



## WOMAN'S CLUB OF ALLWOOD

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**Meeting Date: Monday, November 2nd, 2015 – 7:30 p.m.**

**Meeting Hostess: Pat Siems** (set-up is 12:30pm for those who would like to assist)

**Committee: Mary Bubrowski, Betty Hoffman, Pat Zeh, Anita McGowan**

**Program: Guest Speaker, Dominic Villano, City Manager**

**Treasurer** (Annemarie Hollenback): CLUB DUES are \$45. If you have not already submitted yours, please enclose in an envelope with your name on the front so that your payment can be properly noted. Thank You.

**Food Collection for St. Peter's Haven:** ALL THINGS THANKSGIVING: Boxed Stuffing Mix, Boxed Mashed Potato Mix, Canned Yams and Other Vegetables, Cranberry Sauce, Pumpkin Pie Filling – all the fixings for a Thanksgiving Feast! Also, St. Peter's continues to gladly accept gift cards to local supermarkets as well. Joanne Krudys will be delivering our collection to St. Peter's Haven! Thank you Joanne!

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**A MESSAGE FROM OUR PRESIDENT** (Barbara A. Lemley): **KUDOS** to Doris Monteith and Sara Zschoche for another successful bus ride! It was a fun-filled adventure, that took us in a different direction. Our adventure started with a day at the races, thanks to Dorothy Gondola's expertise. We had three jockeys on board – Thank You Annemarie Hollenback, Pat Siems and Justine Gondola. Thank you to all! Our busy fundraisers want to remind you that your Innisbrook/TerriLynn orders need to be placed by Monday's meeting.

It's November. It's time to count our blessings! It's time to honor our Veterans, young and old, for their sacrifices, all of which are life-changing. Please take the time to say "Thank You" to someone you know who has served and to those who are now serving our country. You will feel good. As you shop for your Thanksgiving Feast, please don't forget that there are many families that need food for their tables. You can help. You will be blessed. As this this holiday season gets underway, please make time to visit, write a note, and/or call someone you know who could use a little cheering up. You will bring a smile to both your faces.

Have you counted your blessings? Knowing and working alongside all of you is one of mine. **HAPPY THANKSGIVING.**

**FEDERATION SECRETARY** (Dorothy Gondola): Congratulations to all of our Backpack Teams – we were able to donate EIGHT completed backpacks to NAMI-NJ. **GREAT JOB!**

**ARTS/PERFORMING** (Anita McGowan): All advance tickets for "Little Shop of Horrors" are \$12 because we qualified for a group rate. Join us at the Aprea Theater Sunday, Nov. 15th performance at 2pm (Scoles Ave, Clifton). Payment must be made by our November meeting for the discounted price. If you already paid, you will receive a refund for the difference. Seats are reserved. Tickets purchased at the door will be the regular prices (\$15 for Seniors, \$20 General Admission).

**COMMUNICATIONS** (Barbara S. Lemley): Please note that Nancy Hee's address & phone was listed incorrectly in the Yearbook. Kindly make the correction as follows: 101 Scales Plaza, Clifton 201-923-9303 Thank You.  
Our partnership with the Allwood Merchants Association continues with donation cans for the MUSIC ANGELS Program in the Clifton Public Schools. Please stop in to the participating businesses and show your support.

**EDUCATION** (Michelle Gerke): Anne Rate Scholarship applications must be complete by the March 2016 General Meeting.

**FUNDRAISING** (Doris Monteith): (Thanks again to Doris and Sara for the successful trip to the Sands Casino!) ALL Innisbrook/Terry-Lynn ORDERS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY THE NOVEMBER GENERAL MEETING. Brochures will be available at the meeting as well. Mark your calendars for the BASEBALL BUNCO – APRIL 2nd 2016. It's never too soon to think about \$5+ BUNCO PRIZES.

**HOME LIFE** (Vera Greco): Join us at Vera's home on Wednesday, November 18th at 12:30pm for the Home Life Workshop. We will be assembling gift bags for Vets to include: puzzle books, playing cards, socks, hand lotion, toiletries, etc. We will sign "Thinking Of You" cards at the meeting. A sign-up sheet will be available at Monday's meeting.

**LITERATURE** (Barbara Dougherty): The Book Group will meet Thursday, November 5th at 1:00 pm at Barbara's home. Please add your name to the sign-up sheet.

**SUNSHINE** (Toni Salerno): There will be "Thinking Of You" Cards available at Monday's meeting so you can write a note to someone in the military. Please make Toni aware of anyone you think should be receiving a SUNSHINE GREETING from the Club.



