

*November  
General  
Meeting*

COMMITTEE REPORT HIGHLIGHTS



# *President - Courtney Strzinek*

## **Board Goals for the Year:**

**Retention and Recruitment of our Members**

**Increasing League's Public Relations Efforts and Presence in our Community**

**Increasing Revenue and Efficiency at Return Engagement**

**Thank you** to Kathryn Oard & the November hostesses, Lorie Legere, Lori Markes, Danielle Henry, Kendall Conger, Casie Vos, Jen Bauman & the Gala Committee, and Shannon Robinson & the Social Committee for your hard work this past month

**Happy November Birthday** to Kendall Conger, Sara Williams, KenDale Barker, Sarah Owens & Lorie Legere

**JWL History Presentation - 1970s & 1980s** - see next two slides

# *A TIME OF TRANSITION*

## *1970-1979*

Taught parenting classes at Garfield Co. Health Department

Furnished NWOBI's blood donor room

Answered phones at YWCA's "Option House"

Gave tours of "Museum of the Cherokee Strip"

Provided mobile meals & supplies in times of disaster & to the elderly

Another headquarters expansion - Furniture Mart opened

February 1974, funded by "Cuisine on Parade"

Practice of giving monies to organizations & agencies began in late 70s.

First working women allowed to join

Sitting on the horizon was Stir Ups, spearheaded by Sherrel Jones

# 1980-1989

## STIR UPS STIRRED UP THE DECADE

Stir Ups kicked off November 16, 1982

Garnered local & statewide attention, including Southern Living & Ladies Home Journal - over 100,000 copies in circulation

Clothing, Education, & Welfare (CEW) Committee began in early 80s - **now Care to Share**

Created Gentry-Neal Endowed Scholarship of \$5,000 at Phillips University (now NOC)

Babysitting services for members began in mid-80s

Thrift Shop renamed Return Engagement in 1985

First Maine Street A'Fair craft show in 1989

### Enid Group's Cookbook Contains Recipes That Date to Statehood

By SUZANNE HOLLOWAY  
World Food Editor

"Stir Ups," a cookbook published by the Enid Junior Welfare League as an Oklahoma Diamond Jubilee project, will be introduced at a "prairie fire" party in Enid on statehood day, Nov. 16. Recipes from women whose mothers and grandmothers settled the area in the Great Land Rush are included in the collection. Over the last two years, 1,200 recipes were tasted and rated by Enid residents and 700 with the highest scores were selected. The party in the Hoover Building on the Enid Fairgrounds will be from 10 a.m. to



# ***EVP – CASIE VOS***

**Provisional Cookbook Project:**

**Sip and Shop**

**November 28, 2020 | 2-4 pm**

- Wrapped cookbooks for gifts, wine, hot chocolate bar
- Shopping specials and drawings

**Nominations for PC' 21 due in January**

– spread the word!

***TREASURER -  
ROCHELLE LANDWEHR-  
WHEELER***

**Current Account Balances:**

Operating - \$30,823.84

Emergency Savings - \$13,275.31

Building Maintenance - \$16,081.50

H&S Holding - \$4,597.48

Endowment Fund - \$1,410.77

PayPal Bank - \$2,020.14 (\$1,799.82 in QB)

***ASSISTANT TREASURER -  
BAILEY PHILLIPS***

**9 members still need to pay dues –  
now \$60**

**RE net sales for October were  
\$5,778.75**

**RE net sales YTD are \$27,773.84 –  
approximately 42.73% to our budget**

***CORRESPONDING SECRETARY -  
DANIELLE HENRY***

**Maternity Leave Request:**

Lindsey Trammell for December, January,  
February

**Resignation:**

Andrea Semrad-Gober, who would not be  
eligible to return to League

# *CREDIT & HOURS - JENNIFER NIEHUS*

12 ladies reported 98 hours for October

Grand total of 873.5 hours reported for the year

**Submit hours monthly via Google Sheets or by  
emailing them to  
[jwlccreditandhours@gmail.com](mailto:jwlccreditandhours@gmail.com)**

Please **do not use the WuFoo form** anymore



# *Gala – Jennifer Bauman*

**A NIGHT OF HOPE**

**DECEMBER 5TH | 7:00 PM**

**We ARE having the event!**

Spread the word and get sponsors, auction items, and attendees: Yard Signs, T Shirts, and Facebook shares will help. **Don't forget to submit your Wufoo forms.**

**Sign up to work the event** - SignUp Genius posted on the Members Only Facebook Page

**Girls Night Out at The Bridal Shop this Wednesday, November 4th at 6:00 pm** - come shop for your Gala dress!

**Get your tickets - \$85 each – and register on Bidr**





# Return Engagement

## RE - Kendall Conger

RE Software Committee recommends transitioning to **Rose by Consignor Connect, which is integrated with Square POS system.**

**Rose Consignment Software:** \$35/month non-profit rate | Add on \$20/month for consigner login and Kloudprint

**Square:** No charge to use other than processing fees | POS - 2.6% plus 10 cents per tap/dip/swipe | Online - 2.9% + 30 cents per transaction

**Square for Retail Plus:** \$60/month, has additional features but may not be needed for RE sales volume

**Square/Weebly Website:** \$12 per month for custom domain

**Hardware:** Square Stand Kit (receipt printer, money box, iPad): \$975 | USB Bar Code Scanner: \$120 | Dymo Label Printer: \$80 | Additional iPad: \$400 | Computer (Desktop or Laptop): \$600-\$1200

# *Cookbook - Paige Klemme*

\$78.00 made on cookbook sales in November

**Taking treats to Taft for their teachers on November 3<sup>rd</sup>**

**Taking treats to Bridal Shop "Girls Night Out" event on November 4<sup>th</sup>**

**Supplied cookies for the crosswalk painting event downtown** – will continue to do so at their three upcoming events

**Will post about next month's "School of the Month" towards end of November**

# *Care to Share – Cindy Bickford*

## **ASSISTED SIX SCHOOLS AND YOUTH & FAMILY SERVICES**

**Chisholm Elementary & High School, Garfield Elementary, McKinley Elementary, Monroe Elementary, Carver Elementary, and Youth & Family Services**

Most requests were for clothing for kids in need, a couple coats, sheets for a family, and sweatpants for schools to have on hand.

Also bought 24 earbuds for Chisholm Elementary (12 for 4th grade & 12 for 5th grade).

**Total spent in October: \$900.31**

# *Public Relations – Fenny Ahrens*

**Social Media Socializing**

**Promote Ten Percent Tuesdays**

**Face Masks for Sale**

**Holiday Window Display Contest by November 27<sup>th</sup>**

**Rewards Cards**

**Yearbooks Are Here!**

**Newsletters**

# *Community Donations - Fomara Ortiz*

**Committee recommends approval of the  
following donation:**

Eisenhower Elementary School - \$200 to  
purchase face masks for Pre-Kindergarteners

Chisholm Elementary School PTA - \$500 to  
help purchase Christmas gifts for students

Remaining Balance Budgeted: \$6,300

*LDPP – SHANNON*

*ROBINSON*

**Now accepting submissions for next year's project (currently Gala) – send to [shanrob03@gmail.com](mailto:shanrob03@gmail.com)**

Membership will vote on 2021 project at December's meeting

# *Social – Shannon Robinson*

**Singo on November 11<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at Enid Brewing Company**

Second Saturday of the Month Coffee -  
**November 14<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 am at Five80 Coffeehouse**

JWL Book Club – *Before We Were Yours* by Lisa Wingate  
**November 15<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 pm at Putnam Six**

Fourth Friday of the Month Lunch (Third Friday to avoid Thanksgiving) -  
**November 20<sup>th</sup> at Noon at Napoli's**

**Christmas Dinner Party & Ornament Exchange on December 10<sup>th</sup>**  
(details TBA)

**Ugly Christmas Sweater Family Ice Skating Night on December 15<sup>th</sup>**  
(details TBA)



# ***GIVE - JENNIFER NIEHUS***

Committee recommends working the **Relay for Life event**  
is added to the list of approved activities

**Decorate Downtown for Christmas (Main Street Enid) –**  
help still needed Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> from 2-4 pm

**Crosswalk Painting Downtown (MSE) –** every weekend in  
November (watch Facebook for specific dates)

**Cimarron Council Boy Scouts –** Popcorn sorting on  
November 5<sup>th</sup>

*Honorary - Lori Markes &  
Sustaining - Lorie Legere*

They continue to re-connect with H&S

Members

**Send events or information you would like  
shared with H&S Members to Lori Markes at**

**[markes@prodigy.net](mailto:markes@prodigy.net)**