University Women of Flagler

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Newsletter of the University Women of Flagler

November 2022 Meeting News

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DATE: **Saturday, November 12, 2022**

TIME: Meeting will begin at 9:30AM; doors open at 9:15AM

PLACE: Hilton Garden Inn
55 Town Center Boulevard, Palm Coast, Florida

SPEAKERS: Flagler County Superintendent of Schools Cathy Mittelstadt, Teresa Rizzo, Executive Director of Flagler County Education Foundation, and Rebecca Bower, Assistant Executive Director

PROGRAM: **"Education in Flagler County: An update on programs supported by UWF"**

COST: **$17.00 ($18.00, if using "Square" via the UWF website**)

RSVP: **By Monday, November 7, 2022**
to Pat Rhodes at **Prhodes15@hotmail.com**

REGISTRATION:

Please make a reservation for the meeting via email to prhodes15@hotmail.com.

Make your check payable to "UWF" for **$17.00** and mail to:

Pat Rhodes
35 Riverview Bend, So., #1815
Palm Coast, FL 32137

Please note: The Hilton's invoice to UWF is based on the number of reservations. If you make a reservation, but cannot attend, please understand that your payment is still required. If you prepaid and are unable to attend the meeting, please email or call Pat (386-264-7130) by **November 7th,** so your reservation payment can be donated to the UWF Scholarship Fund.

All meeting reservation information is included on the UWF website and in ***The Wave***.

From the President
Josephine "Jo" Dervan

Dear UWF members,

In the month of November, we celebrate Thanksgiving. It is a time when we reflect on the things we are thankful for. This year, I am thankful for being a member of this wonderful group of women. In the past few weeks, our members have come together for an event to raise funds for scholarships and other programs for children in our county, to collect pajamas for children in foster care and to assist a UWF member in need.

Our Day of Games, one of our largest fundraisers every year, was highly successful. Pat Rhodes, Edda Steinmeier, Kay Forest and their group of volunteers gathered gifts for the Raffle, wrapped up the gifts, cooked lasagnas, baked desserts, served our guests and produced what was dubbed "the best games event in Flagler County". We sold 148 tickets, and our profit is approximately $5180. Kudos to Pat, Kay and Edda and all the hard-working volunteers on their committee.

We participated in the DJs for PJs program and members donated 55 pair of pajamas for foster children in need to the local Guardian ad Litem office.

When UWF members were informed of another member's hurricane losses, the donations were made quickly by mail and in person. They were in the form of checks, gift cards and cash. A check for $1000 was presented to the grateful member. We also added gift cards worth $500. What generous members we have.

As the President of this great organization, I regularly ask members to support our activities financially and by volunteering. I am so thankful that you always respond and make all our fundraisers successful. I am also thankful for your friendship and your shared interest in improving the lives of children in Flagler County.

"Let us be grateful for people who make us happy. They are the charming gardeners who make our souls blossom" - Marcel Proust

Sincerely,

Jo

Smile.Amazon.com for our Scholarship Fund

UWF would like to invite you to help us via your Amazon purchases online. From now on, after you register, when you go to **smile.amazon.com, half a percent (**0.5%) of all your purchases will be going to the UWF Scholarship fund.

All you have to do is go to **Smile.Amazon.com**, enter **University Women of Flagler** in the rectangular white box and confirm that's the organization you want to donate to. You only have to do this once. Then every time you go to **smile.amazon.com**, it will remember you and you will see Supporting University Women of Flagler in the upper left corner to remind you that a portion of your purchases will be rebated to UWF. Also, it will remember if you are a Prime customer. Nothing else on your account will change, but Amazon will be donating to UWF on your behalf! Thank YOU!

In Memorium: Jean Hunter

Memorial Service to be held:
Saturday, November 12th at 12 noon

Craig-Flagler Palms Funeral Home

511 Old King's Road South
Flagler Beach, FL 32136
386-439-5400

In 2006, a group of AAUW members decided to form a new organization with similar goals but with the vision of retaining all funds raised within Flagler County. Thus, the University Women of Flagler was born. Among the planning committee members was Jean Hunter, who offered her infinite wisdom and her sense of humor, while keeping the rest of the group on track during the several meetings held.

Until she became too ill to participate any longer, Jean was extremely active in the organization at many levels. She served as:

- Program Vice President
- Meeting registration coordinator
- Historian
- Liaison to the Flagler County Board of Education and the Flagler County Education Foundation
- Sunshine
- Member of the UWF 10th Anniversary planning committee
- Member of the Bookminders interest group

Jean's background brought a great deal to our organization. She graduated Summa Cum Laude from Misericordia University and received a PhD in English literature from Loyola University. She was a professor, a Dean of Humanities, and held other administrative positions at various universities across the country.

After retiring to Palm Coast, Jean was active in the Rotary and served as a staff member, Board member, and Chair of the Education Foundation. It is largely due to her efforts that the Foundation hired an executive director. As a previous executive director stated, "She was a bright light that lives on in everyone who knew her."

Calendar of Upcoming Activities, Events and Fundraisers

Event	Dates	UWF Contact
UWF General Meeting Please bring items for the Stuff Bus (see page 9)	Saturday, November 12th 9:30am at Hilton Garden Inn, PC	Jo Dervan
Dow Jones Holiday Raffle	$10.00 tickets are available on the website and at General Meetings for raffle starting in November	Linda Jaeger
Bookminders	Monday, November 14th at 1pm Via Zoom	Jane Mealy
Seeking Insights for Solutions (SIS) Discussion Group	Thursday, November 10th At 12noon on Zoom	Trish Le Net
Lunch Bunch	Friday, November 18th at noon at Bing's Landing in Palm Coast	Edda Steinmeier
Chez Jacqueline Fashion Show	Friday, December 9th 5-7pm	Jane Mealy
"A Parisian Affair" Luncheon with a French Flair	Friday, February 3rd, 2023 11:30-2:30pm at Flagler Beach Woman's Club	Edda Steinmeier

Wreaths Across America

Every year the Wreaths Across America organization places holiday wreaths on the grave sites of every veteran buried in a National Cemetery. The wreaths are donated by individuals like yourselves who want to support our military veterans.

We have set our UWF chapter up as a fundraising group with WAA. For every $15.00 wreath purchased by our members, their families and friends, we will have $5.00 returned to us. This is a simple fundraiser that supports our scholarship fund and allows us to do something good for our community. We will be supporting the National Cemetery in Jacksonville, where they will need 19,000 wreaths this year.

In early September, we sent out detailed instructions to everyone, including tally sheets, copies of receipts (this is a tax-deductible donation), and a letter to send to friends and family. Everything was in a Word or PDF format. This is an excellent opportunity for you to honor our veterans and benefit our chapter. This year, you can also purchase online at: https://wreathsacrossamerica.org/FL0649P or bring your checkbook to the November meeting. Make checks out to "Wreaths Across America." The deadline for donations is November 18th. Thank you for your support of this worthwhile project.

Susan Wildman, UWF's Wreaths Across America Fundraising Chair

Holiday Cash Raffle

Tickets on sale now through November 20

Watch the Dow Jones for the closing number to match your ticket

November 21, 2022—January 13, 2023

A $10 raffle ticket donation gives you a chance to win a $50 prize when your ticket number matches the last three digits of that day's Dow Jones Industrial closing average

HOLIDAY CASH RAFFLE DATES

November 21, 2022 through January 13, 2023*

Last day to purchase tickets: Sunday, November 20th

**No winner on Thanksgiving, Christmas Day, or New Year's Day*

Each ticket entitles holder to win $50.00 each time your ticket number corresponds to the last three digits of the Dow Jones Industrial closing average, including cents.

EXAMPLE: if the Dow Jones Industrial Average at closing was 26,671.95, then the winning ticket would be No. 195.

Winnings will be mailed to the winning ticket holder

To purchase raffle tickets online: go to our **website** or go directly to **Square** to purchase one or more

Send email to uwflagler@gmail.com with preferred ticket number(s)

To purchase by check, send name, email and preferred ticket number(s) to:

UWF, 76 Colechester Lane, Palm Coast, FL 32137

Your ticket number(s) will be emailed to you. No guarantee to receive preferred number.

Sponsored by University Women of Flagler, a 501.c.3 organization, to benefit UWF's Scholarship Fund Contact: uwflagler@gmail.com

This fundraising raffle is funded by and for the benefit of UNIVERSITY WOMEN OF FLAGLER, which is an IRS 501.c.3 non-profit organization with a mission of helping young women achieve the goal of higher education. NO purchase or donation is required to win.

Chez Jacqueline
"rare gifts for fine homes"

Fashion Show to Support

University Women of Flagler

Friday, December 9th 5-7pm (Limited to 30 guests)

$20.00 Each (All proceeds go to UWF Scholarship Fund)

Must Pre-Pay to hold your spot

Cash or Checks Payable to University Women of Flagler

Wine and Nibbles will be served
Raffle tickets 3 for $5, 7 for $10, 12 for $15

Contact: Jane Mealy (386) 439-4811
Janemealy@aol.com

Jane is looking for some women who are willing to model. This is an enjoyable experience, especially since Chez Jacqueline knows just how to make us all look terrific. Please contact Jane if you are willing to participate.

A Parisian Affair

A Luncheon with a French Flair

A UWF Scholarship Fundraiser

Friday February 3, 2023 from 11.30 AM to 2.30 PM at the Flagler Woman's Club

1524 S Central Ave, Flagler Beach

Join us for a special three-course meal featuring your choice of:

Beef Bourguignon or Coq au Vin or Ratatouille

including appetizer, dessert, coffee, or tea

- **Enjoy a photo op**
- **Share/Share**
- **Table winners in our competition games**

Tickets:

$30 per Person/tables of 4, 6 or 8

Call or email:

Donna Daly-Boggs 904-302-1414 or djaymesd@gmail.com

Sheila Platt 386-445-4370 or sasha0608@aol.com

Your participation benefits the University Women of Flagler's Scholarship Fund for young women graduates of Flagler County Schools (a 501.c.3)

Programs for 2022-2023

Susie Moya and Trish LeNet, Vice Presidents for Programs

Date	Speaker	Topic
November 12, 2022	Flagler County Superintendent of Schools Cathy Mittelstadt, Teresa Rizzo, Executive Director of Flagler County Education Foundation, and Rebecca Bower, Assistant Executive Director, FCEF	"Education in Flagler: (1) So Many Hot Topics: Who is calling the Shots? (2) Update on Programs supported by UWF Fundraising."
December 10, 2022 Holiday Luncheon	Classical and holiday music program provided by a double quartet of the Flagler Youth Orchestra .	"Time for Sharing Special, Culturally Diverse Family Holiday Traditions"
January 14, 2023	Suzy Gamblain Executive Director Flagler Volunteer Services	"Honoring those New Year's Resolutions! From Fun to Essential—Volunteering Opportunities in Flagler County"
February 11, 2023	Speaker to be determined	"Lincolnville—you may have heard of it, but what's the real deal, why you should know, and what more can you learn from its Museum?"
March 18, 2023	Wally DeAquino, COO for Advent Health or John Subers, Foundation Director for Advent Health	"Lots Going on at Advent Health—Update on their plans and the latest on their new 2023 Hospital"
April 15, 2023	Lieutenant General Mark Hertling Or his wife Sue Hertling	"The Life and Times of a Retired Senior, Highly Decorated Military Commander Now living in Flagler Beach"
May 13, 2023 Luncheon	Honoring our new Scholarship Recipients	Introduction of new recipients and updates from former scholarship recipients

Festival of Trees at PC Library

UWF will be participating in the Festival of Trees at the Flagler County Library from November 18th - January 2nd. Non -profit organizations from all over the county will be decorating trees that highlight the activities and purposes of their respective organizations. The committee challenges all members to wander the library during the festival to find the UWF tree.

November Speakers and a request...

November Speakers:
Flagler County Superintendent of Schools Cathy Mittelstadt,
And from the Flagler County Education Foundation, Executive Director Teresa Rizzo and Assistant Director Rebecca Bower

Flagler Schools Superintendent **Cathy Mittelstadt** is an accomplished leader with nearly three decades in K–12 education in Florida. She comes to Flagler Schools after serving as Deputy Superintendent of Operations with St. Johns County Schools. Ms. Mittelstadt has also been a high school and middle school principal in both St. Johns and Orange County School Districts.

Superintendent Mittelstadt has been a leader at each level in her career. Her motto of "Working Together" empowers everyone in the district, from those in an instructional position to those in non-instructional roles, to do their part to raise student achievement. Everyone has a vital role to play in our continued success as an A-rated school district.

Teresa Rizzo, Executive Director of the Flagler County Education Foundation, started teaching in Flagler County in 1999 at Flagler Palm Coast High School, taught at Old Kings Elementary School and was a literacy coach at Wadsworth Elementary. Before following in her husband's footsteps as executive director at the foundation, she was a state literacy director for the Florida department of education.

Rebecca Bower, Assistant Director, has been at the Education Foundation since 2016 where she is in Fund Development.

And...Help us stuff the S.T.U.F.F. Bus

The Flagler Education Foundation has several initiatives that benefit children in the Flagler County schools. One of these is the **Supplying Things U Find Fundamental** or STUFF bus. The bus is a resource that provides essential supplies and clothing to students and their families experiencing economic difficulties. The STUFF bus seeks to provide immediate support for students in need without them feeling shamed for needing assistance.

It began in 2010 and has served over 30,000 students. Flagler County had over 600 homeless students last year. Almost 70% of all students in the county are on free or reduced lunch plans due to living at or below the poverty level. In the past year, the Flagler Education Foundation has handed out over 2000 bags of school supplies to any student who needed it.

The director of the Flagler Education Foundation, Teresa Rizzo, and the Assistant Director, Rebecca Bower will be our speakers at the November meeting. We thought it would be a great idea to collect items for the STUFF bus to present to them. Please bring them to our meeting on November 12th at the Hilton Garden Inn.

Items needed:

- School supplies (backpacks, folders, notebooks, pencils, pens, crayons, colored pencils, etc.)
- Essential Clothing (new or gently worn tennis shoes, jeans, underwear, socks, sweatshirts)
- Hygiene items (toothbrushes, toothpaste, tissues, toiletries)

Thanks in advance for your donations and generous hearts!

Minutes from October 22, 2022 General Meeting

UWF General Meeting at Hilton Garden Inn

Saturday, October 22, 2022

President Jo Dervan

- called the meeting to order at 9:38 a.m. and welcomed the members and guests to the meeting.
- led the members and guests in the Pledge of Allegiance followed by a Moment of Silence in which our military, our first responders, and those suffering from hurricanes and floods across our country were remembered.
- announced that Hilton Garden Inn is adhering to Covid CDC Guidelines at all functions. She suggested that any meeting participant wear a mask if they feel comfortable doing so. She also asked that social distancing be maintained and the provided hand sanitizer be used.
- announced that breakfast would be served during the speakers' presentation.

An inspirational letter from Corona, the Virus, was shared by Rhenda Brodnax. It was a reminder for all of us to appreciate our lives and loved ones.

Susan Moya, Program Vice-President, introduced the speakers: Palm Coast City Manager Denise Bevan and Palm Coast Assistant City Manager Lauren Johnston. Their topics included: an overview of Palm Coast government, the budget is "data driven", westward expansion of the city, and all cities within Flagler County are working together.

OFFICER REPORTS:

- Treasurer, Linda Jaeger

The Treasurer's Report for the September Operating Account was printed in the October WAVE. A motion to approve the report was made and seconded. The motion carried.
The Treasurer's Report for the September Scholarship Account was printed in the October WAVE. A motion to approve the report was made and seconded. The motion carried.

- Recording Secretaries, Mary Lou Keener, not present, and Pat Smith

The Minutes from the September General Meeting were printed in the October WAVE. A motion to approve the Minutes was made and seconded. The motion carried.

- Membership Vice Presidents, Robin Hall and Nancy Hazo

Robin announced that there are currently 84 members and 3-4 potential new members. Robin introduced a new UWF member, Sue Mitchell. Robin also called out the names of the members with October birthdays.

Nancy distributed UWF name badges to the members who had ordered them. Nancy emphasized that checks for name tags should be written to Acme Trophies and Awards, the company that makes the name tags. Please do not make the checks out to UWF!

- Corresponding Secretary, Sheila Platt, no report.

FUNDRAISERS:

DAY OF GAMES, Pat Rhodes, chair

Another successful event. $1,210 was made from the Auction. Preliminary profit figure is approximately $4,700 to $4,900.

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Minutes from October 22 General Meeting (con't.)

Pat announced that she is resigning as chair of this event. Members are encouraged to consider taking on this responsibility.

WREATHS ACROSS AMERICA: Susan Wildman, chair
UWF will be supporting the National Cemetery in Jacksonville, where they will need 19,000 wreaths this year. The wreaths will be placed on the graves on December 17. For every $15 wreath purchased by our members, UWF will receive $5. Detailed order instructions are in the WAVE. Checks must be given to Susan by November 18 or online orders and payment can be done until November 28.

DOW JONES HOLIDAY CASH RAFFLE: Linda Jaeger, chair
Raffle tickets are $10 and will be sold until November 20.

BELK CHARITY SALE, OCTOBER 28-30. Pat Cotton, chair, not present
Additional $5 coupons were sold at the October General Meeting today and at the Day of Games.

CHEZ JACQUELINE FASHION SHOW: Jane Mealy
December 9, $20 per person.
Flyers to volunteer to be a model or indicate members plan to attend were on the tables.

A PARISIAN AFFAIR, a luncheon with a French Flair: Edda Steinmeier, chair, not present
February 3, $30 at Flagler Beach Woman's Club.
Karen Flaherty reported that the menu will include Beef Bourguignon and Coq au Vin.
Sheila Platt and Donna Daly-Boggs will have tickets available soon.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Scholarship: Jeanne Nix
There are two openings on the Scholarship Committee. This committee's work is done primarily end of January to end of March. To review the applications, computer skill is needed.

Non-Traditional Student Grant: Kay Forest
Family Life Center has received funds to help women with classes, certification, and uniforms needed for employment. The committee with be considering other agencies and organizations to receive the funds.

Directory: Jane Mealy
If members have not picked up a copy, they are available outside of the dining room.

Registration: Pat Rhodes
Apologized for the delay today. The lead person for dining room events at Hilton is new.
Reminded members to make their reservations and/or cancel their prepaid reservations by the Monday prior to Saturday's breakfast or luncheon.

Sunshine: Debbie Drumm, no report

Website: Karen Flaherty
Additional changes have been made to the UWF Website.

WAVE: Karen Flaherty
Please submit any articles and pictures for the November WAVE to Karen.

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Minutes from October 22, 2022 General Meeting

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INTEREST GROUPS:

Bookminders: Jane Mealy
November 14 on ZOOM, 1 p.m.
"Migrations" by Charlotte McConaghy. Discussion leader: Suzanne Timko

Lunch Bunch: Edda Steinmeier
November 18, Bing's Landing on A1A, north end of the park.

Gourmet Gals: a chair is needed

Discussion Group, SIS (Seeking Insights for Solutions): Trish Le Net and Gina Barclay-McLaughlin
Thanked members for their support of SIS and asked SIS members to raise their hands.

The next SIS meeting will be November 10 via Zoom at noon.

The speaker at the January 12 Zoom meeting will be Linda Sharpe Matthews, a past president of the Palm Coast chapter of the NAACP, and the daughter of James Sharpe who was one of the Montford Marines, the first group of African Americans to integrate the US Marines.

The SIS book club will meet Tuesday, October 25, at noon via Zoom. The book that will be discussed is "White Rage: The Unspoken Truth of Our Racial Divide" by Carol Anderson.

Next meeting: November 12, 9:30 a.m., Hilton Garden Inn
Cathy Mittelstadt, Superintendent of Flagler County Schools and Teresa Rizzo, Executive Director and Rebecca Bower, Assistant Executive Director, Flagler County Education Foundation will be the speakers.

Members are asked to bring items for the S.T.U.F.F. Bus (Supplying Things U Find Fundamental) which provides essential supplies and clothing to students and their families experiencing economic difficulties. Supplies include, but are not limited to: new and gently used clothing, jackets, hygiene products, shoes, undergarments, and school supplies.

A blast will be sent out to members as a reminder.

President Jo Dervan announced that long-time member Claudia Towne is moving to Jacksonville so will no longer be a UWF member. Claudia expressed how important UWF and its members have been to her.

In the 50/50 drawing, the UWF Treasury and the winner both received $60.

A motion to adjourn was made and seconded. The motion passed.

President Jo Dervan adjourned the meeting at 10:50 a.m.

Respectfully submitted by Co-Recording Secretary, Pat Smith

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Help Wanted

Luzibu Nsakala is our Share & Share chairperson. It is her job to sell tickets at our monthly general meetings. She needs an Assistant to help with this job. If you attend general meetings and would like to help Luzibu, please contact Jo Dervan: jdervan@yahoo.com.

Membership Report:

Robin Hall and Nancy Hazo, Membership Co-Vice Presidents

Membership Report for 2022 November WAVE

Since our October WAVE, we have added one new member. Please join us in welcoming Bernadette Ross Walsh. You'll have a chance to learn more about her in an upcoming WAVE. Recent new member Debra Hersh is featured in this month's WAVE. Please give our new members a warm welcome when you see them. This brings our total membership to 84!

If you would like to order a UWF name badge, please contact Nancy Hazo at n.r.hazo@cfl.rr.com. The cost is $10.00 and Nancy will accept cash or a check payable to Acme Trophies.

If you know anyone interested in joining UWF, please invite her to accompany you to a general meeting.

Please submit any changes to your contact information (name, address, telephone number, or email) to Donna Daly Boggs at djaymesd@gmail.com.

Robin Hall and Nancy Hazo
Co-Vice Presidents – Membership

Recognizing and celebrating our members' birthdays!

NOVEMBER (5 members)
Jean Seavey 11/07
Mavis Smith 11/07
Dale Curran 11/19
Carol Milewski 11/21
Kay Forest 11/30

May the peace and love that November brings be part of each one of you. Happy Birthday!!

Please welcome our new UWF Member, Debra Hersh!

I am a newbie Floridian. I was raised in Millerton, a small town in mid-upstate New York. Hating small town living, I escaped to soak in the arts in New York City whenever I could. I graduated from Emerson College with a BS and landed in the Washington DC area teaching high school English, theatre and dance and writing curriculum. After a medical diagnosis, I had to quit teaching. Having to reinvent myself multiple times, I became a mom of two amazing children, a caterer, a restaurant owner and operator, retail manager and trainer, IT recruiter and finally a corporate recruiter. Retirement happened in 2013 while I was living in the foothills of gorgeous Boulder, Colorado. Free time afforded me the opportunity to expand my card-making craft, which I still do. Unfortunately, the hills and ice became too much for my partner and me and we decided to move to Palm Coast in 2020. So we exchanged mountains for oceans and fires for hurricanes!

Holiday Cash Raffle!

From now through November 20th you have the opportunity to make a donation to the UWF Scholarship Fund and receive a Holiday Cash Raffle ticket for every $10 donated. Starting November 21, 2022 and ending January 13, 2023, the ticket numbers will be compared to the closing value of the Dow Jones Industrial Average (DJIA). If your ticket number matches the closing value of the DJIA, you will win $50.00. See the flyer on page 5 for more details and how to make a donation to help the girls and women of Flagler County reach their educational goals.

This is an easy way to help grow the UWF Scholarship Fund...no door to door sales, just use your email to share this opportunity to win $50.00 in our Holiday Cash Raffle.

Thank you for your support.

Linda Jaeger, Chair, Holiday Cash Raffle Fundraiser

Cell: 631-875-3799 website: www.uwflagler.org to purchase tickets.

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SIS Trip to Mims Museum

We had a very moving field trip to the Harriett V. And Harry T. Moore Memorial in Mims, Florida on October 11th with seven SIS members and three of their husbands.

We watched a powerful 90-minute documentary about their heroic lives and the circumstances of their deaths from a bomb placed under their home on Christmas Day, 1951. No one has ever been charged in their murder.

This heroic couple were simply pursuing justice and equity. A particularly poignant moment was when one of our group who was sitting in the front row, turned around as the film ended and said that she felt that things hadn't changed that much.

Then, we toured the replica of their house next to the museum. In spite of the somberness of the visit, we all went to a Cajun restaurant in Titusville where we enjoyed each others' company with laughter and good conversation.

Thank you, Pat Smith, for organizing this!

UWF COVID GUIDELINES

The UWF Board is excited that our members will be able to meet face-to-face for our next meeting on November 12th at the Hilton Garden Inn at 9:30 AM. However, since we are still dealing with COVID conditions in Flagler County, we want to ensure that those who attend the meeting feel comfortable.

Hilton Garden Inn has assured us that they are adhering to CDC Guidelines at all functions.
We request that all meeting participants:

- wear masks if you feel more comfortable doing that
- maintain social distancing
- use the provided hand sanitizer.

We ask that you reconsider attendance at this meeting if you have been ill or have been in contact with anyone who has experienced COVID in the past two weeks.

These guidelines will be followed at all future meetings and events as the situation at the time dictates.

Monthly Operating Account Cash Flow
July 2022 - June 2023

OPERATING ACCOUNT	2022-2023 Budget	September Actual	October Preliminary	Year to Date Actual
INCOME		$16,797.65	$17,788.87	
Amazon (Smile)	$100.00	$20.68	$0.00	$20.68
Correction Operating Income	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Day of Games Square Income	$0.00	$269.70	$29.80	$299.50
DJIA Square Income	$0.00	$96.50	$48.25	$144.75
Donation Button Contributions (Square)	$0.00	$302.35	$0.00	$302.35
Membership Dues 2022-2023	$4,000.00	$200.00	$0.00	$1,051.14
Miscellaneous Operating Income	$0.00	$5.00	$0.00	$5.00
Monthly Meeting	$6,400.00	$1,760.54	$407.08	$2,759.47
Monthly Share & Share	$500.00	$75.00	$0.00	$75.00
Total Income	**$11,000.00**	**$2,729.77**	**$485.13**	**$4,657.89**
EXPENSES				
Audit	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Community Assistance	$500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Correction Operating Expense	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Directory	$392.00	$392.00	$0.00	$392.00
Day of Games Square Transfer	$0.00	$269.70	$29.80	$299.50
DJIA Square Transfer	$0.00	$96.50	$48.25	$144.75
Donation Button Contributions Transfer	$0.00	$302.35	$0.00	$302.35
Fees-Dept of Consumer Services	$90.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Fees-FL Non-Profit	$170.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Honors	$175.00	$25.00	$0.00	$25.00
Insurance	$631.00	$0.00	$0.00	$630.93
Membership Committee	$200.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Memorials	$150.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Miscellaneous Operating Expense	$1,432.00	$5.00	$0.00	$5.00
Monthly Meeting Expense	$6,400.00	$631.80	$0.00	$631.80
Office Supplies	$100.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Presidents Expense & Meeting	$100.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Program Committee	$220.00	$16.20	$0.00	$16.20
Publicity	$100.00	$0.00	$0.00	$30.00
Scholarship Accruals	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Sunshine Fund	$40.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Website	$300.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Total Expense	**$11,000.00**	**$1,738.55**	**$78.05**	**$2,477.53**
TOTAL OPERATING CLOSING BALANCE		**$17,788.87**	**$18,195.95**	

Monthly Scholarship Account Cash Flow
July 2022 — June 2023

SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT	2022-2023 Budget	September Actual	October Preliminary	Year to Date Actual
INCOME		$29,494.63	$32,948.18	
Belk Charity Days	$400.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Book Minders	$200.00	$0.00	$10.00	$10.00
Chez Jacqueline	$300.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Contributions from Individuals	$0.00	$80.00	$0.00	$80.00
Correction Scholarship Income	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Day of Games	$4,000.00	$2,849.70	$449.80	$4,199.50
DJIA Raffle Income	$1,800.00	$156.50	$48.25	$204.75
Donation Button Contributions	$0.00	$302.35	$0.00	$302.35
Donation From Local Companies	$1,000.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Food Truck	$500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Gourmet Gals	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Honors - Scholarship	$175.00	$25.00	$0.00	$25.00
Lunch Bunch	$300.00	$40.00	$0.00	$85.00
Memorials - Scholarship	$150.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Miscellaneous Scholarship Income	$1,565.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Non-Traditional Student Grant	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Seeking Insights for Solutions*	$500.00	$0.00	$540.00	$540.00
Valentine's Day Parisien Lunch	$3,000.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Wreaths Across America	$600.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Total Income	**$14,490.00**	**$3,453.55**	**$1,048.05**	**$5,446.60**
EXPENSES				
Correction Scholarship Expense	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Day Of Games Expense	$800.00	$0.00	$0.00	$600.00
DJIA Raffle - Expense	$540.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Early Learning Coalition/Dolly Parton	$1,500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Gourmet Gals Expense	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Miscellaneous Scholarship Expense	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Non-Traditional Student Grant- Expense	$500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Office Supplies-Scholarship	$100.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Scholarship Committee	$400.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Scholarship Award 2023	$7,500.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Seeking Insights for Solutions-Expense*	$400.00	$0.00	$136.05	$136.05
Take Stock In Children FC Ed Foundation	$2,000.00	$0.00	$0.00	$0.00
Valentine's Day Parisien Lunch - Expense	$750.00	$0.00	$0.00	$310.00
Total Expense	**$14,490.00**	**$0.00**	**$136.05**	**$1,046.05**
TOTAL SCHOLARSHIP CLOSING BALANCE		**$32,948.18**	**$33,860.18**	
TOTAL UWF ACCOUNT BALANCE		**$50,737.05**	**$52,056.13**	

BOOKMINDERS SCHEDULE FOR 2022-2023

DATE	BOOK	AUTHOR	HOSTESS / DISCUSSION LEADER
November 14	Migrations	Charlotte McConaghy	Suzanne Timko
December 12	Believing: Our Thirty-Year Journey to End Gender Violence	Anita Hill	Robin Hall
January 9, 2023	The Color of Water: A Black Man's Tribute to his white mother	James McBride	Ronaele Bowman
February 13	The Personal Librarian	Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray	Jo Dervan
March 13	The Lincoln Highway	Amor Towles	Pat Smith
April 10	Black Cake	Charmaine Wilkerson	Mary Lou Keener
May 8	The Hemingses of Monticello: An American Family	Annette Gordon-Reed	Susan Waller
June 12	The Love Songs of W.E.B. DuBois	Honoree Fanonne Jeffers	Marty Hedrick
July 10	The Swamp Peddlers: How Lot Sellers, Land Scam-mers, and Retirees Built Modern Florida…	Jason Vuic	Marie Engblom
August 14	Speak	Laurie Halse Anderson	Holly Flynn

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All meetings will be held on Mondays **via Zoom at 1:00 pm.**

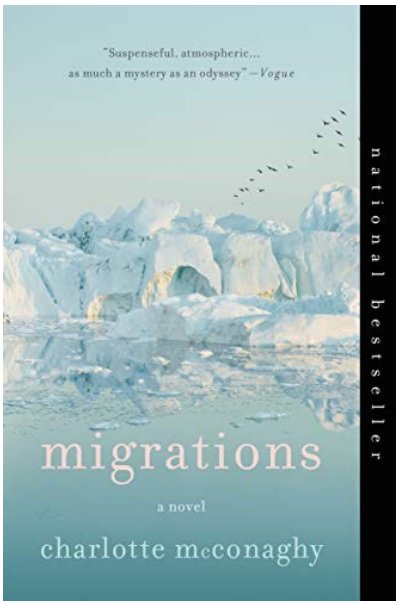
November Book Selection

Migrations

By Charlotte McConaghy

*** INSTANT NATIONAL BESTSELLER ***
Amazon Editors' Pick for Best Book of the Year in Fiction

"Visceral and haunting" (*New York Times Book Review*) · "Hopeful" (*Washington Post)* · "Powerful" (*Los Angeles Times*) · "Thrilling" (*TIME*) · "Tantalizingly beautiful" (*Elle*) · "Suspenseful, atmospheric" (*Vogue*) · "Aching and poignant" (*Guardian*) · "Gripping" (*The Economist*)



Franny Stone has always been the kind of woman who is able to love but unable to stay. Leaving behind everything but her research gear, she arrives in Greenland with a singular purpose: to follow the last Arctic terns in the world on what might be their final migration to Antarctica. Franny talks her way onto a fishing boat, and she and the crew set sail, traveling ever further from shore and safety. But as Franny's history begins to unspool—a passionate love affair, an absent family, a devastating crime—it becomes clear that she is chasing more than just the birds. When Franny's dark secrets catch up with her, how much is she willing to risk for one more chance at redemption?

Epic and intimate, heartbreaking and galvanizing, Charlotte McConaghy's *Migrations is an ode to a disappearing world and a breathtaking page-turner about the possibility of hope against all odds.*

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What Does the Sunshine Chair Do?

Debbie Drumm is our Sunshine chairperson. It is her job to send out get well cards to members who are ill or experiencing a medical problem. So if you hear of a member who needs a get well card, please contact Debbie directly at: debbiedrumm@cfl.rr.com.

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Thank you for the PJ's!

The University Women of Flagler should be very proud to have collected pajamas of various children's sizes at our Saturday, October 22nd general meeting.

DJs for PJs is an annual event designed to collect new pajamas for children in need. It was started in Las Vegas in 2003 and in 12 years the non-profit event collected more than 100,000 pairs of brand-new pajamas for local agencies to distribute to children in distress.

The program is now here in Florida and will serve local children in need. In 2021, more than 600 pairs of pajamas were collected and distributed to local children in foster care in Flagler, Volusia, St. Johns and Putnam Counties. Many Guardian ad Litem volunteers helped to collect pajamas last year.

Our membership alone donated over fifty pairs of PJs of various sizes this year. The circuit 7 Guardian ad Litem program received UWF's donation today. Each Guardian ad Litem office in our circuit will distribute the pajamas to the needy, dependent children.

Thanks for the generosity of our membership.

Phyllis Erno, Guardian ad Litem and UWF member

All UWF Members are invited to join us at the Lunch Bunch!

On **Friday, November 18, 2022 we will meet at noon. All summer** we moved to the beach to catch the ocean breezes. This month again, we will meet at Bing's Landing—North Pavilion. **Bing's Landing** is on A1A in the Hammock. Please bring your own lunch and a chair, if you like. Picnic tables are available.

I'm looking forward to seeing many of you there! Edda

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Another wonderful, amazing Day of Games!

Wow, we did it again—another successful UWF Day of Games. Thanks to all our hard work and generosity, we netted almost $5200.00 for our Scholarship Fund!

We want to thank each and every one of you for volunteering your time and effort to making the day a success. The donated raffle items and game prizes much exceeded our expectations, and the lasagnas, breakfast breads and dessert items were ooh-ed and aah-ed over all day long. It is always amazing how we seem to run like a well-oiled machine (at least most of the time) to accomplish all the activities that need to be done. It is such fun to work together with so many of our UWF members towards our goal.

Again, THANK YOU,

Pat, Edda, and Kay

Pictured above: two Co-chairs of Day of Games Pat Rhodes and Edda Steinmeier (missing Kay Forest). Left: 148 happy game players! Right: Luzibu Nsakala and Susie Moya selling many raffle tickets!

For your reference: UWF Snapshot for the year

UWF Snapshot of 2022-2023 Year https://www.uwflagler.org

9/27/22 - University Women of Flagler is a 501(c)3 non-profit organization run by women and supporting women. UWF awards annual **scholarships to Flagler County young women** who will continue their education at four-year colleges or universities. UWF also supports **"Take Stock in Children", "The Dolly Parton Imagination Library"** and **grants to assist non-traditional students** achieve their educational goals.

Program Meetings (Sept-May) Hilton Garden Inn. Please check your directory & WAVE for program speakers and signup deadlines. Contact - Pat Rhodes, 35 Riverview Bend S, #1815, Palm Coast, FL 32137.
Breakfast: 9:30am ($17.00 by check, $18.00 by credit card online)
Lunch: 11:00am ($25.00 by check, $26.00 by credit card online)

Fundraisers are opportunities for members to self-select how to best support scholarships

Day	Event	Cost
9 Saturday Meetings	50/50 Share and Share at breakfast or lunch program/business meetings	$ 5.00
Ongoing	Amazon Smile	Purchases
October 21 9:30am - 2:30pm	Day of Games – Palm Coast Community Center (Includes breakfast breads, lasagna lunch, dessert)	$30.00
Now – November 18	Wreaths Across America	$15.00
October 28-30	Belk Charity Fundraiser	$ 5.00
Now through November 20	Dow Jones Industrial Average Raffle (winning ticket(s) # matches the last three digits of the DJIA between November 21 – January 13)	$10.00
December 9 5:00pm - 7:00pm	Time to Accessorize – Fashion Show at Chez Jacqueline	$20.00
February 3 11:30am –2:30pm	A Parisian Affair Lunch – Flagler Woman's Club	$30.00
TBA 5:00pm – 8:00pm	Food Truck Tuesday	
TBA	Texas Roadhouse (UWF will receive 10% of the guest's bill - more info will be available later)	

Special Interest Groups are opportunities for members to self-select for personal and social development. (Bookminders and SIS are $10.00 for the year - Lunch Bunch is $5.00/activity)

Day	Interest Groups	Contact (info in directory)
2nd Monday of Month Noon	Bookminders (Zoom)	Jane Mealy
2nd Tuesday of Month 1:00pm	Seeking Insights for Solutions (SIS) (Zoom) SIS Book Club (quarterly on Zoom)	Trish LeNet Linda Hagman/Ginny Mulligan
3rd Friday of Month Noon	Lunch Bunch – monthly location in WAVE calendar (Bay Drive Park, Bing's Landing, or Betty Steflik Park)	Edda Steinmeier

New Member Luncheon – Please mark your calendar!
The New Member Luncheon will be held in conjunction with Lunch Bunch on March 17, 2023 at the Betty Steflik Park.

Becoming involved in UWF fundraisers and interest groups is a great way to develop friendships with like-minded women. We're glad you're a member and hope you find this information helpful.

Robin Hall and Nancy Hazo – Co-Vice Presidents Membership

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2022-2023 Officers

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The University Women of Flagler (UWF) was founded in June 2006. The purpose of UWF is to unite graduates of regionally accredited educational institutions in order to promote equity, education, intellectual growth, individual worth, and development of opportunities for women and girls in the Flagler County area. UWF promotes positive societal change in the community; participates in the development and promotion of policies and programs through study, action, and public policy advocacy in areas related to its purpose, including community, cultural interests, and the maintenance of high standards in education; and maintains a fund for the purpose of rendering assistance, giving support, and providing funds for litigation to Flagler County area women whose civil liberties are threatened, infringed, or violated.

The WAVE is the official newsletter of the University Women of Flagler.

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