



UBWC Board -2022-20223

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The U.B. Women's Club is a non-profit service organization to the University at Buffalo and its community. Its members participate in educational and charitable activities which directly sponsor the Grace Capen Academic Awards in the Spring semester. Membership in U.B. Women's Club is open to women who have a commitment to the University and the purpose of the Women's Club.



FROM THE PRESIDENT

Happy New Year Ladies!

Welcome to 2023, may this be the best year yet for everyone! Since January is the month of resolutions and trying new things, I am challenging all members to try one club activity or committee that you haven't tried before.

The newsletter has wonderful information on club "doings." Choose at least one thing to participate in, whether it is to go to the Chinese Banquet, join the book club, donate to the tribute fund, etc.

Speaking of things to do, the club has openings for chair-people for the Art-N-Lunch committee as well as the Gourmet Techniques committee. These are openings would be great for a couple of friends to run together.

Finally, as a parting salute to 2022, I would like to give a great big thank you to all the wonderful ladies who made the Holiday Luncheon so fabulous! Committee chairs Beth Kaderabeck, Barbara Miner, and Sue Busch led a group of ladies to provide our club with a tasty and festive luncheon-Thank you!

Sincerely,

Taunya Fournier Abaya

716-535-9603

New Opportunities for you to volunteer and become more involved in UBWC.

We are currently looking for the following:

- **Chairperson(s) for Art n Lunch**
- **Chairperson(s) for Gourmet Techniques,**
- **Chairperson interested in helping redesign our UBWC website.**

If you are interested, please contact Beth Kaderabeck at ekaderabeck@gmail.com or 716-364-8292

Note

ACTIVITY GROUPS CALENDAR AND DESCRIPTIONS

CO-CHAIRS: Barbara Miner (716-810- 9205) and Ann Rudin (716-689-7804)

ART 'N LUNCH:

GOURMET TECHNIQUES (COOKING DEMO/LUNCH)

BOOKS:

Meets 2nd Monday from 1:00 - 3:00

Canterbury Woods Clubhouse

CAROLYN GIAMBRA 716-863-8945

LOIS KELLY

PAULA SALAMONE (VIA Zoom) 2nd Tuesday

FRENCH CONVERSATION

Meets 1st Monday at 2:00 PM at member's homes

Members are asked to speak in French only

JEAN JAIN

716-633-5932

DOMINOES/MEXICAN TRAIN

Meets 2nd Friday from 1:00- 4:00

MARYANN "PO" JUMPER 716-435-3412

CLAUDIA REEVES 716-998-1239

MAJ-JONGG

Wednesdays from 1:00 to 4:00

KIM O'DONNELL 716-939-2288

BETH KADERABECK 716-689-0883

BRIDGE FLIGHT

Bridge times are arranged by players

NANCY DENEEN 716-835-2101

NEEDLEWORK

Meets 3rd Thursday at 1:00 PM at member's homes

Light refreshments will be served

SUSAN D'ANGELO 716-908-2370

SMALL GROUP DINING

Days and places vary

VICKI PAPPAS 812-361-9500

SPECIAL EVENTS

Dates and places vary

BARBARA MINER 716-810-9205

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEK 1	3:00PM FRENCH CONVERSATION Member's Home (2:00 PM)		MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 <i>Temple Shir Shalom</i>		
WEEK 2	BOOKS Canterbury Woods Clubhouse (1:00 PM)	BOOKS Via zoom 1:00 pm	MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 <i>Temple Shir Shalom</i>	Gourmet Techniques	DOMINOES MEXICAN TRAIN (1:00-4:00 PM) <i>Temple Shir Shalom</i>
WEEK 3	BRIDGE Inter/Advanced (10:00 A.M)		MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 <i>Temple Shir Shalom</i>	NEEDLEWORK Member's Homes Light Refreshments (1 PM)	
WEEK 4	UBWC: email		MAJ JONGG 1:00-4:00 <i>Temple Shir Shalom</i>		ART 'n LUNCH

UBWC PROGRAM CALENDAR FOR 2022-2023

February 5-Sunday CHINESE BANQUET

6:00 pm-9:00 pm

Golden Duck, 1840 Maple Rd., Williamsville 14221

Chairs: Jean Jain, Ann Rudin

March 11-Saturday

6:00 pm-9:00 pm

DINNER AND WINE TASTING (Austrian cuisine/wines)

Fairdale Banquet Center, 672 Wehrle Dr., Amherst 14226

Chairs: Debra Berger, Betty Schaertel, Luella Kenny

Basket Raffle Committee: Gloria O'Neill, Jill Lucci

April 22-Saturday

11:00 am-2:30 pm

ELECTION MEETING LUNCHEON

Samuel's Grand Manor 8750 Main St., Williamsville 14221

Chairs: Marion Schultz, Sandy Starks

May 20-Saturday

11:00 am-2:00 pm

SPRING LUNCHEON & OFFICERS INSTALLATION

Russell's Steaks, Chops & More, 6675 Transit Road, Williamsville

Chairs: Jane Meka, Betty Schaertel

We post photos from our many events on the website and Facebook but do not always know the people in the pictures. Feel free to tap on a picture and enter names in the comment section. Or tap the picture and you will see a "price tag" in the upper left. Tap the tag and some names may pop up or you can type in names to identify them.

Note: From the editor: The same is true of photos put in the Newsletter. Please notify the editor of the names of people in the photos. *Apologies from the editor when people are not identified.*

Did You Know?

You can find photos and information on the

Web: <http://ubwp.buffalo.edu/ubwomensclub>



Also, we are on Facebook.

Search "UB Women's Club" and "Like" and "Share" to help us spread the word. Watch for news and pictures from our events and activity groups. If you have pictures to share, please send them via email to sbusch526@gmail.com

SMALL GROUP DINING OUT- Vicki Pappas

This activity has reconvened with several small groups of diners! Members of each small group select a date and a restaurant of their choice each month and eat out. There are still a few places for new members on a first come, first-serve basis. A wait list will also be established to create any additional small groups as needed. To join, contact Vicki Pappas at pappas@indiana.edu

MAH JONGG GROUP

Kim O'Donnell and Beth Kaderabeck-Co-Chairs

We are back meeting in person at Temple Shir Shalom on Wednesday's. Experienced players are welcome to play. Please email Kim (kim3737@gmail.com) or Beth Kaderabeck at ekaderabeck@gmail.com if you would like to join us this year

TRIBUTE FUND

Jane Meka -Chair

Donations to our Tribute Fund can be made to honor a friend or a loved one for a special remembrance. Please consider donating to the Fund which helps many well deserving students. A thank you note is sent to the donor as well as an acknowledgement card to the recipient. You may contact Jane Meka at (716) 836 - 6414 or mathmeka@aol.com. Thank you for your generosity in the past.



Women's Club



Many thanks to John Lambert and the UB Marketing and Communications Department for assisting us with designing new headers (above & Newsletter header) and updating our logo to be in compliance with UB Standards. We will be incorporating these graphics over the next few months.

Buffalo Federation of Women's Club

UBWC Liaison-Marcia Sickau

All UBWC members (and their friends) are invited to join us for our January monthly Luncheon with speaker.

JANUARY LUNCHEON/MEETING

Thursday January 26, 2023

POLISH FALCONS BANQUET HALL

445 Columbia Avenue

Depew NY 14043

Morning Session: 10:15 am – doors open

General Meeting: 10:30 am

Speaker: 11:00 am – Luanne Firestone, Executive Director

Family Promise Center of WNY

(celebrating 25 years of keeping families together)

Family Style Luncheon: Sliced Beef Bordelaise, Breaded Pork Chops

Dutchess Potatoes, Vegetable

Includes: Soup, Salad, Rolls & Butter,

Dessert, Coffee or Tea

Cost of Luncheon: \$30 (includes gratuity)

Reservations must be prepaid and received

no later than Wednesday, January 18th, 2023 – NO EXCEPTIONS

Send checks payable to BFWC to:

Marcia A Sickau

9530 Transit Road – Villa D

East Amherst NY 14051

msickau@buffalo.edu

UBWC BOOK GROUP, 2022-2023

Coordinators: Carolyn Giambra, 716-863-8945, Lois Kelly, 716-649-8015

Meetings are on the second Monday of the month at Canterbury Woods Chelsea

Clubhouse, 671 Downing Lane, off Ayer Road, Williamsville.

Refreshments at 1 pm, discussion at 1:30 pm.



Zoom meetings are on the second Tuesday of the month at 1 pm.

Coordinator: Paula Salamone, 716-479-1088.

February 13, 14	<u>Deacon King Kong</u> by James McBride Discussion Leader: Gretchen Seibert, Hostesses:
March 13, 14	<u>This Tender Land</u> by William Kent Krueger Discussion Leader: Paula Salamone, Hostesses: Marion Schultz, Connie Umland
April 10, 11	<u>Her Hidden Genius</u> by Marie Benedict Discussion Leader: Linda Anscombe, Hostesses:
May 8	Planning Meeting Facilitators: Carolyn Giambra, Lois Kelly, Paula Salamone



CHINESE DINNER
GOLDEN DUCK RESTAURANT
1840 Maple Rd., Williamsville, NY 14221
(716-639-8888)



**COME AND ENJOY ONE OF OUR
FAVORITE DINNERS**
DATE-FEBRUARY 5, 2023
TIME-DOORS OPENS AT 6 PM
COST- \$47-PER PERSON

(Price includes \$7.00 donation to the Grace Capen Scholarship Fund)

Banquet Menu

Chicken Vegetable Soup
Vegetable Spring Rolls
Peking Duck
Moo Shu Duck
Sesame Chicken
Double Vegetable Delight
(Green Beans Sauteed & Eggplant W/ Garlic Sauce)
Shrimp w/Walnuts
Pineapple Beef
House Fried Rice (No shrimp)
Fresh Fruit Platter
Flaming Volcano Delight
Cash Bar Available-Beer, Fine Wine and Cocktails

The Women's Club of the University at Buffalo would like to express our appreciation to Chris & Marlee Mu and the MU family for their excellent presentation and cooperation to the success of our wonderful banquet this evening. We also thank you, our guests, for your support.

There will be a Split Club Raffle

ALL RESERVATIONS MUST BE PREPAID by *Friday, January 27, 2023*



Member Name _____ Telephone _____

Guest Names _____
(Additional names on separate sheet)

Number attending _____ Amount enclosed _____

(Checks payable to UB Women's Club) and mailed **BY January 27, 2023** to :

Jean Jain, 79 Chaumont Drive, Williamsville, NY , 14221

Any questions call Jean at 716-633 5932-or Ann Rudin at 716-689-7804

Looking forward to seeing you in February



SAVE THE DATE

The UB Women's Club

Dinner and Wine Pairing

Featuring Austrian Wines & Cuisine

\$75 per person

At the Fairdale Banquet Center

672 Wehrle Drive

Amherst, New York 14225

Saturday, March 11, 2023

This is our largest fundraiser event. Open to all members, spouses, family, and friends. Must be 21 years of age or older.

Basket Raffle ~ Sweepstakes Prizes ~ Split Club



DONATIONS-DONATIONS-DONATIONS

We are still seeking donations for the Wine Tasting dinner. Your efforts make this event the success it has been in the past.

Suggestions:

- *Ask your favorite restaurant to donate a Gift Certificate or pair up with a friend and purchase one. This is our greatest need.
- *Approach a business or service provider to donate a Gift Certificate.
- *Various venues are willing to donate tickets to their events.
- *Gather items that could be put into a themed basket.
- *Most preferred are themed baskets already made up.
- *We welcome original artwork.
- *Cash donations for us to purchase Gift Certificates.
- *Single bottles of wine.

All donations are tax deductible. Please tell your donors they will receive a receipt for tax purposes. This also applies to your personal donations. A Donation Request Letter is in this newsletter.

Any questions/ to make arrangements for pick up or delivery, please call Gloria O'Neill @ 716-445-3797.

Feel free to send a check or gift card for the event to : Gloria O'Neill , 5143 Eastbrooke Place
Williamsville, NY 14221

Dinner and Wine Pairing Event

Reservation form

Make check payable to:
UB Women's Club
RSVP BY MARCH 3, 2023

Mail along with this reservation form to:
Debra Berger
1725 Campbell Blvd.
Amherst, NY 14228

Name _____

Telephone _____

Number of people at your table _____

Amount of check: \$75.00 per person X number of reservations \$ _____

List the names of those you are submitting payment for and/or wish to be seated with on the reverse side of this form. Please print clearly. Specify food concerns on this form and notify me directly by e-mail in advance. Limited accommodations may be available.

***PARTICIPANTS ARE ENCOURAGED TO BE VACCINATED AND/OR WEAR A MASK AT UBWC EVENTS.**

We are also enclosing two raffle books. This is our major fundraiser event and we ask for your support. All proceeds directly benefit the Grace Capen Scholarship Awards given to University at Buffalo students each May.

Donations are \$5.00 per book (6 tickets)

Make checks payable to:
UB Women's Club

Please mail check along with completed raffle tickets (if you are attending the dinner you may make out one check for both, and mail the completed tickets along with your reservation form) to:

Debra Berger
1725 Campbell Blvd.
Amherst, NY 14228

(Hint: Attach your return address labels to tickets)

If you have any questions please call Debra at 716-691-0279 or e-mail d-berger3@roadrunner.com

Thank you for your support. We look forward to seeing all of our members.

Debra Berger



Spring Luncheon Update!

Celebrate EARTH DAY at
University of Buffalo Women's Club Luncheon
and Election of Officers

🌿 Speaker and Book Signing 🌿
UB Graduate, Sally Cunningham
Local Horticulturalist, Lecturer, Columnist, and Author

Saturday, April 22, 2023 (Earth Day)

To benefit the Grace Capen Academic Awards.

Join your fellow UB Women's Club members for some joyful conversation and socialization while meeting some of our "NEW" vendors displaying fun and unique merchandise crafted by local artisans and purveyors.

• 11am - Vendor Shopping Begins

• 12pm - Program and Luncheon

• More shopping opportunities after lunch!

Raffle, Split Club, Auction and a few surprises to celebrate **Earth Day**

Samuel's Grand Manor
8750 Main Street
Williamsville, NY 14221

For more information contact Marion Schultz@716-839-5626 or Sandy Starks @
716-982-6434 (cell/text), sandystarks@gmail.com

Watch for further details in our next newsletter!



October 15, 2022

Greetings,

The University at Buffalo Women's Club is a service organization to the University at Buffalo and its community. We are in our 77th year of participating in educational and charitable activities which directly sponsor the Grace Capen Academic Awards. The money raised from these activities fund academically gifted students from the University.

Please consider supporting our outstanding Dinner and Wine Pairing Event on Saturday, March 11, 2023. The event will be held at The Fairdale Banquet Center.

Your donation of merchandise or a gift certificate will help students achieve their educational goals. Please support us in making this another successful event. Your contribution is tax deductible (acknowledged by a receipt) and your participation is acknowledged the night of the event.

On behalf of the UB Women's Club we would personally like to thank you for your contribution in advance. Please contact any one of us listed below with any questions.

Sincerely,
Basket Raffle Committee Chairs

Gloria O'Neill
5143 Eastbrooke Place
Williamsville, NY 14221
(716) 445-3797

Jill Lucci
10810 Boyd Drive
Clarence, NY 14031
(716) 481-2660

UBWC
4955 Glenwood Dr.
Williamsville, NY 14221-4129
Eileen Kuczmariski, Treasurer



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