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*From the PRESIDENT . . .*

In the fall of 1972, I was in the first class of women to matriculate at Notre Dame. We had some very unique experiences as the university, faculty and male students adjusted to having women live on campus. We were scored "beauty pageant style" on many nights as we walked through the South Dining Hall. We were constantly asked to give the female point of view in many of our classes. Physical education classes were especially challenging to the male PE faculty. A few of my non-swimmer friends mysteriously passed the mandatory swimming test without swimming a stroke. Two male dorms were converted for the women by installing washing machines and dryers and boarding up the urinals.

It was an exciting time for us, for everyone. The iconic image of co-education at Notre Dame was the banner hanging over the South Dining Hall, "WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE." It represented the warm welcome we received as female students. We immediately felt a part of the Notre Dame community. We believed our presence was wanted and vital to the future of the university.

Now as I serve as President of the Ladies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College, I see this community from the inside. There are so many rich and rewarding opportunities available—classes, lectures, concerts, plays and even, football! Our organization exists to help faculty spouses and families feel welcomed and

engaged with the Notre Dame and Saint Mary's community. We have a myriad of interest groups and activities designed to appeal to all age ranges. The Children's Playgroup meets regularly at the Beichner Center and other places around town. The Tennis Group welcomes all levels of play. There are two different Literature Groups to consider. If you enjoy experimenting with different foods and cuisines, join the Creative Cooking Group.

Our Program Chairs, Gloria Kim and Nancy McAdams, have created a delightful list of activities to appeal to all of us. Join in a trip to Kalamazoo to dine at *Food Dance* in September or sign up for a tour of the Basilica, highlighting the stained glass windows and other interesting facts in October. Check out the full Program Activities in the newsletter, but most importantly, discover the special community that we have.

This summer, our organization moved into  
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## OPENING RECEPTION

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2013

7:00 PM

CLUB NAIMOLI + PURCELL PAVILLION

**GWEN O'BRIEN**

DIRECTOR OF MEDIA RELATIONS SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE

**REV. WILLIAM LIES, CSC**

VICE PRESIDENT FOR MISSION ENGAGEMENT AND CHURCH  
AFFAIRS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME

	LADIES OF NOTRE DAME AND SAINT MARY’S COLLEGE 2013-2014 PROGRAM
September 2, 2013 Monday 4:30 - 6:30 PM.	Outdoor Potluck Picnic at Stepen Center ... Céad Míle Fáilte ... for all LND/SMC Members and Newcomers and their families See p. 20 for pictures. Chair: Clare Roach <croach1@nd.edu>
September 12, 2013 Tuesday 10:00 AM	“Off the Beaten Path” <i>Food Dance</i> , Kalamazoo, MI . Meet in ND Library parking lot NE corner. Reservations needed by September 6, 2013. See page. 4 Chair: Gloria Kim 273-3055 <gloriakimnd@gmail.com> Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
September 16, 2013 Monday 10:30 AM	“Behind-the-Scenes” Tour of Morris Inn & Conference Center. Lunch at <i>Sorin’s Restaurant</i> Contact chair for reservations for tour and /or lunch. See p.4 Chair: Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
September 24, 2012 Tuesday 7:00 PM Gathering 7:30 PM	<i>Opening Reception:</i> Reception for Newcomers, Visitors and Members of LND/SMC at Club Naimoli, Purcell Pavillion. Gathering: 7:00 pm See page.3 Speakers: Gwen O’Brien (SMC) & Fr. William Lies, CSC (UND) Chair: Linnea Lannon, 243-5802, <clanlannon@yahoo.com>
October 7, 2013 Monday 10:00 AM - NOON	“Off the Beaten Path” South Bend ... Private bus tour of South Bend for members and newcomers. Guide: Sue Solmos. No walking. See p. 5 Chair: Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
October 9, 2013 Wednesday 7:00 PM	Evening Newcomer Coffee for newcomers and members at home of Nancy McAdams. Reservations requested. See page. 7 Chair: Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net> Gloria Kim 273-3055 <gloriakimnd@gmail.com>
October 10, 2013 Thursday 11:00 AM	Cultural Excursion: <i>Dia de los Muertos</i> ... Mexican Day of the Dead Tour of the ND Center for Arts and Culture, W. Washington St. SB See p. 6 Chair: Jackie Welsh<jackie.welsh.14@gmail.com>
October 11, 2013 Friday 9:00 - 11:00 AM	Morning Newcomer Coffee, coinciding with Children’s Playgroup at the Beichner Center located in Graduate Student Family Housing. Children welcome. Chair: Renata Matousova, 271-0216, <renata.m@mac.com> See p. 7
October 14, 2013 Monday 9:30 - 10:30 am	“Off the Beaten Path” Notre Dame VIP Tour of Sacred Heart Basilica with Cecilia Cunningham. Reservations requested. See page 5 Chair: Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
October 14, 2013 Monday 10:30 - 11:30 AM	Open House at the LND/SMC office in West Lake Building. Meet with President Denise Brenner. See p. 6 Chair: Denise Brenner 855-2571 <denisebrenner@gmail.com>
November 11, 2013 Monday 9:30 AM	Morning Newcomer Coffee for newcomers and members at the home of Renata Matousova. Children welcome. Reservations requested. See p. 7 Chair: Renata Matousova, 271-0216, <renata.m@mac.com>

November 14, 2013 Thursday 8:30 AM	“Off the Beaten Path” Art Institute of Chicago’s exhibit : “Art and Appetite: Painting, Culture and Cuisine.” Reservations by 11/11/13. See p. 7 Chair: Gloria Kim 273-3055 <gloriakimnd@gmail.com> Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
November 18, 2013 Monday 6:00 PM	“Let’s Eat Out!” at Zing, a locally owned Japanese fusion restaurant located in Mishawaka at 206 N. Main St. at 1st Ave. Reservations needed. See p. 6 Chair: Ravini Fernando, 855, 2199, <ravinifernando@hotmail.com>
November TBD TBD 5:00 PM	“Dinner and a Movie” dinner at Legends and movie at Browning Cinem Nanovic Institute Program Chair: Gloria Kim 273-3055 <gloriakimnd@gmail.com> Nancy McAdams 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>
December 8, 2013 Sunday Afternoon TBD	“Christmas at Copshaholm” Tour Copshaholm Mansion on West Washington St. Actors take parts of characters in a holiday play Chair: TBD
December 15, 2013 Sunday 2:00 - 4:00 PM	Holiday Tea recognizing Life Members Place TBD. Entertainment by “The Columba Hall Singers,” Brothers of Holy Cross Chair: TBD
Jan/Feb 2014 TBD TBD	“Wine and Canvas,” evening of fun and activity Chair: Amy Ball, 412-849-1754, <amydeger@aol.com>
February 13, 2014 Thursday 10:00 AM	Snite Museum Tour “Art of Love.” Lunch at Sorin’s Chair: Jackie Welsh<jackie.welsh.14@gmail.com>
February 22, 2013 Saturday 11:30 AM	Luncheon honoring LND/SMC Scholarship Recipients Place and Speaker TBD Chairs: Elaine Nicgorski 234-5157 & Mary Lou Derwent 277-1996
May 1, 2014 Thursday 5:00 PM	Memorial Mass in the Chapel of Regina Hall, Saint Mary’s College Celebrant: Fr. Thomas Blantz, CSC, Chaplain Chair: Marge Marley 289-9134 & Adaline Cashore 289-3325

IF YOU GO TO THE **OPENING RECEPTION** ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 2013, THEN ...

you will be so pleased with yourself that you did attend. Most members state that they have met life-long “best friends” at this meeting. If you are new to ND or SMC, you will find instant information sources and activities for the entire year. You will ...

- experience the excitement and the energy among attendees,
- listen to leaders of UND and SMC introduce their campus development plans for this year,

- get answers to your questions, and
- go home with a smile on your face knowing that you have been to *Club Naimoli* in Purcell Pavilion

Still wondering if you should come to this well-attended event? Need a ride to this meeting? Call Newcomer co-chairs: Renata Matousova (271-0216) or <renata.m@mac.com>) or Clare Roach (243-2891) or <croach1@nd.edu>.) and talk to them. See you there.

Chairs: Linnea Lannon, 243-5802,  
Gloria Kim, 273-3055



From the MEMBERSHIP CO-CHAIRS . . .

My we extend a very warm welcome to all newcomers and visitors to Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College! We hope joining The Ladies will help you to build a sense of community and serve as a source of support. Please join and

- participate in any of our interest groups,
- join an "Off the Beaten Path" adventure,
- show up for dinner & a movie... or lunch
- have fun at one of our fund-raisers, or
- generate a new group outing or fund raising idea of your own.

For those of us who have been members of LND/SMC, or wish to "re-join," it is the season to renew your membership. The membership form for 2013-2014 as well as an envelope addressed to Membership Chair Pam Chipman is enclosed. (See p. 19) Please fill out the membership form in its entirety so we can update all your information for this year's directory. The annual fees are \$25.00. These monies go to support our programs and fund raising efforts.

If you are making a donation to the LND/SMC scholarship fund in addition to your dues, please write separate checks. The membership forms, dues check and donation check(s) should be mailed to Pam Chipman at 1208 Leeper Avenue, South Bend, IN 46617, by October 16, 2013. It is important that the membership forms are received by the **Wednesday, October 16, 2013**, deadline as it is the cut-off date for being included in this year's membership yearbook.

You may also pay your dues and/or offer donations at the membership table at the Opening Reception on September 24, 2013. Please remind your friends to renew their memberships. It is never too late to join or "re-join" the LND/SMC! Life Members, this is a reminder that you have the opportunity to make a donation to LND/SMC to help defray the cost of newsletter mailings and membership yearbooks. Any donations are greatly appreciated. Finally, please join us at the opening reception on **Tuesday, September 24, 2013, at 7:30 PM at Club Naimoli, Purcell Pavilion**. It is always exciting to see friends and welcome new members to our community. We look forward to meeting you.

Co-chairs: Pam Chipman 288-0995  
& Ravini Fernando 855-2199

## "Off the Beaten Path" Kalamazoo, MI

Join a group of adventuresome women on an outing to Kalamazoo, MI, on **Thursday, September 12, 2013**. Leaving the ND Library parking lot at 10:00 AM (northeast corner of the faculty/staff lot opposite the ECDC) their objective is threefold:



- to visit the *Food Dance* Restaurant for lunch,
- to have a private tour of the restaurant and adjoining shop and kitchen as well as
- to have a discussion with Chef Robb about seasonal sources of locally sourced Michigan food/ingredients used in the restaurant.



The lunch is a three course menu designed for the Ladies: soup, entree and dessert with refillable beverage choice. With tax and gratuity, the cost is \$32.00. This outing **requires a reservation**. If you wish to go, let either Nancy McAdams or Gloria Kim, know by September 6, 2013. Consult <fooddance.net> for further information about the restaurant and menu.

Cochairs: Gloria Kim, 273-3055  
Nancy McAdams, 273-2555,

## "Off the Beaten Path" Notre Dame

Since October 2012 many have been watching the demolition and construction of the Morris Inn. Now is the time to see what has transpired from 7:00 AM to midnight for many, many months at the "living room of the University." A behind-the-scenes Tour of the renovated Morris Inn and Conference Center will be held on **Monday, September 16, 2013** starting at 10:30 AM at the entrance. For those who wish to stay for lunch at 11:30 AM at the new Sorin's Restaurant, you are welcome to make a reservation with the chairs.



Cochairs: Gloria Kim, 273-3055  
Nancy McAdams, 273-2555,

## "Off the Beaten Path" South Bend, IN

Many of us are new to South Bend and might not know the way to Coveleski Baseball Park. Many of us have lived in South Bend for more than a decade, but how well do we know South Bend? Sue Solmos from the City of South Bend Offices has offered us a FREE two hour bus tour of South Bend on **Monday morning, October 7, 2013**.



SB Tribune: Kevin Allen

As a member of the Neighborhood Engagement team in the South Bend Department of Community Interest, it is Sue's job to show new residents what the city has to offer ... in architecture, history, character and resources. You do not have to be new to the City of South Bend to take this tour. You do have to be willing to sit on a comfortable bus for two hours with your eyes and ears open to what Sue has to show us and to tell us. As a former realtor, she loves talking about all of the different neighborhoods in South Bend. NOTE that there is no walking involved. If you wish to come, let Nancy McAdams know, then show up by 10:00 AM at the Hesburgh Library Circle for your tour. Park in the library faculty lot or the visitors lot. Lunch (optional) will be on campus for those who wish to go. Remember: contact Nancy.

For further information about this tour see the following site.

[http://articles.southbendtribune.com/2013-04-21/news/38716542\\_1\\_bus-tour-tour-saturday-neighborhoods](http://articles.southbendtribune.com/2013-04-21/news/38716542_1_bus-tour-tour-saturday-neighborhoods)

Chair: Nancy McAdams, 273-2555  
<nocmc@comcast.net>

## "Off the Beaten Path" Notre Dame, IN

On August 16, 2013, the Basilica of the Sacred Heart at Notre Dame celebrated its 125th anniversary. If you have visited this Basilica you know that there are many exceptional features in this building, one of which are the incredible stained glass windows. Cecilia Cunningham, who is currently writing a book with Nancy Cavadini, that focusses on the stained glass windows in the Basilica, will be giving the Ladies a tour with highlights from her research, at 9:30 AM on Monday, **October 14, 2013**. Cunningham will talk about her research and other interesting facts about the Basilica.

Cecilia Cunningham studied anthropology, archaeology, art and art history as an undergraduate. In graduate school, while in Florence, Italy, she concentrated on art history with a minor in art. It was there that she met her husband, theologian Lawrence Cunningham. They have been in South Bend for twenty-five years.

Cecilia last taught at IUSB. For the past fifteen years she has been a tour guide at the Basilica. Presently, she is putting her efforts into her book with Nancy Cavadini.



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Cecilia states: the windows of the Basilica are incredible. They represent the largest collection of 19th century French stained glass in the United States. They were made from 1870 to 1887, with the first installation in 1873. In their book, the authors explain the history and theology within each window. These two women have spent considerable time in the Hesburgh Library archives and the Holy Cross Provincial archives learning about all of this. These windows are a treasure to be shared.

Come and share with Cecilia this beauty in our midst. Please respond to Nancy McAdams by **Sunday, October 13, 2013**. Meet at the front door of the Basilica prior to 9:30 AM.

Chair: Nancy McAdams, 273-2555  
<nocmc@comcast.net>



Open House: LND/SMC West Lake Office

In her opening message (on paged 1 and continuing onto page 10) President Denise Brenner announced the opening of a permanent office for LND/SMC in B001 in West Lake Hall. (West Lake Hall is the former security building and the former ROTC building.)

On Monday, October 14, 2013, from 10:30 - 11:30 AM, following the tour of the Basilica, Denise will be holding an open house with refreshments. All who are interested are welcome to stop in and visit, following the tour of the Basilica.



Many thanks go to Nancy McAdams and Gloria Kim for securing, decorating and outfitting our new home. Troy Moreno, (on the left in photo last spring with then President Linnea Lannon), the assistant to the director of academic space management, James Schellenger, had a design background. Troy assisted in finding the furniture and choosing the carpet for the new office space.

Office B001 is located on the basement level. If you enter from Dorr Road, you will walk downstairs to the basement and then to the north end of the building. If you park in D Lot to the west of West Lake Hall, enter from an open door on the west side of the building. For answers to questions, contact the chair.

Chair: Denise Brenner, 855-2571, <denisebrenner@gmail.com>

Let's Eat Out!

A reviewer said: "I was somewhat surprised how good this place was. I would not have expected this out of a Japanese Fusion restaurant in an old Noble Roman's attached to a CVS!" Another said: "Well hello Zing!!! Glad to see something fun and unique go into downtown Mishawaka." Who these reviewers are, is not known. However, LND/SMC members, who have gone to this restaurant,



"Off the Beaten Path" South Bend, IN



Notre Dame's ten year tradition of a community celebration for **Dia de Los Muertos** is moving this year to the new Notre Dame Center for Arts and Culture located at 1045 W. Washington Street, South Bend. On Thursday, October 10, 2013, member Jackie Welsh

will give us a tour of this exhibit.

Dia de Los Muertos is the most celebrated of Mexican holidays. It focuses on gatherings of family and friends to pray for, and remember, friends and family members who have died. Usually an *ofrenda* or altar is built in homes to welcome the dearly departed.

Notre Dames new center contains:

- Crossroads Gallery,
- offices for Community Affairs
- an after-school program
- and • the Segura Print Shop.

Inside the Crossroads Gallery, an *ofrenda* honoring Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr., on the 50th anniversary of the his "I Have a Dream " speech, has been created. Jackie Welsh will talk about the artist's *ofrenda* and Doug Franzen will give us a tour of the facility. The center is located on the right (north) side of W. Washington, as you come (west) from downtown SB, past Tippecanoe Place which is on the left. There is ample parking on the street. Afterwards we'll enjoy a light lunch of chips, salsa and tacos at the Center; \$5 will be collected for lunch. Please register by **Wednesday, October 9, 2013** with the chair.

Chair: Jackie Welsh, 277-1968, <jackie.welsh.14@gmail.com>

wish to share it with other members . If you like food and are willing to be adventuresome, then circle your calendar for **Monday, November 18, 2013** and get ready for Zing at 6:00 PM.

Guests are welcome and reservations are requested by Sunday November 17, 2013, to chair. Maybe Zing will be a little zip in your life!

Chair: Ravini Fernando, 855, 2199, <raviniferando@hotmail.com>

"Off the Beaten Path" Chicago, IL

You may have noticed that many of the activities this year have revolved around food and restaurants. Join Nancy McAdams and Gloria Kim on Thursday, November 14, 2013, by 8:30 AM at the SB South Shore Station to board the 8:48 CST train for Chicago. The Art Institute of Chicago's (AIC) exhibit on *Art, and Appetite: American Painting, Culture and Cuisine* is their destination. This exhibit examines "the many meanings and interpretations of eating in American through 75 paintings, sculptures and decorative arts from the 18th-20th century." The non-member admission price to the AIC is \$23 adults, \$17 seniors. Many Ladies are members and can bring guests. The audioguide is \$8.



There are plans to eat lunch ... perhaps at *Russian Tea Time* or the *Terazo Piano* or *Moderna Café* in the Art Institute or a place of your choice. You may return on the 4:02 PM CST train arriving in South Bend at 7:37 PM EST, or on the 5:10 PM arriving at 8:43 PM EST.

For those for whom this is their first trip on the train: Parking at the station is \$1. Round trip tickets may be purchased with a credit card in the station in South Bend before boarding. Fares: Adults \$23.50 round trip, adults over 65 \$11.50 round trip. Tickets may be purchased on the train for cash with a \$1 surcharge.

Please call Nancy McAdams by **Monday, November 11, 2013** to let her know that you are coming, and so she is looking for you at the station. Guests are welcome to come along. For further information on this exhibit: <http://www.artic.edu/exhibition/art-and-appetite-american-painting-culture-and-cuisine>

Chair: Nancy McAdams, 273-2555 <nocmc@comcast.net>

From the NEWCOMER & VISITOR CO-CHAIRS .

The Newcomer and Visitors Co-chairs have arranged four socials for Newcomers to meet members on an informal basis in their homes. There will be two each semester, one in the morning and one in the evening each semester.

These home socials are in addition to the Opening Reception in the fall, the Mid-Winter Reception in early second semester and one meeting each semester at the Beichner Center in conjunction with the Children's Playgroup..

The first home social is in the evening at 7:00 PM on Wednesday, **October 9, 2013**, at the home of Nancy McAdams. Nancy lives at 17633 Hansom Ct., South Bend, IN, 46635. Newcomers and members are welcome. Please let Nancy know you are coming, 273-2555 or <nocmc@comcast.net>. She will provide directions to her home.

The second home social is scheduled for 9:30 AM in the morning on Monday, **November 11, 2013**, at the home of Renata Matousova's home located at 52255 Dorchester Ct., Granger, IN, 46530. Children are welcome. Please respond to Renata that you are coming at 271-0216 or <renata.m@mac.com>. She, too, will provide directions to her home.

Newcomer Co-Chair: Renata Matousova, 271-0216, <renata.m@mac.com>  
Clare Roach, 243-2891, <croach1@nd.edu>

Elected Board Officers 2013-2014	
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Appointed Board 2013-2014	
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Playgroup Coordinator .....	Anne Bolster



## From the INTEREST GROUPS ...

### CREATIVE COOKING

- Do you love to cook?
- Are you looking to try new foods?
- Do you want to learn more about cooking?
- Do you like to have fun?

If you answered, “yes,” to any of these questions, then the Creative Cooking group is the place for you. No previous cooking experience is necessary.

If you would like to learn more about our group, have questions, or sign up to host a night or be on one of our committees, please contact either of our co-chairs, Ashley Hall or Kelley McCarthy. We hope to see you soon.

- Tuesday, September 10, 2013, 7:00 PM -  
*Locally Grown* at the home of Maryann Keating at 1839 Campeau St., South Bend. (One block south of Edison Rd. on Ironwood Dr., take right on Bader St. First right off Bader is Campeau St.)

- Tuesday, October 8, 2013, 7:00 PM.-

*Root Vegetables.* Place TBD.

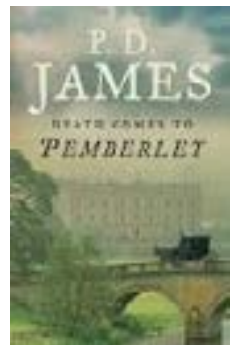
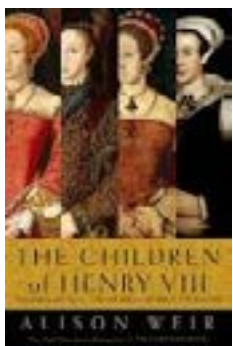
- Tuesday, November 12, 2013, 7:00 PM  
*Decorative Presentation.* Place TBD

Co-chairs: Ashley Hall, 256-612-9843, <ahall1@saintmarys.edu>  
Kelley McCarthy, 954-383-8143, <KMcCarthy@saintmarys.edu>

### EVENING LITERATURE

The Evening Literature Group meets on the first Thursday of the month. During the academic year paperback editions of classic literature, drama or epic poetry, etc. are read. On Thursday, September 5, 2013, Christine Costello will both host and lead the discussion of P.D. James' *Death Comes to Pemberley*. This murder mystery is a followup to Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. Jean Hall will host the discussion led by Irene Leahy of *The Children of Henry VIII* by Alison Weir on October 3, 2013. Reviewers call this text “fascinating” and that Weir “does full justice to her subjects.” Contact the chair with any questions and for further information.

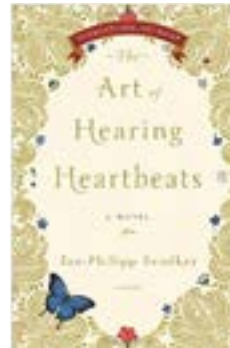
Chair: Christine Costello, 232-6579,  
<costello209@comcast.net>



### MORNING LITERATURE

Having surveyed their membership last spring, the Morning Literature group will now meet regularly on the THIRD Monday of the Month at 9:30 AM, with a few exceptions. Their selections are chosen from among current fiction, non-fiction or biography.

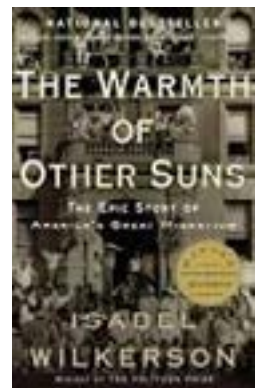
The first exception to the third Monday will be **Monday, September 9, 2013**, when Sue Uhran will lead the discussion of Jan-Philipp Sendker's



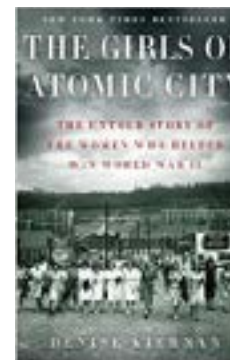
*The Art of Hearing Heartbeats*. The Reader's Group said: “*The Art of Hearing Heartbeats* is a magical and uplifting tale of hardship and resilience, and the unyielding power of love to move mountains.” The meeting will be a Sue's home. Newcomers as well as regulars are welcome. We hope that you read the book

so that you can participate in the discussion, but, if you wish to come and listen, you are welcome.

Isabelle Wilkerson's *The Warmth of other Suns* will be discussed on the third Monday of October. This October 21, 2013, meeting will be held at the home of Mary Lou Derwent who will also lead the discussion. This book documents the sweeping 55 years-long migration of black Americans from the South to the northern American cities.



Pat Kaiser will lead the discussion of *The Girls of Atomic City* by Denise Kiernan on Monday, November 18, 2013. This book “tells the unbelievable true story of young women during World War II who worked in a secret city dedicated to making fuel for the first atomic bomb—only they didn't know that!” Presently, the place for this meeting has not been chosen.



Check with Chair Sheila Marshall for further information about meeting places, and how to get there.

Chair Sheila Marshall, 291-2364  
<shmarshall@att.net>



### TENNIS

The tennis group welcomes players of all abilities. If you want to take up tennis again or want to start a new sport, come and join us. We play on Tuesdays/Thursdays from 8-9:00 AM at the Eck Tennis Center. If this time is inconvenient for you, we will try to form another group at a different time. We play outdoors until the weather becomes too inclement. We then move inside. Contact Elaine Nicgorski 234-5157 or <nicgor@yahoo.com>.

## CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUP FALL/ EARLY WINTER 2013

The playgroup is looking forward to a fun-filled Fall! 46 members of the Ladies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College are part of the playgroup. We are a good mix of faculty, spouses, and alumni moms, grandmas, our little ones and sometimes dads! Families with kids from infants and preschoolers to elementary school are welcome to come and join us in our activities.

This year we will meet the **second Friday** of the month at the Beichner Center. Michelle Mayer will host a playdate and lapsit on the **third Thursday** of the month and Kristin Lund will host playdate and lapsit on the **fourth Friday** of the month. We will also meet twice or more monthly for morning and afternoon activities around the Michiana area, such as visiting parks, the zoo, a pumpkin patch, the Notre Dame fire station, and the kidsfirst museum coordinated by Tamara Stojanovic Albahari. With our new bigtent website, all playgroup members can also add events to our calendar.

Generally, the Beichner Center “playdate” will be held the second Friday of the month from 9-11am, with the exception of our first, which will be on September 20th. Our fall Beichner dates will be our September 20th, October 11th, November 8th and December 18th. This year at Beichner, in addition to the playroom, we will be adding organized activities such as a story time, a craft and games to help engage preschool-age kids.

Once a quarter, other members of the Ladies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College will come watch our kids as “grandmas for a day” so moms can have a chance to talk and have some mom time. If you would like to volunteer to be a “grandma for a day” at our October 11th Beichner Center meeting, please contact Anne Bolster at (574) 335-9979 or <annebolster@gmail.com>.

The Children's Playgroup using bigtent.com, a new website, to organize our events this year. You can find out about all our upcoming events and sign up to join the playgroup at: <https://www.bigtent.com/groups/Indsmcplay>. If you are interested in joining the Playgroup, have a friend who is interested or have any questions, please visit our website or contact the chair.

Chair: Anne Bolster, (574) 335-9979, <annebolster@gmail.com>

## BEICHNER CENTER PLAYGROUP DATES The following are all FRIDAYS

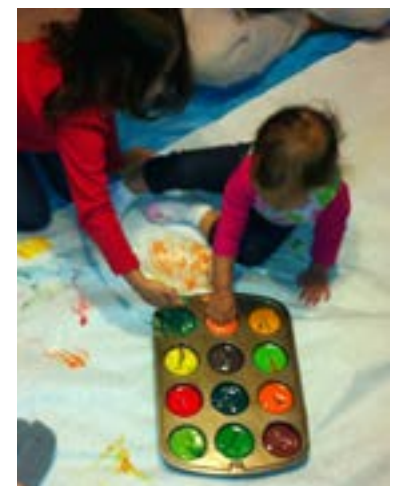
September 20, 9:00-11:00 AM  
*Bring a friend + meet a friend*

October 11, 9:00-11:00 AM  
*Newcomer's Coffee & “Grandma for a day”*

November 8, 9:00-11:00 AM  
*Harvest Party*

December 18, 9:00-11:00 AM  
*Holiday cookie exchange & Winterfest*

See <<https://www.bigtent.com/groups/Indsmcplay>> for further information regarding upcoming lapsit and around-the-town playgroups as well as cancellations, substitutions or rescheduling.



Playdate & Lapsit  
Third Thursday  
Michelle Mayer

Playdate & Lapsit  
Fourth Friday  
Kristin Lund.



a permanent office at B001 in West Lake Hall. Many thanks go to Nancy McAdams and Gloria Kim for securing, decorating and outfitting our new home. Stop in and see it at our Open House on Monday, October 14, 2013, following the tour of the Basilica.

Please consider making a donation to the LND/SMC Scholarship Fund for Local Women to attend Notre Dame or Saint Mary's. This past year, we contributed scholarship support for three women through your generous contributions and the gift-wrapping services at the bookstore we provided during holiday and other celebration periods. Mary Lou Derwent was tireless in her leadership of this effort. Thank you very much, Mary Lou. I imagine that she can gift-wrap in her sleep! We hope to raise more scholarship funds this year through direct contributions. Simply write a separate check for the Scholarship Fund when submitting your dues. (see membership form on p. 19)

I look forward to seeing everyone, long time members as well as newcomers, at our Opening Reception on Tuesday, September 24, 2013. Come to Club Naimoli in Purcell Pavilion at 7:00 PM to socialize and check out our Interest Groups. Our program will begin at 7:30 PM with our featured guests, Gwen O'Brien, Director of Media Relations, from Saint Mary's College and Fr. Bill Lies, CSC, Vice President for Mission Engagement and Church Affairs, from Notre Dame.

It is important to get involved and to belong. This is your home. Make an investment in it so it may pay dividends for you and your family. To quote that banner from 41 years ago, "WE'RE GLAD YOU'RE HERE!"

Denise Brenner, 855-2571  
President

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- **Ans:** When you send in your membership form and dues, check the box at the bottom of the page selecting E-Newsletter. The Membership Chair compiles this list for the E-Newsletter distribution..
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IN MEMORIAM

Rachel Hazan Weinstein  
March 13, 1927 - March 26, 2013



"She was a cultured woman ...."

Rachel Weinstein, 86, passed away peacefully, with her daughter by her side, in Dujarie House at Holy Cross Village, Notre Dame, IN, on March 26, 2013.

Educated in New York, graduating from Washington Irving High School and Brooklyn College, it was in New York, on September 18, 1954, that she was married to Dr. Paul Peter Weinstein. In 1968, they moved to South Bend, IN, where her husband, Paul, was appointed as Chairman of Biology at the University of Notre Dame, teaching there for forty years. Paul passed away on January 5, 2008.

Rachel's interest and abilities led her into many activities. For 15 years she taught the sixth grade at Sam Adams School in Cassopolis, MI, sharing with her students many of her travel experiences sparking their interest in the greater world outside of Michigan. Thanks to Rachel's earlier experience in fashion design, she was able to share her expertise with students and friends. She served as President of the Ladies of Notre Dame in 1975-76 and as a docent at the Notre Dame Snite Museum of Art. She taught Creative Cooking at the YWCA in South Bend, was a member of an Investment Club, and belonged to a Book Club and the Sisterhood of Temple Beth -El.

Rachel is survived by her daughter, Amy (Jack) Meyers of North Haven, CT and her son, Michael P. (Kathryn Trka) Weinstein of Riverwoods, IL, her granddaughter and namesake, Rachel Meyers, a sister, Sophie Markoff, Ocala, FL, and a brother-in-law and sister-in-law, Martin (Suzanne) Weinstein of Merrick, Long Island.

Funeral services were held at Temple Beth-El of South Bend, with interment at Hebrew Orthodox Cemetery, Mishawaka. Donations may be made to the charity of the donor's choice. Condolences may be made to the family at <www.McGannHay.com>.

IN MEMORIAM

Florence Forrest Schuler  
July 6, 1925 - April 13, 2013



"She was a nurse ...."

Florence F. Schuler, 87, residing in Granger, IN, died at home, surrounded by her family. Florence was born July 6, 1925 in New York City, a daughter of Thomas and Leona (Genderski) Forrest. Florence and Dr. Robert H. Schuler were united in marriage on June 18, 1952, in Buffalo, New York.

In 1976 Florrie moved to the South Bend community, when her husband accepted an appointment as Director of the Radiation Laboratory and Professor of Chemistry at Notre Dame. In addition to her husband Robert, Flo is survived by three daughters: Dr. Mary (Steven Sligar) Schuler of Urbana, IL, Margaret (William) Kemp of Rochester Hills, MI, Carol (Peter) Derrico of Harrison, NY; and two sons, Robert E. (Victoria) Schuler of Rochester Hills, MI and Dr. Thomas C. (Diane) Schuler of Great Falls, VA. She and Robert have 11 grandchildren. Florence was a registered nurse, a past President of the Garden Club of Michiana, a Life Member of the LND/SMC, and a member of Sacred Heart Parish at Notre Dame.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated at 9:30 AM Friday, April 19, 2013, at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart with graveside services and burial following at Cedar Grove Cemetery, Notre Dame, IN.

IN MEMORIAM

Margaret Dolan Stewart  
January 26, 1933 - July 13, 2013



"She was a lively personality ... "

Margaret Dolan was born January 26, 1933, in Memphis, TN. In 1951, she married Thomas E. Stewart, who later served as a professor of mathematics at Notre Dame. He assumed the office as a special assistant to Fr. Theodore M. Hesburgh, csc, as well as the vice-president of graduate studies at the University of Notre Dame. Together, Margaret and her husband founded *Fuel Centers of America*, which was developed on the innovative concept of self-service fueling and computerized billing. After his early death in 1972, Margaret worked in the Development Office at Notre Dame for over 30 years.

Margaret was known for her helpful, engaging personality and lively spirit. She remained a passionate supporter of Notre Dame from her first ND experience as the wife of Thomas Stewart as he began his studies in mathematics to her devotion to a long career in the Office of Planned Giving at Notre Dame. After retiring in 2008, Margaret lived in Westfield, NJ and then moved to Cedar Park, TX, to live with her son Tom Jr. and his three daughters. She also enjoyed visiting her daughter Theresa and her two granddaughters in Redondo Beach, CA. Margaret is survived by Thomas E. Stewart, Jr. and his children: Thomas III, Ryan (Michelle), Michael, Emily, Alyssa, and Amy Stewart and Theresa Stewart and her children: Sara and Katie Hill.

Margaret will be most remembered for her insightful, humorous attitude and willingness to help family and friends throughout her life. Margaret valued time spent with her children and eight grandchildren.

Mass of the Resurrection was held at Saint Margaret Mary Church, Cedar Park, TX, on Saturday, July 27, 2013. A memorial service will be held at Notre Dame in late September.

Condolences may be sent care of Tom's family at 2100 Bent Bow Dr., Cedar Park, TX 78613 or to Theresa at 2205 Grand Ave., Redondo Beach, CA 90278-4340.



Summary Report  
of  
Ladies of Notre Dame & Saint Mary's College  
Annual Business Meeting  
April 24, 2013 7:00 PM EDT

Prior to the LND/SMC Annual Business meeting, April 24, 2013, Charles Powell, a staff member at Innovation Park (IP), gave those in attendance a tour of the facility. The tour started in the *Judd Leighton Board Room*, named for the principal donor for the building. The Board Room is one of the more professional rooms in the building. It is a place where start-up companies can meet with interested business partners and be confident that potential partners see that the start-up is doing something right. Every technological resource for communication is present. The entire building is secure and adaptable to various experimental operations.

The consulting staff for IP is drawn from research professionals at Saint Mary's College, the University of Notre Dame and the IU Medical School in South Bend. While at IP the goal for the companies is to accelerate research into product production, hopefully in 3-5 years. It was stated that no one has been pushed out but the focus is for businesses to grow sufficiently large so that they can leave. There is help within IP for this to happen.

The company *F Cubed* developed a "lab-on-a-chip" that is now used to target infectious particles in food products and drinking water. Testing, with results, can be done within an hour. The company has moved to the old convent space at the old St. Joseph High School. Another company *Data Realty* has moved out to a facility in Ignition Park in South Bend. It has developed a model for mid-sized companies to manage the storage, security and analysis of their own data.

In the three years of its existence, 6 or 7 businesses have left IP, and moved-on due to their increasing business. During this period, 45-50 clients have been served. There is room for expansion on the 12-acre lot and hopefully more building will be planned. The IP facility and land is owned by the University.

Overall, IP is a very creative and impressive place to visit. Powell pointed out that throughout the building are crucifixes that are made from tin by native Haitian artists.

Everywhere you look in this building there is something to catch your eye. It is a stimulating environment. The building is creatively complimented with words, such as STAY FOCUSED, and objects, especially the clocks! ... Visit sometime ... at least stop in the lobby and look around.

*This clock states 6:26.*

*"Off the Beaten Path:"* Niles,

When eleven women entered Vite Greenhouse on April 16, 2013, to meet with Jerome Vite for a talk, they were met by a gorgeous array of colorful flowers waiting to be planted in their gardens and pots. Jerome related that his family were farmers. His Dad built the greenhouse in order to start musk melon seeds, so that he could be "first to the market with his melons!" Prior to 1980, the Vites only grew vegetables. In the early 80's, his parents started growing flowers as well and it was at this time that his sons decided to return home and become part of the business.

Throughout his talk Jerome Vite discussed relatively new plants called "Proven Winners." These are flowers and vegetables that are grown from cuttings, not seeds. The plants are sterile and "do not set seeds," thus more "plant energy is put into the plant and its flower/vegetables." All in attendance went home with literature providing ideas for group plantings, landscaping, developing beds and pots for both veggies/flowers as well as hints on fertilizing and watering. Most of the attendees indicated that they would be back in a few weeks when the ground and temperatures were ready for planting.



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*From the VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES COORDINATOR . . .*

#### A BABY SHOWER TO HELP AN IRAQI MOTHER

On July 16, 2013, members of the Children's Playgroup, as well as other LND/SMC members, gathered at the home of member Roxie Sweikar to share new and gently used baby items with an Iraqi mother, Zinah, who will have her fourth child, a baby girl, in early September. Elaine Nicgorski, Brigid Edmonds, and Roxie provided refreshments for those attending.

In addition to Elaine, Brigid, and Roxie, other members contributing baby items included Amy Ball, Anne Bolster, Denise Brenner, Anne Burks, Amy Collier, Mary Lou Derwent, Kate Dolezal, Dorota Janik, Amanda Jones, Alice Henry, Joan Hofman, Linnea Lannon, Michelle Mayer, Renata Matousova, Nancy McAdams, Rumana Poellabauer, Jody Reinbold, and Peg Walter.

Much needed donations included a car seat, a "rocking" bassinet, clothes, a changing pad, a stroller bar, toys, and lots of diapers and baby wipes. Cash donations helped to purchase a stroller and a baby bathtub. Additional gift cards will be used



for future diaper and formula needs. Brigid is helping the Iraqi family and has been taking Zinah to her doctor's appointments since February. Zinah and her family are grateful for all the donations and expressed their thanks to our members for their generosity. *(continued next column)*

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On April 16th, the sun was shining but the temperature was still too cold to plant.

*Carolyn Helmen, Denise Brenner and Janina Goetz amid the glories of spring at Vite Greenhouse.*



The Baby shower for Zinah is one way that the Ladies come together to assist an individual. There are other ways we can do this as individuals working directly for a school or agency that requests our help. The two opportunities listed below merit your help.

#### REFUGEE RESETTLEMENT PROGRAM:

For the past several years, the Red Cross and local church groups have helped to resettle refugees throughout the Michiana area. The refugees come from several different countries with the many recent immigrants have come from Iraq. Several LND/SMC members have helped the new refugees in the following ways:

- donations of used furniture, toys, clothes,
- transportation help to doctor and dentist appointments,
- preparing meals for new arrivals, and
- tutoring English to stay at home mothers who cannot attend English language classes at the Robinson Center.

Help in all these areas is always needed. Anyone interested in helping can contact Brigid Edmonds at 217-7070 or by email <ebedmonds@comcast.net>

#### MARQUETTE PRIMARY MONTESSORI ACADEMY

Consider listening to children read at the South Bend Community School Marquette Primary Montessori Academy. You could volunteer for one hour per week, or whatever suits your schedule. Every classroom has children in it that would benefit from having a one-on-one reading relationship to help them improve their reading fluency and comprehension. There are 9 classrooms with children in grades 1-2-3 and 3 classrooms with 4th graders, as well as 9 classrooms which have Kindergarten students--so that's a total of 21 classrooms, each of which could use one or more reading volunteers!

To help, please call Tracey Thomas 282-2995, PTO president at Marquette, Tracey's daughter has been at Marquette for 5 years, and Tracey can vouch for the strength of the program, the commitment of the teachers and administration and the truly lovely environment which has been created in this urban elementary, housed in a new Montessori-designed building.



# WHITE HOUSE BLACK MARKET

provided the fashions for the May 4, 2013, Spring Luncheon held at Knollwood Country Club. Chair Diane Entriakin and her committee gathered together a group of models who brought sparkle to the clothing. With many assistants, Diane collected, from among the members of the Ladies, many "White Elephants" that constituted the door prizes. In addition to Rini Ng, who again brought handmade jewelry from "BeadsForLife," a group of Ugandan women whose work she supports, there were other representatives selling various artifacts from among local organizations ... such as hand painted silk scarves from St. Margaret's House. Overall, the food was tasty, the conversation lively and the color of the day in fashion was turquoise!



*Left to right: Barbara Sniegowski, Isabel Charles, Mary Freeman, Joan Hofman and Alice Henry.*



*Left to right: Julie Silliman, Mary Ann Pizza, Rene Grubert, Mary Murphy, Ravini Fernando, Denise Brenner.*



*Above: Representatives of local not-for-profit organizations invited to share their ware for sale/display.*



*Left: Diane Entriakin, chair of the luncheon. Her committee: Deb Bernhard, Bobbie Corke, Brigid Edmonds, Ravini Fernando, Elfa Jonsdottir, Rose Lyphout, Nancy McAdams, and Mary Morrison.*

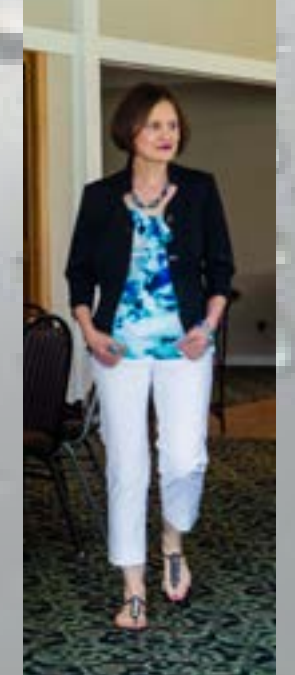
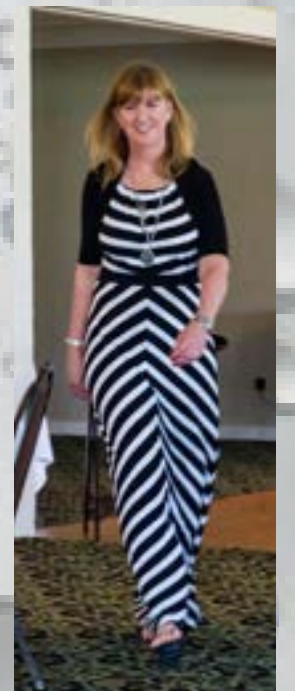
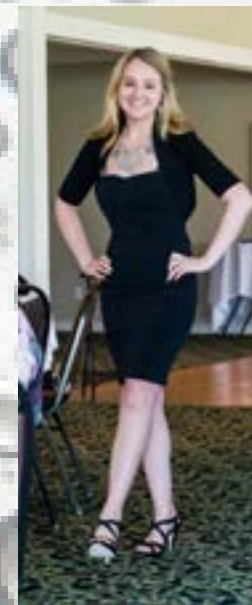


*At the left. Standing from left to right: Anne Bolster, Val Bartels and Linnea Lannon. Seated: Nancy McAdams, Anna Cachy, Jackie Thomas and Brigid Edmonds.*

*Models to the right, from left to right: Ashley Hall, Dorata Janik, Mary Nees.*

*Models below, from far left to right:*

*Kelley McCarthy, Ravini Fernando, Elfa Jonsdottir, Deb Bernhard, Anne Bolster, Jackie Thomas.*





### From the TREASURER...

A special "Thank You" to all who made individual donations to the LND/SMC Scholarship Fund or made donations through the use of *Remembrance Cards*. Individual donations totaled \$2,260.00, with the University of Notre Dame receiving \$1,375.00 and Saint Mary's College receiving \$885.00.

The use of *Remembrance Cards* generated \$1,160.00 for the University of Notre Dame and \$3,100.00 for Saint Mary's College. The *LND/SMC Scholarship in Memory of Nancy Brozovich Lucey, Class of 1957* generated \$2,905.00 of this amount.

All individuals recognized by *In Memoriam* through the use of *Remembrance Cards* during 2012-2013 were remembered at the Annual LND/SMC Memorial Mass celebrated May 9, 2013, in the Chapel of the Stinson-Remick Engineering Building.

The LND/SMC Fundraiser this year involved 12 days of gift wrapping at the Hammes Notre Dame Bookstore. LND/SMC received \$1,464.76 in donations for our efforts.

Checks for \$2,092.56 were sent to the University of Notre Dame and to Saint Mary's College for the annual donation to the *LND/SMC Scholarship Fund for Local Women*.

An internal audit of the 2012-2013 Treasurer's Records (maintained by Treasurer, Bobbie Corke) was conducted by Nancy McAdams and Val Bartels on August 8, 2013. All records were verified and found to be accurate as recorded. The books were then passed to the 2013-2014 Treasurer, Keiko Storin.

On August 22, 2013, the Executive Board Members approved the LND/SMC 2012-2013 Budget. Income from the annual membership dues and donations from Life Members is estimated to be \$5,050.00. Estimated expenses are \$5,035.00.

If you would like to receive a copy of the approved budget, please contact Bobbie Corke at [rjcorke@hotmail.com](mailto:rjcorke@hotmail.com) or Keiko Storin at [yoshitea@hotmail.com](mailto:yoshitea@hotmail.com).

Keiko Storin, 231-9693  
Treasurer

Note: This Treasurer's report was prepared by Bobbie Corke, the 2012-13 Treasurer, in the absence of Keiko Storin.

### From the ASSISTANT TREASURER...

The use of *LND/SMC Remembrance Cards* are a way for members to give recognition to others at the time of a special occasion, such as a birthday, anniversary or new position as well as an *In Memoriam* to the family of those who have died. Each May, those who have died will be remembered in the *LND/SMC Memorial Mass*. The monies raised through the use of these cards are donated by the giver to the *LND/SMC Scholarship for Local Women* at either Notre Dame or at Saint Mary's College. If you would like one of these cards to have "on hand" contact Mary Lou Derwent, [mdewent@nd.edu](mailto:mdewent@nd.edu) or Bobbie Corke, [rjcorke@hotmail.com](mailto:rjcorke@hotmail.com). A packet will be mailed to you, and another one by return mail when you use it.

#### *In Memoriam*

- MOLLIE BERNARD  
Walter & Elaine Nicgorski
- RITA BONVENTRE  
Robert & Mary-Louise Audi
- RICHARD CONKLIN  
John & Mary Lou Derwent
- ELLEN DOOLEY COWPERTHWAITTE  
John & Mary Lou Derwent  
Walter & Elaine Nicgorski
- PATRICIA CROSSON  
Dr. Isabel Charles
- AIDA LANZINGER  
Eugene & Alice Henry, Anthony & Leone Michel, Walter & Elaine Nicgorski
- FLORIE SCHULER  
Dan & Pam Chipman, Abraham & Janina Goetz, Wm. Philip & Carolyn Helman, Walter & Elaine Nicgorski
- Rachel Weinstein  
Abraham & Janina Goetz, Wm. Philip & Carolyn Helman, Robert & Julie Nelson, Walter & Elaine Nicgorski  
Bobbie Corke, 277-7098  
Assistant Treasurer

### From the RECORDING SECRETARY . . .

Three meetings have occurred since the last newsletter: the Annual Business Meeting, the final board meeting of 2012-13 and the first board meeting of 2013-2014.

The Ladies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College Annual Business Meeting occurred on April 24, 2013. During this meeting several issues were discussed and votes took place. .

- First, those in attendance voted to amend the current definition of the duties of the assistant treasurer (Article III, Section 7 of the constitution). The duties of the assistant treasurer now include dispersing of funds and maintenance of donation information in relation to the *Remembrance Cards*.

- Secondly, due to increasing costs the group in attendance agreed to raise dues to \$25 beginning in the 2013-2014 year. Finally, the new Slate of Officers was presented and subsequently voted into office.

The final board meeting of the 2012-13 year took place on June 6, 2013, in the West Office Bldg. where the LND/SMC new office is. During the meeting board members discussed how to proceed with furnishing and decorating the new office space. The new website ([www.nd.edu/~lndsmc](http://www.nd.edu/~lndsmc)) was also presented to the board. It was decided to shut down the old website. Finally, the board discussed program ideas for the 2013-14 year and welcomed the new officers to the group.

The first board meeting of 2013-2014 took place on August 21, 2013. The 2013-14 budget was presented and accepted. Scholarship fund-raising events and volunteer opportunities were discussed and more information about these topics will be communicated to members as details are available. Finally, the program was presented and discussed. There is a need for members to chair and/or serve on a committee for a number of events. Please contact program co-chairs Gloria Kim [gloriakimnd@gmail.com](mailto:gloriakimnd@gmail.com) or Nancy McAdams [nocmc@comcast.net](mailto:nocmc@comcast.net), if you may be interested in helping.

Brigitte Mulvehill (574) 217-7174  
<[bridgette23@yahoo.com](mailto:bridgette23@yahoo.com)>  
Recording Secretary

### From the MEMBERSHIP CO-CHAIRS . . .

My we extend a very warm welcome to all newcomers and visitors to Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College! We hope joining The Ladies will help you to build a sense of community and serve as a source of support. Please join and then

- participate in any of our interest groups,
- join an "Off the Beaten Path" adventure,
- show up for a *Let's Eat Out!*
- have fun at one of our fund-raisers, or
- generate a new group outing or fund raising idea of your own.

For those of us who have been members of LND/SMC, or wish to "re-join," it is the season to renew your membership. The membership form for 2013-2014 as well as an envelope addressed to Membership Chair Pam Chipman is enclosed. Please fill out the membership form in its entirety so we can update all your information for this year's directory. The annual fees are \$25.00. These monies go to support our programs and fund raising efforts.

If you are making a donation to the LND/SMC scholarship fund in addition to your dues, please write separate checks. The membership forms, dues check and donation check(s) should be mailed to Pam Chipman at 1208 Leeper Avenue, South Bend, IN 46617, by October 16, 2013. It is important that the membership forms are received by the **Wednesday, October 16, 2013**, deadline as it is the cut-off date for being included in this year's membership year book.

You may also pay your dues and/or offer donations at the membership table at the Opening Reception on September 24, 2013. Please remind your friends to renew their memberships. It is never too late to join or "re-join" the LND/SMC!

Life Members, this is a reminder that you have the opportunity to make a donation to LND/SMC to help defray the cost of newsletter mailings and membership yearbooks. Any donations are greatly appreciated. Finally, please join us at the opening reception on *Tuesday, September 24, 2013, at 7:30 PM at Club Naimoli, Purcell Pavilion*. It is always so exciting to see friends and welcome new members to our community. We look forward to meeting you.

Pam Chipman 288-0995 & Ravini Fernando 855-2199  
Membership Co-chairs



IN MEMORIAM

Mary Holmes Bernard  
September 2, 1923 - July 1, 2013



*"She pursued life with courage ...*

By any measure, Mollie Bernard's life was full of accomplishments. Born Mary Holmes in London, Ontario, Mollie was a woman of strong faith, courage and an intense interest in education. In 1944, in Washington D.C., she met and later wed U.S. Navy Commander Leon Bernard. Their married life took them from Washington, DC, to Chapel Hill, NC, and then to South Bend, IN, where, in 1950, Leon accepted a position teaching European History at the University of Notre Dame.

Once settled in South Bend, Mollie set about establishing a private school where local children could receive a superior education. Originally called the Mary Reid Cleland School, it remains in existence today, 55 years later, as Stanley Clark School. Mollie served as headmistress of the school for five years.

After resigning as head of Cleland School, Mollie became involved in a number of other activities. Among them were The Ladies of Notre Dame and Saint Mary's College, the Christ Child Society and the St. Ann's Society. After receiving a Master of Arts in Theology at Notre Dame, Mollie became Director of Religious Education at Sacred Heart Parish, Notre Dame, IN. She held that position for sixteen years.

Mollie's full life was not without its sorrow and tragedy. Mollie and Leon lost three children in separate incidents. They were aged 2, 7 and 9, respectively, when they passed away. Then in the mid-1960s, Leon was diagnosed with multiple sclerosis. Until his death in 1989, the wheel-chair bound Professor Bernard was a familiar sight around the Notre Dame campus.

Mollie died on July 1, 2013, leaving behind a large and loving family of seven daughters, thirty grandchildren and seventeen great-grandchildren. Her funeral Mass on July 5, 2013, was held at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Notre Dame, IN. She was buried in Cedar Grove Cemetery next to her beloved Leon and their three deceased children.

IN MEMORIAM

Mary Patricia Burns Crosson  
February 22, 1927 - July 28, 2013



*"She was a life-long learner ... "*

Born in Cincinnati, OH, on February 22, 1927, Mary Patricia was the only child of William and Alice Burns. Her lifetime love of learning earned her many degrees, beginning with a B.A. in English and Philosophy from the College of Mount Saint Joseph in 1948. Following this degree, Pat went on to receive an M.A. in Philosophy (Catholic University of America), a Fulbright grant in Psychology (Institute de Psychologie, Université Paris), and a Ph.D. in Clinical Psychology (University of Chicago).

Upon completing her formal education, Pat served an internship in Clinical Psychology at Rush-Presbyterian-Saint Luke's Medical Center in Chicago, followed by a residency in Clinical Psychology at the University of Notre Dame.

During her lengthy and impressive professional career, Pat served a number of institutions in a variety of capacities. Among them were the South Bend Clinic, the South Bend Community School Corporation, the University of Notre Dame, Saint Joseph Regional Medical Center and the Roman Catholic Marriage Tribunal. She was especially interested in the intersection of psychology and philosophy, particularly as they informed the clinical practice of child psychology and personality development.

In addition to her rich professional life, Pat and her husband, Notre Dame Professor of Humanities Frederick J. Crosson, who predeceased her, raised five children. In time, the family grew to include five grandchildren.

Pat died on July 28, 2013 after a long illness. Her funeral was celebrated at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart, Notre Dame, IN on August 5, 2013, with burial in Cedar Grove Cemetery, Notre Dame, IN following the service.

Ladies of Notre Dame & Saint Mary's College  
2013-2014 Membership Form

To become a member of LND/SMC:

1. Please complete the following information.
2. Send this form along with a check for \$25 for your dues to:  
Pam Chipman, 1208 Leeper Ave., South Bend, IN 46617.
3. Dues deadline for inclusion in the member directory is **WEDNESDAY, October 16, 2013.**
4. You **must** be a member of LND/SMC to participate in Interest Groups.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip Code

Home Telephone Number \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Are **you** an employee of Notre Dame or Saint Mary's? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes,

Circle ND or SMC and indicate your department: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of your position: \_\_\_\_\_

Your Campus Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you want the newsletter sent to your home or campus address? ☐ Home ☐ Campus

Is your **spouse** an employee of Notre Dame or Saint Mary's? ☐ Yes ☐ No If yes,

Circle ND or SMC and indicate department: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title of your spouse's position: \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's Campus Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you new to the Notre Dame/Saint Mary's community within the past year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

\$\_\_\_\_\_ To become a member, please pay annual dues of \$25.  
**make your check payable to LND/SMC.**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ To make a Life Member Sustaining Donation  
**make your check payable to LND/SMC**

\$\_\_\_\_\_ To make a donation to our Notre Dame Scholarship Fund,  
**make your check payable to University of Notre Dame.\***

\$\_\_\_\_\_ To make a donation to our Saint Mary's College Scholarship Fund,  
**make your check payable to Saint Mary's College.\***

*\*Please include separate check for each scholarship donation. Thank you.*

*N.B. Donors to the 2013-2014 Scholarship Funds will be acknowledged in the newsletter. If you choose not to have your donation publicly acknowledge, please check here.* ☐

I am interested in participating in or helping with the following Interest Groups:

- ☐ Children's Playgroup ☐ Creative Cooking ☐ Evening Literature (Book Club)  
☐ Morning Literature (Book Club) ☐ Newcomers & Visitors ☐ Tennis

**Choose to receive your LND/SMC Kaleidoscope by one of the following:** (Please check one. If nothing is checked it will come 1st Class.) ☐ Campus Mail ☐ Electronic Mail ☐ Regular 1<sup>st</sup> Class Mail



This is the NEW Ladies website  
address:  
www.nd.edu/~lndsmc

Kaleidoscope  
LND/SMC  
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Notre Dame, IN 46556

It was a real nice PotLuck...



We're mighty glad you came ...

the chicken was great ...



the vegetables bright ...



the children  
enjoyed the game!



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