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THE CONTEMPORARY CLUB OF HO-HO-KUS NEWSLETTER

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A Message from our President, Shannon Taliercio

As I am writing this, I am surrounded by googley eyes and green felt - I am in the process of making a pterodactyl costume. Please tell Luke he looks great when you see him Saturday (even though I am relatively certain he will look like a little guy in a green poncho). I am very excited for Saturday, our Halloween Party, and to see all the kids in their creative costumes. Thank you to Heather Harris and Katie Capuano for planning what I am sure will be a spooktacular event.

Another huge thanks to the team that put together a fantastic Progressive Dinner; Jackie Derr, Nicole Garcia and Alyson Sugar did an amazing job putting the event together and I know that all of the gracious women who hosted had very happy guests (at least they all looked pretty happy at Julie Morris's house later that evening). Julie you are a rock star for

having us all into your beautiful home 2 times in one month, thank you!

I am personally very excited for our meeting next Tuesday at Katie Diamond's fabulous store. I was there yesterday and had to hold myself back from shopping since Tuesday night 20% of the profits will go to the Emanuel Cancer Fund so when shopping just keep reminding yourself you are doing it for a good cause ;)

Happy Halloween!
Shannon

Save the Date!

Family Halloween Party!!

Sat. October 31st

Join us for crafts,
fun and treats!
HHK School MPR
Room
1-3 pm

November General Meeting

November 3rd

Katie Diamond
Jewelry
570 N. Maple
Ave., Ridgewood
7:30 pm

New Member Cocktails

December 8th

New and Prospective
Member cocktails at
the HHK Inn
7:30pm
All are welcome!

From 1st Vice President, Sara Clasen

New/Prospective Member Cocktails at HHK Inn – Tuesday, December 8th

If you have a new friend or neighbor in town and would love to get them involved in the club - please be sure to send their contact information to me. We would love to meet any new or prospective members for cocktails at the HHK Inn. Tuesday, December 8th at 7:30 pm. All are welcome!!

If interested, please email me at: sarachrisnyc@yahoo.com

From 2nd Vice President, Karen Weber

COMMITTEES/VOLUNTEERS:

I hope that you all had a great summer! I'm looking forward to working with each of you on the Contemporary

Club's upcoming events in 2015-2016. If you have not yet signed up for a committee or volunteer slot, please contact me at karenweber99@hotmail.com. Below is a list of the slots that still need to be filled:

Social Night: March 2016- 1 More committee member needed

Easter Egg Parade: March 19, 2016- 2 Volunteers needed

WAYS & MEANS:

The final Ways & Means slate for 2015-2016 was voted on at the April meeting. Thank you to all of you who came to the April meeting and voted. The club is in agreement that the following organizations will benefit from our spring fundraiser. The scholarship will be \$2,000 and the balance will be distributed as follows:

YAC 30%

Angel Fund 20%

HHK Senior Citizens 15%

Contemporary Club of HHK 15%

CERF (Community Emergency Reserve Fund) 5%

Ho-Ho-Kus Waldwick Cooperative Nursery School 15%

From Social Services Vanessa Lambrix & Kathy Kennedy:

Ho-Ho-Ho-Kus Holiday Pillow sales are underway. Limited quantities are available. 35\$ each and proceeds go to the club to help fund local causes. Check CCoHHK Facebook page for more details.

Also the holidays approach please keep in mind our annual giving tree for a family in need through Valley Hospital. More details to follow in December.

A special shout out to Stacey Reddy for her efforts creating care packages for Syrian Refugees. The club was happy to contribute and we make a small difference in the lives of those effected by this humanitarian crisis.

We are looking for volunteers to deliver meals to homebound seniors for Meals on Wheels December 1st at 11am. Please contact Vanessa Lambrix at vanessalambrix@gmail.com for more information.

The Arts and Literature, Lisa Pisano

The Arts, Literature & Education: Cultural Series kicked off in September with a small group of us checking out the “Hemlines” exhibit at the Old Schoolhouse Museum in Ridgewood. At the end of October we visited Pinot’s Palette for a night of painting and fun, and November will have us getting into the kitchen in time for holiday cooking. Keep an eye on the website/Facebook/emails for next slate of events. Any suggestions are welcomed – email Lisa at ldpcomm@yahoo.com with any ideas for future events.



CC of HHK Happenings:



Garden Party

Many thanks to Caren Van Geyzel for opening up her gorgeous home for this year's kick-off event, our annual Garden Party. It was a lovely afternoon highlighted with many of our beneficiaries receiving funds raised



New Members Inducted

A warm welcome to all of the newest members inducted into the Contemporary Club!

CC of HHK Happenings, Cont'd

Member Profile: Jackie Derr

Meet Jackie Derr – CC of HHK member, wife and mother. Visit <http://ccofhhk.com> to learn more about her in our Sept/Oct Member Profile.



Kids Night Out at Ho-Ho-Kus Yoga

Children's yoga instructor Nicole Fennell will fill the evening with joyful and relaxing yoga poses, breathing exercises and bedtime fun.

Saturday, November 21, 2015

5:00pm - 7:30pm (please arrive 10 mins early to get your child settled)

Ho Ho Kus Yoga 18 Sycamore Ave HHK

Ages 3, 4 and 5 only

20 spots available; First come first served; Open to children of Contemporary Club members only. This is a drop off event but if children need a parent to stay, there are comfortable chairs in the back!

\$20 for 1st child; \$10 for sibling

Oreos and water will be served. Pajamas encouraged!

How to secure your spot:

Complete the Consent Form found on the website and drop the form and payment to Jennie Stam, 406 Braeburn Rd.

Cash or Check (checks made payable to: CC of HHK) with the name of your child in the memo line

Questions: Email Jennie at jpstam@yahoo.com or call 917-325-0635