

Marco Island Woman's Club Membership Application (Rev 4/2022)

Name _____
Last First

Preferred Name on Tag _____ Husband/Significant Other's Name _____

Address _____
Street OR P.O. Box Zip Code

CELL Phone # _____ E-mail _____

Birth Month/Day _____ Annual Resident? _____ If Seasonal # _____ months/year

How did you hear about us? _____

Former Club/Organizations & Posiitons held: _____

Formal Education & Occupation(s) _____

Interests & Hobbies: _____

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Signature Date

Please read the Marco Island Woman's Club volunteer opportunities on the following pages & indicate your interests below:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cards & Games Event | <input type="checkbox"/> Invocation | <input type="checkbox"/> Book Club |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Decorative Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Membership | <input type="checkbox"/> Stitches Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Newsletter | <input type="checkbox"/> Theater Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fashion Show | <input type="checkbox"/> Publicity | <input type="checkbox"/> Travel Group |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hostesses | <input type="checkbox"/> Raffles | <input type="checkbox"/> Beach Clean UP |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach | <input type="checkbox"/> Reservations | <input type="checkbox"/> Website |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly Movie Matinee | <input type="checkbox"/> Cards & Games Group | <input type="checkbox"/> Board Membership |

Mail your completed application & a check payable to Marco Island Woman's Club in the amount of \$50.00
MIWC, PO Box 604, ATTN: MEMBERSHIP CHAIR, Marco Island, FL 34146

This section to be completed by the Membership Committee

Check #: _____ Date: _____ Amount: _____

Date Accepted: _____ Signature: _____

Welcome Note: _____ Follow Up Call: _____ Introduced to Club: _____

Marco Island Woman's Club Committee Descriptions & Volunteer Opportunities

Cards & Games Event

The Cards & Games Committee Chair determines the time, date, location, price & menu for this annual social event. She is responsible for reservations, managing game tables, obtaining a grand prize for the raffle drawing & selecting the table favors. Volunteers assist with preparation for the event & carry out day of the event tasks.

Decorative Design

The Decorative Design Chair is responsible for table floral arrangements and/or decorations at all luncheons & special events. She works with a committee who determines & designs the decorations based on seasonal & event themes, program topic, etc. Volunteers make the arrangements/ decorations & help place them on table at the venue.

Fashion Show

The Fashion Show Committee Chair is responsible for setting a date, finding a venue & obtaining a store to present the fashions. She works with the venue to arrange the details of the event, such as menu, price, music & other details specific to the Fashion Show. Volunteers will find many varied opportunities such as designing the program, managing ticket sales & reservations, soliciting raffle items, designing & setting up raffle baskets, prizes, & table favors. Computer skills needed for some volunteer positions. Models from the membership are needed for the event & there are additional opportunities to help on the day of the event.

Hostesses

The Hostesses Committee Chair is responsible for soliciting & assigning volunteer hostesses to greet attendees as they arrive at monthly luncheon meetings & special events; escort members & guests to the check-in table; assist with seating arrangements; & assist the Membership Chair to identify & welcome new members attending their first luncheon & escort them to their seats.

Community Outreach

The Community Outreach Chair creates partnerships with local businesses & non-profits to further the Club's awareness & mission. Examples include the Island's annual Chili Cookoff, Manatee Middle School Girl Up program & shopping/dining fundraisers with local merchants.

Invocation

The Invocation Committee Chair is responsible for assigning volunteers to present the invocation at various club functions. Volunteers are scheduled to deliver an appropriate invocation for a specified month's luncheon meeting or special event. It is helpful if volunteers enjoy public speaking.

Membership

The Membership Committee Chair is responsible for presenting membership applications to the Board for approval & ensuring that the membership list agrees with the Treasurer's record of paid memberships. She maintain an accurate data base of all members' skill sets & interests for use by the Club's committee chairs. She writes a note of welcome to each new member, introduces them at the monthly luncheons & provides them with a welcome gift. Volunteers assist the Chair in welcoming new members & with administrative tasks.

Newsletter

The Newsletter Editor is responsible for developing & distributing the monthly newsletters (October through May). She needs to have computer skills.

Publicity

The Publicity Committee Chair is responsible for all phases of club publicity. She identifies publicity opportunities to promote the club & also informs local media of major fund raising & other events for press coverage. The Publicity Committee Chair is also responsible for identifying & developing working relationships with Corporate Sponsors for the club. She works with Corporate Sponsors in the development of event advertising, submits event photos, & writes articles as needed regarding club events. It is helpful if the Chair has established relationships with local media contacts & has good writing & computer skills.

Raffles

The Raffle Committee Chair is responsible for soliciting raffle items from local businesses for special events & conducting the monthly luncheon 50/50 raffle. It is helpful if the Chair enjoys public speaking. Volunteers sell raffle tickets & distribute prizes at both the luncheon meetings & at special events.

Reservations

The Reservations Committee Chair is responsible for all luncheon reservations & meal orders. Volunteers assist in retrieving reservations from both the Club's P.O. Box & its on-line shopping cart; developing a reservation list of all attendees & their specific entree choice; tallying the number of regular & vegetarian entrees to be ordered: on the day of the luncheon, checking in each attendee on the reservation list & ensuring each reservations is paid in full.

Website

The Web Master is responsible for all aspects of the club's website. She keeps the website current & updates web page information as needed, including the Club's event calendar & photo gallery. The Web Master identifies the needs for website maintenance & improvements. The Web Master needs to have proven computer skills.

Board & Committe Service

Share your talents, skills & life experience with the Club through active participation on the Board of Directors as an Officer or Committee Chair. Your service will benefit the Club, our members & our community. It is an interesting, rewarding & fun one year committment.

Special Interest Groups

The Club's "***Special Interest Groups***" are an opportunity for members to bond over common interests through the participation in the existing Book Club, Stitch Makers, Theater Goers and Travel Group. The Club President is available to discuss your interest in starting a group for an interest or activity not listed.

Book Club

The Book Club meets on the third Thursday of each month at the home of that month's discussion leader. Meetings are followed by an optional group dinner at a local restaurant. Membership requires attendance of at least five of the eight scheduled meetings during the October-May season.

Stitch Makers

The MIWC Stitch Makers meet at 1 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month in the Plantation Condo Social Room to work on knitting and crocheting projects. Whether novice, pro, or willing to learn, members use their own yarn to make blankets & hats for the pediatric patients at the Golisano Children's Hospital, as well as for local non-profits.

Theater Goers

The Club has an annual group subscription with Artis-Naples for tickets to Broadway plays, Pops concerts & single artist shows. Performances are held November through May. You may opt to attend one or all events.

Travel Group

The Club occasionally sponsors day-trips to SW Florida places of interest.

All members of the Marco Island Woman's Club are expected to volunteer for Club committees/ activities and to take part in the events that raise funds for our scholarships & other charitable causes.

If you have any questions, feel free to ask any of the Club's officers, board members or committee chairs. Thank you for your interest!