



January 2023

## PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Happy New Year Ladies! I hope you all doing well and ready for a busy Oakmont League Spring! We are busy finalizing all the details for the benefit this March 18<sup>th</sup> – “**All in For Oakmont League**”. Stay tuned as you will be receiving emails with *Save the Date* flyers to forward to your friends and family and sponsorship opportunities as well.

Please be thinking of how you can find or be a sponsor for the event to help us grow our ability to fund scholarships and charities and make an impact in Glendale. Thank you for all your support! I am pleased to announce that our honorees for this event will be **Patsy Dewey** and **Carolyn Beaton**. These ladies have been instrumental in the success and longevity of the Oakmont League, and we are so lucky to have them in our organization!

Our January meeting will a representative for the Glendale City Planners office who will address the issues facing the city now. Come prepared with questions and concerns you’re interested in. Guests are also welcome.

The Mannequin luncheon in December was held at the home of Nancy Spencer and was a wonderful time of Holiday fellowship, food and fun- and Santa too! Thanks to Nancy for opening her beautiful home and also underwriting the event. With your donations we were able to give the YWCA Domestic Violence Shelter women over \$800. Thank you also for bringing the toys to give to the Glendale Fire Dept for their “Spark of Love” campaign. You ladies are always so

generous, and it is very much appreciated.

As always, I am thinking of you all and I hope to see many of you this month!

Wishing you and your families a happy and health New Year.

*Pam Sorem, President*



## PROGRAM

For the January meeting, we are excited to welcome Bradley Calvert from the city of Glendale to talk to us about the Verdugo Wash project. We look forward to welcoming you all back and a dynamic and interesting presentation!

Jackie Kubel, Program Chair

## WAYS AND MEANS

We are looking forward to our 2023 Ways & Means summer event “Taco ‘Bout a Party” on June 24<sup>th</sup> at the home of Amanda Duffy. Committee members are asked to stay after the January General meeting on January 25<sup>th</sup> for a brief Ways & Means Committee meeting.

*Carol Eldred & Shauna Lehmann  
Ways & Means Chairs*

## HOSPITALITY

Lily

Welcome to our January 2023 meeting. The first one of the New Year!

Please join us on Wednesday, January 25, 2023 at the Oakmont Country Club.

We are scheduled to be in the Oak Room. Turn left, after entering the Club.

Time: 10:15 AM Social, 10:30 AM Meeting and Noon Lunch.

Menu: Breast of chicken stuffed with spinach and ricotta in a Chardonnay sauce. Roasted potatoes and seasonal vegetables.

Vegetarian option: Vegetarian option: Mediterranean bowl with asparagus, wheat berry, white beans, cherry tomato, spinach, broccoli & extra virgin olive oil.

Dessert: Chocolate Mousse

RSVP: Please RSVP to the Evite before Friday, January 20. Specify your menu choice on the RSVP for yourself and any guest you are bringing for lunch. If you RSVP Yes and do not attend, you will be charged for the meal because Oakmont Country Club charges us.

Note: Meal changes cannot be made on the day of the meeting.

Credit Cards on file with Oakmont League will be charged on Monday, January 23. The cost for the luncheon is \$46.00.

*Mary Kay Prather, Hospitality Chair*



The **benefit** event date has moved from March 11 to **March 18 2023**. Another event was scheduled for the 11th in error by Oakmont. We felt it would be better for our event to have the entire facility for ourselves.

We will be sending an email to everyone with the "**Save the Date**" flier which you can forward to all of your potential guests. If you have more guests you would like to invite, please let Lydia know ASAP!

The **invitations** will be printed the week of January 23 so that we can have the personal insert cards to hand out at the Jan 25 general meeting. Each member who wishes to write a personal note to their guest to be included in the invitation can do so. We will be preparing the invitations for mailing starting Monday January 30 with the plan to have them in the mail no later than Thursday February 2 to ensure the invitations are received six weeks prior to the event.

Our website will be updated so that guests can register online, or they can complete and return their RSVP via the mail.

The solicitation letter is completed and Allison Weir will be sending the request for donations to local businesses in our community. Any Oakmont League member who would like to make a donation in any amount to offset the cost of the event will be greatly appreciated. If writing a check, please give or mail your donation to Kim Klosterman, our treasurer.

## BENEFIT Cont.

If you want to make a donation and we have your credit card information, just contact Kim and tell her the amount of the donation you would like to make. A thank you letter will be sent to each contributor for your tax purposes.

*Lydia Brown-Trout and Kimberly Klosterman,  
Benefit Chairs*



## NOMINATING COMMITTEE

Nomination forms will be sent out next month, but its never too early to start thinking about how you can best serve Oakmont League! There will be multiple board positions available, as well as appointed positions. Please feel free to reach out to me if you have any questions or if there is a role you are specifically interested in.

*Jackie Kubel, Nominating Committee Chair*

## PHILANTHROPY

I received word from YWCA that our gift cards supporting their families amounted to \$977.00!! Woo hoo! You are a constant inspiration to me, from this endeavor, to Toys for Tots, where the firemen told me we were their biggest donation! It is an honor and privilege to be the philanthropy chair.

At our meeting I will be outlining our upcoming projects!

*Ellen Farewell, Philanthropy Chair*



**Fran Buchanan  
Amanda Duffy  
Kim Klosterman  
Sharon Swinford**

