

# Mebane Woman's Club



Meeting Type: Club Business ▾

Date: 09/21/2023

Location: Mill Creek Clubhouse ▾

## Attendance:

### Board Members:

- ☒ Singer, Sam (President)
- ☒ Semonite, Susan (Vice President)
- ☒ Seagroves, Sherri (Treasurer)
- ☒ Hurn, Katy B (Secretary)

### Club:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Aquilino, Michelle          | <input type="checkbox"/> Dickerson, Sami            | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> MacKenzie, Gail    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Barrett, Kelly              | <input type="checkbox"/> Donato, Marisa             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mathis, Tammorah   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bichsel, Rose    | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Dornette, Polly | <input type="checkbox"/> Nelson, Erin                  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Bloebaum, Nancy  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ford, Taylor    | <input type="checkbox"/> Potter, Kelli                 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Boss, Holly      | <input type="checkbox"/> Forsyth, Ginger            | <input type="checkbox"/> Ray, Cheryl                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brouwer, Rebecca | <input type="checkbox"/> Foushee, Robyn             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Roth, Jen          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burke, Tonya                | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Geary, Libbie   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Rupert, Joanna     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burkholder, Katie           | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gurley, Abbey   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Shoemake, Dara     |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Carter, Ashley   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hinshaw, Renee  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Socha, Stephany    |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chaney, Susan    | <input type="checkbox"/> Hogan, Melissa             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Taylor, Judy       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Childress, Carolyn          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Hudson, Amber   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Willoughby, Angela |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Countiss, Marlo             | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Wright, Shawna  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Woodward, Wende    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D'Amado, Marcia             | <input type="checkbox"/> Krans, Aimee               | <input type="checkbox"/> Zamorski, Rachel              |
|  |   | <input type="checkbox"/> Insull, Sarah                 |

## Call to Order @ 7:04 pm

Sam Singer (P) ▾ presiding

- Katy B Hurn took roll
- August meeting minutes accepted

## Vice Presidents' Report

- Monthly Potential Member Visit
  - Shanna Knight (new member) and Gail's neighbor is introduced
  - New Members/ Honorary Member introductions including Nancy, Polly's mother

## *Treasurer's Report*

- MWC Account Balances
  - General Account: \$24,266.84
  - MOTM Account: \$18,973.05
  - Garden Account: \$1,395.66
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- Still missing 5,000-6,000 deposits for farm to fork
  - General account includes donations
- Bring requests for reimbursements to sherri

## *Updates from Executive Board*

- Nomination committee announcement
- Slate will come soon
- Discussion continues
- Feedback from the nomination committee that if our average age was older then our two year officer commitment may be easier

## *Old Business*

- Beth Ball's Barn Quilt Project
  - Requesting MWC volunteers for additional information gathering
  - Club votes to approve the as exploratory art initiative
    - Polly, Holly
- S.A.F.E. \$2k donation (previously tabled)
  - Katy B explained SAFE and how much of a need exists
  - Discussion between members about the projected profit from Farm to Fork and even with unknowns it should be over \$10000
  - Club unanimously votes to give 1000 for day of service- in addition to food drive
    - Katy B, Polly
- Hawfield Civitans Haunted Forest Sponsorship (previously tabled)
  - Ashley carter called in and clarified
  - Scare because we care, largest fundraiser
  - Club unanimously votes to donate \$250
    - Katy B, Joanna

## *New Business*

New agenda format: chronological, instead of by CSP

### *Fundraising & Development*

- Farm to Fork is THIS SUN. SEPT. 24th
  - Polly provided update on last minute needs
    - All peoples compiling shopping lists should send to Sherri- she will purchase
    - Sherri will bring tent, Amber brings cart, Stephany brings decorations

- Tickets still available and will be sold through Saturday
- Please continue to share “posts” and don’t forget to “like” and “share”
- Katy B reviews the [Volunteer sign-up](#)
- Wear shirt during day for PICTURES!!

### *Civic Engagement & Outreach*

- Jen Roth to [present on Haiti](#)  
[A CAP-TIVATING ADVENTURE](#)
  - Jen has been going to Haiti for ten years for 5-6 weeks during the summer
  - This year she has started sponsoring a girl and her education
  - She volunteers with [street hearts](#) and assists/attends [P4H](#) conference
  - Like she does every year, Jen encourages MWC to join her
  - Soup fundraiser will be Nov- Jan
  - She will also be pre ordering at Autumn Fest
  - Jen also conducts a [jewelry fundraiser](#) - Funds for registration and 1st quarter tuition
  - Sam explains why monetary donations are appropriate and how it helps the economy
- Yoder elementary is raising money for their new Outdoor classroom through their fall festival
  - Club unanimously votes to donate \$250 and become Gold Level sponsors  
 Polly, Stephany
- [GFWC National Day of Service Sat. 9/30/23](#) 8-12
  - The focus this year is “Help to end hunger in the US”
  - Farmer’s Market Food Donation/Collection - Joanna update
  - Coupons are being provided from DMFM vendors
  - EVERYONE needed to volunteer/ help out and share the word!
- Autumn Fest Sat. 10/7 @ 10am-5pm
  - Destination Downtown has approved MWC to sell earrings and conduct the soup sign-up
  - MWC will also be assisting with photo booth
  - DD will waive the fee for our craft table/booth

### *Health & Wellness*

- Fall Mebane Walks has started
- Libbie and Gail have a request out for volunteers to lead a weekly walk or be a fill-in

### *Environment & Conservation*

Mebane Farmers Market Donation update

### *Updates from Executive Board*

- [New bylaws](#)
- Nomination committee is creating a slate for all 5 officers and will present it electronically
- Check emails for more information

### *Club Collect*

### *Call to Adjourn*

There being no further business to come before the board, this meeting is adjourned at 8:38pm.

Respectfully Submitted by Katy B. Hurn on Date: 9/17/2023

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**Important Links and Upcoming Events:**

- [Submitting volunteer hours](#)
- [New bylaws](#)
- [Semi-annual report](#)
- Accessing MWC Business Meeting Minutes on [website](#).  
Password: MWCRocks2023

[MWC Google Calendar](#)

**New Member Orientation**

Tues. Sept. 26th and Wed. Sept. 27th @ 7PM via Zoom

Email [mwctreasurer@gmail.com](mailto:mwctreasurer@gmail.com) for invite link

**GFWC Meetings**

Oct. 14th District 4 Fall Meeting in Advance, NC

[Oct. 27th Corporate Champions for Women & Children in Raleigh, NC](#)

[Oct. 28th Statewide Fall Meeting in Raleigh, NC](#)

[Nov. 2nd-5th Southeastern Regional Meeting in Huntington, WV](#)

[Dec. 6th Holiday Tour of GFWC Headquarters in Washington D.C.](#)