



## Things to celebrate in February

You can celebrate Mardi Gras ( Fat Tuesday) by eating the traditional King Cake. This tradition is celebrated from January 6th ( Feast of the Nativity) until the day before Lent begins ( this year it is February 16th. The King Cake is served at weekly parties and the guest who gets the baby in their piece, gets to host the party for the following week. This pastry is a traditional coffee cake decorated with the traditional Mardi Gras colors of purple, green and gold sugar icing. You are able to obtain a king cake at Publix grocery or if you're a baker, World Market sells the cake mix (Mam PaPauls)



DOOR CODE FOR MONDAY NIGHT MEETINGS: 44005#

Please submit your \$20 dues by clicking the following link :

[https://www.mhwclub.com/store/p3/Annual\\_2020-2021\\_Membership\\_Dues.html](https://www.mhwclub.com/store/p3/Annual_2020-2021_Membership_Dues.html)

Or sending \$20 check to MHCW care of Cheryl Reid , 6411 Robin Hollow Rd, Mint Hill , 28227.

As of now , only 47% of our members have submitted their dues. Remember, this year, all dues will go towards our scholarship fund.

Thank you for your time and consideration.



Celebrate literature and hear from North Carolina authors with the 4th Annual Black History Month Read-In! The North Carolina African American Heritage Commission, in partnership with [the North Carolina State Capitol](#), [the State Library of North Carolina](#), [the Richard B. Harrison Community Library](#), and [the North Carolina Department of Natural and Cultural Resources](#), is presenting the Read-In virtually for 2021.

## Message from Co-Presidents

Dear Mint Hill Women's Club Members,

Valentine's Day is traditionally a romantic holiday, but it's also an opportunity to celebrate with family and friends. Any occasion can be a good excuse to express our gratitude to the hard working, dedicated women of the Mint Hill Women's Club. Andree and I would like thank our Members for all you do and for your support. Valentine's Day is a good time to show each other kindness, appreciation, and Love! We would like to wish you a Happy Valentine's Day, stay safe, and miss everyone.



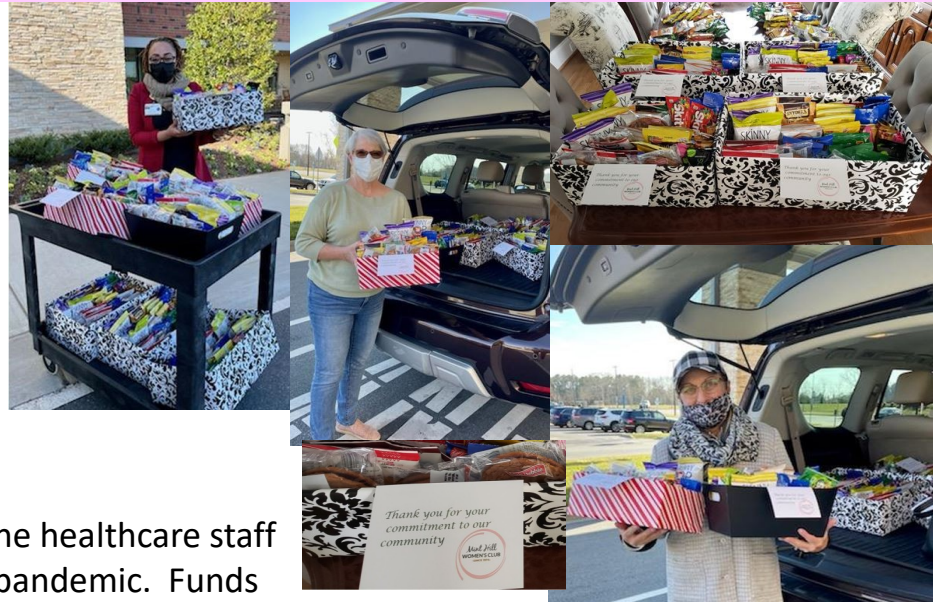
Warmly,  
Marilyn Fargo and Andree West

## Birthdays

Theo	Black	02-09
Robin	Greelish	02-11
Caroline	Payler	02-16

## Service

Friday, January 8th, MHWC, represented by Andree West and Marilyn Fargo, delivered over 500 individual snacks to the staff at Novant Mint Hill Health Center. These snacks were assembled into 9 boxes and distributed to the breakrooms throughout the hospital. Guest Services met us at the front entrance to collect the items.



This was done once again to thank the healthcare staff for their dedication throughout the pandemic. Funds from our COVID relief category were used for this project.

## Scholarship

Kathy and I are pleased to announce that all three of our scholarship recipients did great during the fall semester. All finished the semester with GPAs between 3.897 and 4.0. As a result, we extended the scholarship balances for the Spring semester to Marcus and Sheila. Rachel was able to complete her studies at CPCC, so her balance will be added to our CPCC holdover to use for scholarship awards for the 2021-2022 school year.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Marilyn Folsbee*

*We now have \$1500 in left over funds to use going forward*

## Hugs

*Thinking of You*

*Deonna Bandos—husband Ill*

*Get Well*

*Dixie Helms - Back surgery*

*Pat Stanley—Back Surgery \*\**

## Member Updates

Tammy Brooks— 9044 Spanish Wells Ct, Tega Cay, SC 29704

Liz Krzywosz - address should read Charlotte, 28227

Cheryl Crawford— 4002 Shadow Pines Cir, Indian Land 28079

Kathleen Shilling—15639 Sir Charles Place, Charlotte 28277

**\*\* Pat had complications from her back surgery that required her hospital stay to extend for 8 days. During that time she came across a tidbit that could help all of us when we get nauseous. Take a Q-tip swab dipped in rubbing alcohol and put as the base of your nostril. Breathe deeply, immediately the sensation of nausea will go away. She will be leaving hospital soon to go to a rehab center for 2 wks. She would appreciate cards and phone calls. 704-608-5360 Her address is 3902 Shadow Vista Ct. MH 28227**

Please contact Pam Dalton, Corresponding Secretary, with information regarding any member who needs a Hugs card. You can email her at [daltongang123@aol.com](mailto:daltongang123@aol.com)

# Membership sale



Puzzles: all 500 pieces, excellent condition, no missing pieces. \$15 apiece.

Ann S. Carney  
11313 Three Sisters Lane  
Mint Hill, NC 28227-3640  
980 209-0172 (h)  
703 217-1206 (c)

Unique metal basket with rattan bottom. Beautiful accent leaves on the sides and vine wrapped handle. 12" diameter and 12" tall. Filled with 28 pieces of faux fruit.

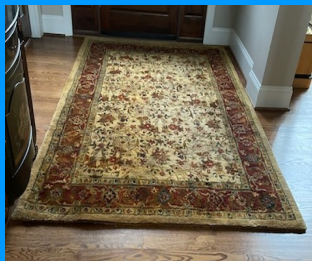
Price: \$15

Mary Wallace 704-817-8643



(2) Oil Landscapes— overall wood frame is 15" x 17". \$15 ea  
(2) Privacy Screens \$10 ea.  
Treadmill, still working—no longer have room for it \$75

Cheryl Crawford 614-270-3882



Butler stand – 32 1/2" tall  
Excellent condition  
\$70



Mary Jane King Comforter with decorative accent pillows. New Never used. Patchwork, floral and stripes. Includes comforter, dust ruffle, 2 Euro shams with foam inserts, 2 King pillow shams and 7 accent pillows. \$600 value—asking \$200

Handmade India Oriental 100% wool rug measuring 5'6"x8'. Very Good condition, value \$1200 asking \$400.

Framed European Scene 47" x 59" with a 6" frame. Very good condition, price \$90

Framed floral print— 26 1/2" square gold frame with black accents, black matte. Excellent condition price \$25

Marilyn Fargo 716-867-7780



## Cambridge SoundWorks Tower II Speaker System



Denon DRA-25 AM/FM/Stereo Receiver and pair of Cambridge SoundWorks Tower II floor speakers \$500 or BO. Originally price \$1300 for everything. Excellent Condition. Contact Andree West 508-241-4026 for details of system.

# Community News

## **NOVANT HEALTH Medical Center**

How to schedule COVID-19 vaccine appointments: Guidance for patients 65 and older

1. Patients can schedule their appointments through their MyChart account.
  - a. If they do not have an active MyChart account, they can sign-up today at MyNovant.org. There is no cost to sign-up.
2. The clinic can also schedule appointments for patients 65 and older at the site location below. The vaccine isn't currently available at the hospital or at all primary care provider locations.

Novant Health Medical Group – Matthews  
3330 Siskey Pkwy, Ste 200, Matthews, NC 28105  
Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 7 p.m.

3. If patients do not have Internet access or need assistance with scheduling they can call 855-NH-VAC-4U (855-648-2248) and a member of our team will help. Wait times can be long on this phone line.

4. There is no charge for the vaccine.

Appointments are very limited, so we encourage patients to check back weekly. New appointments will be added each week Friday after 5 p.m. based on our vaccine supply.

*Tammy Brooks, RN, BA/BSN, MHA*  
*Chief Nursing Officer*  
*Novant Health Mint Hill Medical Center*  
*(980)302-1008 (office)*  
*(980)275-0984 (cell)*

## **STEVENS CREEK NATURE PRESERVE**

### **Stevens Creek Lantern and Campfire February 6 @ 6:30-8:30PM Free**

You've made it through the holidays and welcomed a new year, but winter isn't over yet! So hold a light to the dark days of the season as lanterns illuminate your journey through the Stevens Creek trails. Back at the nature center, laugh in the face of cold nights by cozying up to a campfire with friends. February might feel like a long cold month, but this evening program celebrating light and warmth is sure to lighten the mood. This program is free, but registration is required.

Notes: Pre-registration required 24 hours before program for every participant. Dress for the weather, bring a water bottle, and be prepared to hike up to 2 miles in low lighting and on uneven terrain. Hike is guided by staff member.

Mecklenburg County Park and Recreation follows all CDC guidelines and Governor's orders. Participants are expected to wear a mask indoors at all times and outdoors if social distancing guidelines cannot be met. Participants may be less than 6' apart during an outdoor program. At that time, we will ask everyone to wear a mask. If you cannot, you will be asked to stand more than 6' away.