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Dearest Members,

I know Spring is coming as I see green shoots in my garden. The promise of warmer weather brings the start of our many summer activities. As we prepare to shed our winter coats and embrace the

sunshine, I want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful events and accomplishments we have achieved together as a women's social organization.

We have so many activities planned for the upcoming months, including a new walking group, gardening, golf, biking, kayaking, and camping. I hope you will all join us as we explore the great outdoors and create new memories with one another.

Before we dive into our summer plans, we have some exciting events to look forward to in the next few months. Our Fashion Show at the April luncheon promises to be a highlight of the season, and I want to extend my heartfelt gratitude to Martha Main for leading this effort. I have no doubt that it will be a great success, and I can't wait to see all of the active wear outfits our members will model.

Our Mahjongg tournament has 92 players - one of the highest number of players we have ever had. I have had fun buying the prizes. Special thanks to Carole Schaefer for her dedication to leading the tournament before me and now with me and to Diann Danielson and Joanie Bachhuber for their beautiful handmade prizes.

Our May luncheon will feature a special speaker from our Service Partner and we will also introduce our new officers. I encourage all members to attend this

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May 11 Luncheon

*Sheraton Madison Hotel
706 John Nolan Drive, Madison*

*Deadline is April 29 at 11:59 PM
Space is limited to 120*

11:30 AM Cocktails and Visiting
Noon Lunch Seating and
Business Meeting
12:45 PM Program: See below

Sign Up starts April 14

WNIM has Wonderful Year for ODFR

The Service committee welcomes you to attend the May luncheon, which will feature a slideshow

recap of the year's fundraising efforts for **Open Doors for Refugees**. As a special treat, volunteers and clients from ODFR will speak about how the donations from WNIM affected both the organization and the individuals it serves. Expect smiles, a few tears and a big celebration of our great partnership!



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important event as we formally transition to the new Officers and prepare for the year ahead.

As always, I want to express my appreciation to each one of you for your commitment to our organization. It is your dedication and hard work that makes Who's New so special, and I am proud to be part of this incredible community.

May you enjoy a wonderful spring filled with sunshine, joy, laughter, and many new adventures.

Susan

New Member Coffee Saturday, April 15, 2023

New Member Coffee will be held at the Fitchburg Library from 10:30 am to 12:00 pm....great way to personally meet other new members like yourself who have recently joined WN (from July 2022 to now). If you did not already receive a Sign-up Genius invitation, or if you have questions, please email Carol Boe at iversen@duck.com



Service Partner Update

Pickleball Tournament and Clinic registrations are open! First come first served! The first annual WNIM Pickleball Tournament is set for Saturday, June 10 (rain date Sunday, June 11) at Harriet Park in Verona. Warm up and hone your skills at the morning clinic with Jeanne Burgess, IPTPA Certified Coach, then gather for the showcase and snacks. The afternoon is reserved for round robin tournament play with the highest scoring team winning the honor of the Best of the First. Everyone is welcome to join in the fun at the park by playing Pickleball, taking a lesson, cheering on your favorite team(s), enjoying a relaxing picnic with your family (bring your own family and picnic), or just take a nap in the shade surrounded by your friends. This is our final event to support ODFR and joining the fun is as easy as a walk in the park! For all the details and registration. [Click Here](#)

New Interest Group Walkie Talkies

Enjoy easy-going walks, while talking and observing your surroundings. Thursdays 10 AM twice per month. To learn more and join.

[Click Here](#)



Not Just Wine & Cheese

Hostess: Rita Marie
Date: April 21
Time: 6:30 pm
27 Oak Park Way
Fitchburg

[Sign Up](#)

Who's New Making Madison Greener

Now available for your private parties: Who's New is making an impact on reducing landfill waste. Not Just Wine and Cheese converted to non-disposable white round Corelle plates and 40 wine glasses with wine charms. We're also offering members use of these plates and glasses for your graduations, showers and other events. We have 60 round 8.5 inch plates and 40 round 6.5 inch plates plus 2 flatware caddys. Unless prior arrangements are made, we ask that they be picked up and returned to Cathy Broan @ 5328 Lighthouse Bay Drive, Madison. To reserve contact Cathy Broan @ 608-215-2379 or email cbroan@gmail.com

Who's New in Madison.....where new faces become old friends.