



MIWC UPDATE

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DOROTHY HARKNESS, EDITOR

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Marco Island Yacht Club

"Jewelry by Design"

Amanda Jaron

TODAY'S MENU

Corned Beef and Cabbage with Potatoes and Carrots

Vegetarian: Stacked Vegetable Tower, Zucchini,

Yellow Squash, Portabellas, Roasted Red Pepper,

Snap Peas and Green Lentils

Warm Blueberry Bread Pudding

INVOCATION


Sue Ellen Welch

Thought for Today

May the road rise to meet you. May the wind be always at your back. May the sunshine warm upon your face. The rains fall soft upon your fields, and until we meet again, may God hold you in the palm of his hand.

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Members,

We are half way through our voyage. Our Fashion Show was a wonderful success because of its excellent crew and Cards and Games provided a chance for us all to mingle and play our favorite games. On we go to the Home Tour-March 24! I hope you've bought your ticket. They are available today. Another very capable crew is working to give us all a great day and add to the Club's coffers! We'll vote on the proposed new slate of officers for 2020-21 at our April meeting. Wishing you all a lucky St Patrick's Day, a meaningful Lent, and beware of the "ides"! 

All the best,

Sue Ellen Welch, President

2020-2021 OFFICER NOMINATIONS

President:	Debbie Rago
Vice President:	Joyce Frame
Secretary:	Elisabeth Rehtin
Corresponding Secretary:	Jill Dizio
Treasurer:	Julia Maslanka
Assistant Treasurer:	Leesa Carls

TABLE DECORATIONS

Marilyn Kraemer and Lenore Yale

RAFFLE TICKET SALES

Betty Cioffi

HOSTESSES TODAY

Leesa Carls, Alice Comerford, Cristina Leske,
Trish Wiley and Joyce Frame, Chair



COMING EVENTS

Winn-Dixie Supermarket

has selected the

Marco Island Woman's Club

for the Community Bag Program.

The MIWC will receive a \$1 donation every time a \$2.50 reusable Community Bag is purchased at the Marco location during the month of March.

Contact Jill Dizio, 394-4677 for more information.

ANNUAL ELEGANT HOME TOUR

Tuesday, March 24, 2020

Marco Island Yacht Club

Elaine Orr

(239)571-0578

orrelaine@live.com

Tickets: Julia Maslanka

(312) 953-3126

\$110 per person or

Patron: \$125

- *Tour of Elegant Marco Island Homes*
- *Air-Conditioned Coach Transportation to Each Home*
- *Home Décor Raffle and Cork Pull*

Tickets are now on sale for the 19th Annual Elegant Home Tour and Luncheon and can be purchased here today, on the MIWC website, or by contacting Julia Maslanka. If you have any questions, contact Elaine Orr.

Make checks payable to:

Marco Island Woman's Club Charitable Foundation

And Mail to:

Julia Maslanka, 1000 S. Collier Blvd, #1001, Marco Island, FL 34145

COMING IN OCTOBER, 2020

MIWC Travel Group

If you love traveling, this is for you!
Contact Elisabeth Rehtin, 239 389 1456,
erehtin@gmail.com

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance as of February 21, 2020:	\$10,348.75
MIWC Charitable Foundation, Inc.:	\$45,079.79

MEMBERSHIP

Arleen Soldano –(239) 290-3390

Due to security concerns, new members' personal information will not be posted on our website. Please refer to your newsletters from the luncheons or the Club's yearbook.

Encourage your friends and neighbors to join the Marco Island Woman's Club. Prospective members must be residents of Marco Island.

CONGRATULATIONS

Joyce Frame



At the 2020 Relay for Life Cancer Survivor dinner, our own Joyce Frame was honored with "The Sandy Holdgate Spirit of Relay Award." Joyce has supported the Greater Marco Island Relay for Life with many endeavors. As Joyce humbly accepted the award, she stated it is due to everyone's involvement that truly makes "Relay for Life" so successful.

LUNCHEON RESERVATIONS

Shirley Thayer - 642-0733

Vini Just - 394-3635

Your reservation must be received by the Thursday before the luncheon.

Checks for \$39 are to be sent to:

Marco Island Woman's Club

P. O. Box 400 Marco Island, FL 34146

A vegetarian option is always available, but please note that on your reservation check.

Sorry, the Yacht Club can only provide vegetarian lunches to those who have ordered ahead with Shirley Thayer.

Online Credit Card Payments for Lunches, Dues and Other Events

Go to <https://mkt.com/marco-island-womans-club>

If you are having trouble you can contact

Debbie Rago, (860)798-0270 or debbierago@aol.com

Another way is to go to marcowomansclub.com, our website, where it says shopping and a direct link to site—just click.

More and more members are finding this convenient as you are able to pay for several things at one time.

CLUB INFORMATION

To stay informed about the Club's events, you can "Friend" us on Facebook at Miwc Marco and follow us on:

Twitter at Marco Island Woman's Club

Instagram at Marco_Island_Womans_Club

ANNUAL DUES PAYABLE BEGINNING JANUARY 1

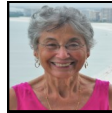
\$50 For Active Members, \$55 for Associate Members

Please send your membership check payable to MIWC,

P. O. Box 604, Marco Island, FL 34146

MEET YOUR MEMBERS

Cristina Leske, Book Club Coordinator



Originally from Chile, Cristina completed her studies in Boston and, after marrying her classmate Gary, lived in Rochester, NY and Long Island, NY for most of her life. Cristina is a retired MD specializing in epidemiologic research, directing studies on major eye diseases and cancer in the US and overseas, with extensive international travel. She was at the University of NY at Stony Brook, where she chaired the Department of Preventive Medicine. Cristina was very happily married for 50 years and enjoys frequent visits with her three sons and four grandchildren. After falling in love with Marco 10 years ago, she's now a full-time resident. A MIWC member since 2013, she has hosted post beach clean-up brunches for the club, served with its Nominating Committee, and now coordinates the Book Club; she's also on the Board of the Calusa Garden Club. She enjoys swimming, reading, long beach walks, collecting antique oyster plates, arranging flowers, growing air plants, theater and opera.

Theater-A-Goers

Anyone wishing to attend upcoming events at Artis-Naples, please contact Sharyn Kampmeyer (389-0988): The next event is "Come from Away" Friday, March 27, at 8 pm and Sunday, March 29, at 2 pm. There are two tickets for sale for the Friday evening performance. Contact Sharyn for more information.

Book Club

The Book Club meets on the third Thursday of each month; meetings are followed by a group dinner. The books being discussed in March and April, respectively, are "My Name is Mary Sutter" by Robin Oliveira and "A Backpack, a Bear and Six Crates of Vodka: A Memoir" by Lev Golinkin. If you are interested in starting a new Book Club, or for further information, please contact Cristina Leske (mcleske@gmail.com or 239-394-1088).

Stitch Makers

Women who like to crochet and knit, you may have your work donated. Using your own yarn, proceed at your leisure or at the monthly "Stitch Session." We meet the second Wednesday of each month at 1:00 in the Social Room at The Plantation Condo. The next session is Wednesday, March 11. Please contact Anne Marchetti (201 321-0801/marc9122@msn.com) for more information about this special interest group.

YEARBOOK CORRECTION

Elisabeth Rechten: Correct e mail address is: erechten@gmail.com

NEXT MONTH'S MEETING

Wednesday, April 1, 2020

Marco Island Yacht Club

"The Dolphin Experience"

Bob McConville

NEXT MONTH'S MENU

Baked Stuffed Flounder with Lump Crab

Asparagus, Angel Hair Pasta with Minced Parsley

Vegetarian: Wild Mushroom Blend Wrapped in Puff Pastry with Brie Cheese, Duxelles and Arugula, Served with Herb

Roasted Fingerling Potato and Baby Carrots

Strawberry Fruit Trifle