



# Newsletter, June 2024

## GFWC Zwaanendael Women's Club

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A member of the General Federation of Women's Clubs



### We Will Be Collecting Catsup At The June Happy Hour

*Whether you spell it Catsup or Ketchup, Epworth Food Pantry Is always in need of this condiment that is not available to them from the Food Bank of Delaware.*

Donations should be logged to TIF under CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND OUTREACH: FOOD DRIVES.

### JUNE HAPPY HOUR

Tuesday, June 18

3:00 pm - 5:00 pm

Senators Neighborhood Clubhouse  
18578 J G Townsend Boulevard, Lewes

Please Sign Up On  
TRACK IT FORWARD  
So We Can Accurately  
Plan Refreshments

Bring Your Own Beverage \*\*\* Refreshments Will Be Served  
New Member Induction \*\*\* Installation of 2024-2026 Board

### VICTORIAN TEA POSTMORTEM

Tuesday, June 18

2:00 pm - 3:00 pm

*Immediately BEFORE Happy Hour at  
the Senators Neighborhood Clubhouse*

*Anyone wishing to participate in this after-action conversation is welcome.  
We want your honest assessment so we may make improvements for the future.*

### COMMITTEE FAIR at HAPPY HOUR

*Visit committee displays, meet the chairs, learn more about  
what they do, and sign up for 2024-2025*

- Please let your current committee chair(s) know if you intend to serve again.
- You may want to consider joining a new committee.
- Signing up now will allow you to be more involved in planning for next year.
- All members are required to be active on at least one committee.

## Environment

*Chairs: Deb Cebula & Cindy DeEmedio*



## Trails Day at Cape Henlopen State Park

*(l-r) Mary Yonych, Terry Yates,  
Mary Aufseeser, Lisa  
Marchione, Deb Cebula,  
Janet Pietrovic, Kim Ash, Karen  
Kabat, and Penelope  
Moreland-Gunn*

Membership  
Chair: Lisa Magnuson

June 2024  
Membership Report  
Total Members 87  
No Change

## Domestic and Sexual Violence Awareness and Prevention: Peoples Place

Chair: Terry Yates

At the annual Peoples Place volunteer breakfast Terry Yates accepted the "Supporter of the Year" Award on behalf of Z Club and shared it with members at the May Z Club meeting.



## History Corner

Nancy H. Phillips, Club Historian

1986-1988 Mrs. Alice Naughter

This term was very active due to the population growth in Lewes. A new Lewes library was being built and a new addition to Beebe Hospital was planned. The club contributed \$500 to each project.

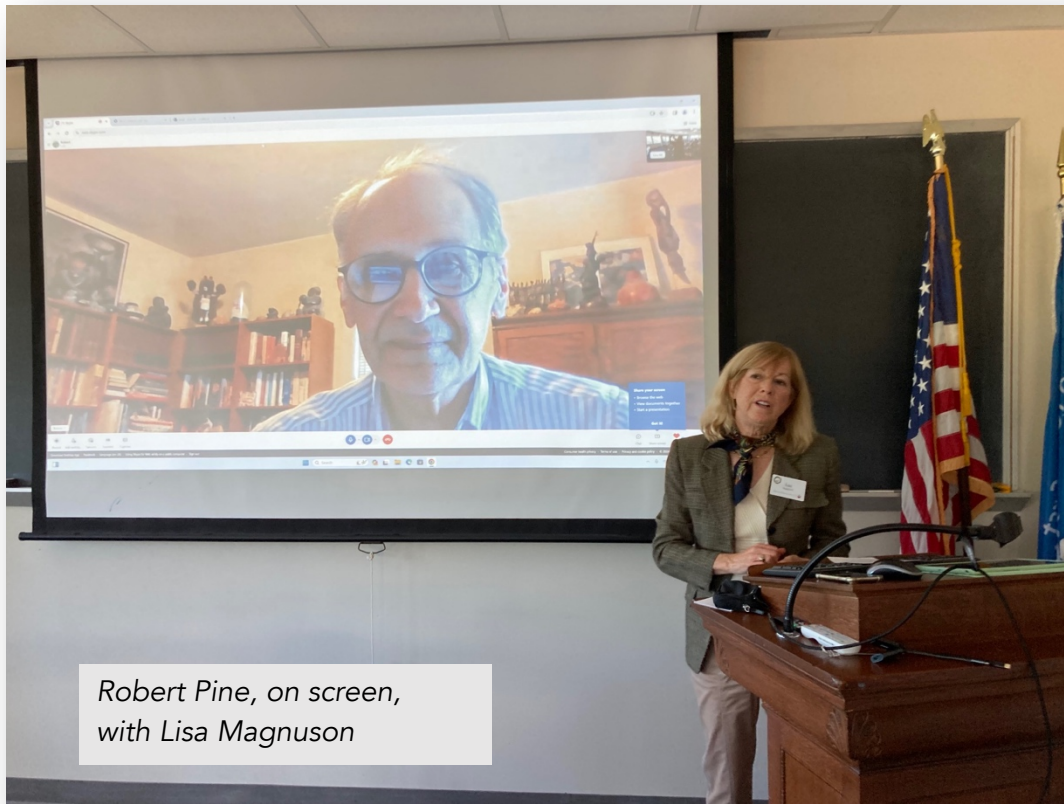
\*\*The club's anniversary continues to be celebrated each February. In 1986 it was Z Club's 81st year. The President's luncheon and the Reciprocity Teas were held.

A Statewide Read Aloud Program was established. The Sussex County Coordinator requested the use of the clubhouse as a training center for a volunteer training workshop. Storage space and a telephone was installed for their use. The State paid for any expenses incurred by using the building. Eight club members volunteered twenty-one hours weekly to this Read Aloud program

\*\* Editor's Note: in February 2025, Z Club will celebrate its 120<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. Stay tuned for news about how we will commemorate this milestone.

## Arts and Culture

*Chairs: Deb Cebula & Connie Rivette*



*Robert Pine, on screen,  
with Lisa Magnuson*

Our May speaker was Robert Pine, President of the Polish Genealogical Society of America, who gave a very interesting presentation on Polish marriage customs including 'Rejection by Soup' where an unwanted suitor is served black soup to let him know his suit is not welcome.

Mr. Pine joined us via Skype and provided us with materials to distribute with additional information. Members who did not attend can obtain the handout from Lisa Magnuson who coordinated this program. Many thanks to Frank Cebula and Carl, the U of D IT guy, for their assistance in getting us hooked up.



Committee members provided pierogis, kielbasa, and cookies that were so good they were all gone before we could get a photo of them. Terry Yates here with the platter of cookie crumbs.

## Civic Engagement and Outreach

Epworth Food Pantry

Chairs: Deb Cebula & Cindy DeEmedio

Although we do not collect food during the summer months you can still drop off donations at the Epworth Church Food Pantry, 19285 Holland Glad Road, Rehoboth Beach.

### Suggested items

mayonnaise, ketchup, pancake mix, syrup, pasta sauce, SPAM, Ramen, cereal,

### Pantry Drop Off Hours

Tuesday, 9:30 am - 1:00 am

Thursday, 1:30 pm - 3:00pm

***Remember, our neighbors are hungry in the summer too!***

The Blooming Boutique Denim Buy Back Program netted LOTS of jeans for Z Club to distribute. Here are all the bags of jeans that will be delivered to Teen Challenge in Seaford and Shephard's Office in Georgetown.

Thank you, Deb and Cindy, for taking on this bigger than expected job.



## Education and Libraries

Chairs: Joyce Skrobot & Darlene O'Neill



The 2023-2024 Maxine McWhorter-Ungerbuehler Scholarship award of \$2,000 was presented to Hannah Maney. Hannah is a graduating Senior at Cape Henlopen High School in Lewes, DE. She plans to attend The University of Iowa where she will study Exercise Science. After completing her bachelor's degree program, she plans to attend Physical Therapy school and obtain a license to be a Physical Therapist. Her goal is to obtain a job as a physical therapist for a professional sports team. Her goal is to make a difference in the lives of athletes by helping them prevent or recover from sports related injuries.

## Communications and Public Relations

Chair & Newsletter Editor: Kathy Cochran

**\*\* Summer newsletters will be published irregularly based on the schedule and the whim of the editor.**

- Most months, the Z Club newsletter is emailed to members mid-month. \*\*
  - Past newsletters can be found on the club website
  - COMMITTEE CHAIRS:
    - Please let me know what is happening with your committee so that information can be shared with members and the community.
    - Let me know about your events and activities so I can come and take photos.
    - Any photos you may have can be sent to me via email or text
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