

# Wakefield Women's Club

Newsletter Serving Wakefield and Surrounding Communities

## One Board to Another

I'm so excited to introduce our newly elected WWC Board at the May Luncheon. I highly recommend that ALL WWC members have the opportunity to participate on the Board. It is actually FUN volunteering with other women and getting to know each other better.

What an enjoyable, hard working, conscientious group the current WWC Board has been. What an honor it has been to learn from these outstanding women. What weaknesses I may have as a leader... have been their strengths. And I thank them from the bottom of my heart! It's a job I literally could not have done without them!

I also want to shout out a big "Thank You" to RHONDA for preparing our Feedback Sur-

vey and for the 22% of you who completed it. We are able to take this important information, use it, and give it to the newly elected Board for their use. In fact, our May Board meeting is always a blend of the "old" and "new" Boards coming together for a luncheon and the sharing of information. They should find this useful to guide them in their planning.

The good news is that several outstanding Board members have elected to stay on either in their current positions or in another capacity! We love the continuity that it offers and the fact that the "new" are able to learn from the "experienced".

As we head into summer, our last luncheon speaker of the "year" (which closely fol-

lows the school year) is Dr. Patel, a Raleigh Dermatologist. Barb and Regina both have heard him before and said he is terrific! He will address sun damage, skin cancer, anti-aging, etc. Learn the latest in what your dermatologist can do for you and your safety, health and appearance.

In addition, we are also doing a SOCIAL MINGLER at this luncheon, so don't be late! Get to know those at your table better... and enjoy some laughs!

It's been my pleasure to serve you,

Nancy, President



their work improve, their lives change, and their love deepen—all because Mom imparted courage to them by her words.

The same lips that have countless times formed the word, "Mom!!!" will say, "Thanks Mom... You're the best."

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## WWC Board

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## Happy Mother's Day

A Mother's encouragement...

Every time we encourage someone, we give them a transfusion of courage. ~Charles Swindoll

A word of encouragement from Mom takes the *im* out of *impossible*, the *t* out of *can't*,

and the *un* out of *unable*.

A cheerful word from Mom can turn impending failure into success and can spur a child on to finish a seemingly impossible task.

Watch a child's back straighten, their eyes brighten,

## Spotlight on Anabela Zeitler, Treasurer

Anabela was born in Portugal and moved to the United States when she was three years old. She is an only child, and grew up in New Jersey in the "Ironbound" section of Newark. This area is known as little Portugal.

Anabela graduated second in her class from an all girl high school, Saint Vincent's Academy. She received a full scholarship to Montclair State University, where she attained her degree in Accounting. The same year she graduated college, she also married Wayne Zeitler. They moved to Raleigh, where Anabela went to work as an auditor for Arthur Andersen and Wayne flew and still flies today for FedEx.

Anabela decided to put her career on hold to be a full time

mom to her two children, Christopher and Samantha. Christopher is now 18 years old and a graduate of Wakefield High School. He has received a full NROTC scholarship to Norwich University in Vermont. Upon his graduation he will be a commissioned officer for the US Marine Corps. Samantha is 15 years old and a sophomore at Wakefield High School. She is an aspiring veterinarian who is currently doing an internship with a veterinarian from NC State Vet School.

Anabela and Wayne have now lived in Raleigh for 20 years. Anabela joined the Wakefield Women's Club last year. She is the treasurer for this year and next year. Anabela is also a volunteer for Rex Hospital and Ur-



ban Ministries. She speaks a total of four languages (English, Portuguese, Spanish and French). Anabela loves to travel, read, garden and most importantly socialize with old and new friends. She looks forward to getting to know each and every one of you.

## Membership Renewal for 2011–2012

Dear Members:

Enclosed please find the Membership Renewal Form for the **2011-2012** year (September thru May).

Although we will collect membership dues throughout the summer, if you wish to renew now and save \$\$, please fill out the form and submit a check for **\$35.00 by MAY 31st!**

**The Membership fee goes to**

**\$40.00 on June 1st.**

This was a very popular program last year, so we are pleased to bring it back!

And please remember that all dues (beyond the early renewals) must be received by the September Luncheon.

I will also have blank forms at the May 11th Luncheon. In the mean-

time if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at: [vmisciagna@aol.com](mailto:vmisciagna@aol.com)

Thank you and we look forward to having all of you back next year!

Rhonda Misciagna  
WWC Membership Chair



## May 11th, WWC Luncheon

Luncheon Cost: \$25.00 members, \$30.00 guests

*BuffeLunch also includes beverage, dessert, tax & tip.*

Reservations required. **Deadline is Wednesday, May 4th.** No walk-ins allowed.

\_\_\_\_\_ I am enclosing check # \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ person/s in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Guest(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Drop off Coupon at the UPS Store, Box 149-222

or mail to WWC, 14460 New Falls of Neuse Road, Suite #149-222, Raleigh, NC 27614

**Cancellations must be received by noon on Friday, May 6th in order to receive full credit.**

### Here Comes the Sun.....

As summer approaches, we look to protect our skin from the sun's harmful rays and slow down the aging process.

Dr. Vikas Patel, Board Certified dermatologist with NC Dermatology Associates at Brier

Creek, will speak to us on this very important topic.



Social Hour 11:15 Buffet Lunch 12:00

This is our last luncheon of the 2010-2011 Women's Club Year.

We would love to see you before we take our summer break!!

## Survey Results - Thoughtful, Creative, Helpful

We are pleased to report the results of our recent Wakefield Women's Club Survey. (Results provided previously to those with email.)

To those who participated in our survey, we thank you so much for your time, and of course, your input. Even though this was an anonymous survey, it tells us a lot about the members who took it; that they are caring, involved and all look forward to re-joining next year!

Although it would have been wonderful, albeit not realistic, to have 100% participation, we feel that ALL of our members will benefit greatly from the 22% that responded to this survey for many years to come!!

Also, we know that the new Board is looking forward to reading these and implementing many of the great ideas!

Please take a moment or two to read

these, we found them to be extremely thoughtful, creative and helpful. If you have any questions, reach out to a board member.

Again, we thank you, and know that you join us in wishing our new WWC Board nothing but the very best for the 2011-12 year!!

Your 2010-11 WWC Board



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## WWC

A social organization for women in and around Wakefield Plantation, Wake Forest, and the North Raleigh area.



### North Carolina Theater production of HELLO DOLLY

**Starring Cybill Shepherd!!**

**Running May 7–14**

Call NCT at 831-6941, ask for Donna at extension 6944 and say you are a friend of Dyanne Matzke-vich and are a WWC member.

You can get up to 4 dress circle tickets at \$45 each-

**ANY PERFORMANCE!!!!**



### Final Chance to Support the Sassafras All Children's Playground Fundraiser

Please bring your natural and synthetic wine corks to our May luncheon. There will be a basket for you to drop them in. For questions, call Rhonda Misciagna at 435-6188.

THANK YOU so much for your support this year!

([www.sassafrasplay.org](http://www.sassafrasplay.org))



An ounce of mother is worth a pound of clergy. ~Spanish Proverb

Motherhood has a very humanizing effect. Everything gets reduced to essentials. ~Meryl Streep

### Sunshine Committee

If you know of a member going through a difficult time, trauma, or loss that could use our support, please feel free to contact Carol Stablein at [carolstblein@yahoo.com](mailto:carolstblein@yahoo.com) or 919-453-2294.

### Newsletter Deadline

Submit articles/information for the next WWC Newsletter by **September** to Nancy Ross at [nhr102@aol.com](mailto:nhr102@aol.com). Please include "For WWC Newsletter" in the subject line.

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