



## WOMAN'S CLUB OF ALLWOOD

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**Meeting Date:** Monday, November 4, 2013 – 7:30 p.m. (December starts at 7p.m.)

**Meeting Hostess:** Shirley Bird

**Program:** John Biegel, Clifton Chairman of Flags

**Food Collection for St. Peter's Haven:** Let's help others have a Happy Thanksgiving! Please bring the makings for a Thanksgiving Dinner: Stove Top, canned potatoes or yams, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie mix, etc. The Club will be delivering this Thanksgiving feast along with a check for turkeys. (Volunteers needed to bring items to St. Peter's the day after the meeting. A sign-up sheet will be at the meeting.) [www.stpeterhaven.org](http://www.stpeterhaven.org)

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**A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT** (Dorothy Gondola): WOW, IS NOVEMBER A VERY BUSY MONTH!!! First Election Day, then Veteran's Day, and one of America's special holidays: THANKSGIVING - all this amidst the hustle and bustle of preparing for the holidays!!!

We must always remember how lucky we are. Even as we grumble and mumble about that which is not perfect in our lives!!! MAY YOU ALL HAVE A WONDERFUL THANKSGIVING DAY!

As we celebrate our Veterans, let us not forget those who are in Active Service. **Please bring a pack of gum and/or a pair of white athletic socks to the November meeting.** Also, if you have **any leftover Halloween Candy** (wrapped of course) that would be appreciated. We will forward to CLIFTON CARES. [www.facebook.com/clifton.cares](http://www.facebook.com/clifton.cares)

**PUBLIC AFFAIRS:** On November 14<sup>th</sup> at 7p.m. in the Clifton High School Auditorium, there will be a program on *Gun Violence Prevention*. One of the speakers will be a parent from the Sandy Hook Elementary School in Connecticut.

**DUES ARE PAST DUE!** Thank you to all who submitted your annual dues. If you have NOT yet paid your dues, they MUST be paid by the November meeting to Annemarie Hollenback. Remember to place cash in the envelop with your name on the outside.

Dues were also received from Lydia Balk. She sends her best regards to the Club.

**CONSERVATION & GARDEN** (Shirley Bird): Autumn Leaves are Falling! Compost fallen leaves by chopping or shredding them. They make the best mulch!

**HOME LIFE DEPARTMENT** (Barbara Bisaccio): Meet at Barbara's house on **November 20<sup>th</sup>** at 12:30. Sign up or call her if you will be attending.

**LITERATURE DEPARTMENT** (Rosemarie Coombs): We are so pleased that Rosemarie is up and about! Her meeting will be on **November 13<sup>th</sup>** at 12:30. Be sure to sign up. Thanks to Barbara Dougherty for filling in for Rosemarie last month.

**FUNDRAISING NEWS** (Doris Monteith): Innisbrook and Uncle Al's orders are DUE at the November meeting. While Doris is enjoying her birthday excursion to Hawaii (ALOHA), please give your orders to Annemarie.

**SUNSHINE** (Toni Salerno): Please let Toni know of anyone who should be sent a greeting.

**ARTS/PERFORMING** (Anita McGowan): Join us Sunday, Nov 10th at 2 pm to see "Appointment with Death" by Agatha Christie at the Aprea Theater, Scoles Avenue, Clifton. Tickets are \$15 for Seniors, \$20 for General Admission. Pay Anita McGowan by the November Meeting. (Anita will be at the theatre early on the 10th with all Pre-paid tickets.) *Take advantage of quality local entertainment!*

*WELL WISHES FOR MARIE BENFANTE WHO WILL HAVE HIP REPLACEMENT SURGERY ON OCTOBER 31<sup>ST</sup> – TALK ABOUT TRICK OR TREAT!*

*"Let us remember that, as much has been given us, much will be expected from us, and that true homage comes from the heart as well as from the lips, and shows itself in deeds." ~Theodore Roosevelt*