as one hour every few months. Thank you to all of those who have already volunteered. If for some reason you did not see the sign up sheets, please get in touch with Bette Hahner..

### **Correspondence**

If anyone would like to contact Mary Smolens, (Past-President of the Chatham Woman's Club 1992) she is presently recovering at a skilled nursing facility in Oregon. Her daughter gave us these addresses for all those who may wish to express their thoughts, prayers and kind words of encouragement. Mary Smolens, Crestview, 6530 SW 30th Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97239 or c/o Beth Kieres ( Mary's daughter)1852 4th Avenue, West Linn, Oregon 97068503-722-1531

### **Recognition of 25-Year and 50-Year Members**

We are on the lookout for special people in the Chatham Woman's Club who have been members for 25 years or more. If we are really blessed, we will find some members who have been involved with a federated woman's club for 50 years. Please call Regina McDowell if you know of anyone who fits either of these categories.

## Life Is Good Party!

Life was particularly good a few Sundays ago when around 60 people gathered for cooking presentations, wine tasting, home theater and home automation presentations, and the drawing for a flat screen TV at the KAM showroom. Pat Sachtleben won the TV, and Gerry McDowell won the centerpiece. Please visit and support our sponsors for this successful fundraising event.

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Chatham 02633  
[chathamliquorlocker.com](http://chathamliquorlocker.com)

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Chatham 02633  
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Chatham, MA 02633  
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## Calendar for November , December, and January 2006

**Nov 11, Saturday** - American Heritage Department - Crosby Mansion in Brewster decorated for Christmas by the Nauset Garden Club - Tickets are \$20 at the door

**Nov 16, Thursday** – Literature and Drama Department – Home of Marta Dutkewych, *My Dream of You* by Nuala O'Faolain, reviewed by Suzanne Burley. 1:00 p.m.

**November 17, Friday** – Legislative Department meeting at the home of Doreen Carlette, at 43 Chipping Stone Road. Speaker: Robyn Moore, acting Chatham Postmaster, on some interesting facts about the U.S. Postal Service and funny stories to tell. 10:00 a.m.

**Nov 27 - Monday** - Conservation Department meeting at the home of Suzanne Burley, 945-4867. Speaker: David Doherty on *History and Challenges to the Chatham Conservation Foundation* - 1:00 p.m.

**December 1, Friday** – Chatham Woman's Club General Meeting – Noon. Entertainment: Organ Concert, Hand bell Choir, and Carol Sing directed and performed by Joseph Marchio, Director of Music, First Congregational Church, Chatham.: Bring an unwrapped toy or children's outerwear to the meeting for a donation to Chatham Fire Department's Santa's Workshop.

**Dec 6, Wednesday** – American Heritage Department – Christmas Tea:. Details to be announced. Contact Priscilla Oliver.

**Jan 15, 2007** – Deadline for receipt of application and entry for the **Short Story and Poetry Contests** for GFWC members. Contact Regina McDowell at 945-1632 for application.

**Jan 18, Thursday** - Literature and Drama Department – Home of Suzanne Burley, *Talking Back* by Andrea Mitchell, reviewed by Marta Dutkewych.. 1:00 p.m.

**Jan 22, Monday** – Conservation Department meeting – home of Nancy Yeaw. Speaker: Paul Parker, on “The Fisheries Outlook off Chatham’s Coast.”