



March

2020

Inner Wheel Club of Niles-Fremont Connection # 7 District 517

Special Edition Featuring the Founder's Day Celebration

Membership Dues due by or before April 30th:

Everyone is responsible for our membership growth. Please Invite friends to join us at any of the scheduled meetings and/or socials. Membership is \$60 payable to **Niles-Fremont IW**. Mail checks to Michelle Burgess 1830 Sakas Street, Alameda, CA 94501 our club Treasurer before April 30, 2020.

Happy St. Patrick's Day

OFFICERS 2019-2020

CO-PRESIDENTS

- ♦ Mary Lynn Pelican
- ♦ Jan Smith

SECRETARY

- ♦ Sue Parhiala

TREASURER

- ♦ Michelle Burgess

DISTRICT DELEGATES

- ♦ Rosie Hernandez
- ♦ Rachelle Gan

FOUNDATION

- ♦ Patricia Picard-Chairman

NEWSLETTER PUBLISHER

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OFFICERS NEEDED

2020-2021

- ♦ **CO-PRESIDENT**
- ♦ **& TREASURER**

Officers remain the same except Jan Smith will become Past President and Michelle Burgess is stepping down from our club Treasurer since she has 2 small children to raise plus Treasurer for Inner Wheel U.S.A.. Please consider one of the positions listed in **RED**!

President's Message



We had a successful Founder's Day Celebration & Champagne Brunch at Castlewood Country Club last month. Niles-Fremont Inner Wheel Club organized the event which was chaired by Co-President Jan Smith and her committee. A huge thank you to her committee and all the attendees!

Our guest speaker was Jim Caywood-Nation's Foremost Upper Extremity Prosthetic Specialist. Congratulations to **Marie Smith** who won our raffle basket!!!

Patricia Picard presented me with a Rose Council Emerald (Jewel) pin, a special bear pin, and a lovely bouquet of long stemmed -red roses for my contribution to IWUSA Myoelectric Limb Project. Former long time member **Lois Hill** inspired me to make my contribution by seeing her name mentioned in IWUSA Foundation Triennial Report under the Rose Council Emerald Jewel pin category. Gwen Cowell picked up her President & Past President's Pin at an estate sale and gave both to me. Thank you for that special honor!!!

I encourage others to make a donation of any amount to the IWUSA Foundation.

Recognition levels include the following:



Foundation Friend	\$100 – \$999
Rose Council	\$1,000 – \$1,999
Jeweled Rose	\$2,000 – \$4,999
Sapphire (Jewel)	\$5,000 – \$9,999
Ruby (Jewel)	\$10,000 – \$24,999
Emerald(Jewel)	\$25,000 and above



Rose Council Pin



*Looking forward to connecting,
Co-President Mary Lynn Pelican*



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Inner Wheel Club of Niles-Fremont Connection # 7 Founder's Day District 517 Brunch at Castlewood Country Club Photos



IW Club of Niles-Fremont Committee Members:
Linda De Stitger, Barbara Gorsuch, & Rosie Hernandez along with Bill Conner & Mary's twin sister Carol Goedde





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Founder's Day Brunch
at Castlewood Country
Club Photos





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Rotary District 5170 Governor Ramesh
Hariharan & his wife Sohba



Prosthesis from Hanger Clinic



IWUSA President Gill Broadaway, Angela Figman,
& Past President IW Club of Niles-Fremont Marlene Weibel



IWUSA President Gill Broadaway &
IW Club of Niles-Fremont President
Mary Lynn Pelican



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Guest speaker Jay Caywood from Hanger Clinic
and IW Limb Recipient Unique with her grandparents



Carol Goedde Rotary Club of San Jose Silicon Valley,
District Governor 5170 Ramesh & Sohba Hariharan, & Mary
Lynn Pelican IW Niles-Fremont Co-President





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IW Club of Cupertino Table



Brunch Buffet table at
Castlewood Country Club



IW Club of Saratoga Table



IW Club of Niles-Fremont Co-President & Chair of the
Founder's Day Brunch with her daughter Allison, son-in-law Ryan &
Grandson Liam



4th Grader Unique who wears a myoelectric prosthesis and guest speaker Jay Caywood with Hanger Clinic



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IW Niles-Fremont Club Table



Debbie Rice &
Rotary District 5170
Past District Governor Tim Lundel



IW Club of San Leandro Table



IW Club of San Leandro Table



IW Club of Saratoga Table



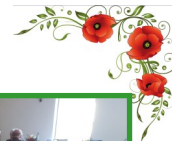
IW Club of Livermore Table



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IW Club of San Leandro Table



IW Executive Committee & President USA's
Table



Patricia Picard, IWUSA Foundation Chair, her daughter Michelle
Burgess, IWUSA Treasurer, and their families



Table of Rotarians and their guests



Speaker's Table



Lovely Fresh Flower Center
Pieces in Tea Pots



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IW San Leandro Club & Alameda Club Table



Janice Lefevre President of the IW Club of Saratoga with Unique's family members



Janice Lefevre IW Saratoga President's Table with District Governor Ramesh & Sobha Hariharan, Past District Governor Tim Lundel, Debbie Rice & District Governor's Chief of Staff Tina Orsi-Hartigan and her husband



Janice Lafevre IW Club of Saratoga President & Rotary District Governor Ramesh



IW Club of Saratoga Table



IW Club of Livermore Table



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1. Alameda- "Spring Green"



2. Cupertino- "Candy, Champagne & Cash"



3. Livermore- "Livermore Sparkles"



Debbie Rice with Succulent Wreath
From silent auction



4. Niles-Fremont- "This and That"



5. San Leandro- "Luxury Essentials"

6. Saratoga- "Saratoga Treasures"



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Thank You!

*Dear IW Niles-Fremont Club Founder's Day Committee,
I would like to thank everyone on the committee for the well organized Founder's Day Celebration and Champagne Brunch at Castlewood Country Club on Sunday, Feb. 16, 2020.*

It was a lovely event with beautiful floral center pieces in tea pots, 6 raffle baskets, a scrumptious brunch buffet, informative guest speaker Jim Caywood-Hanger Clinic, and a well organized program.

It's a lot of work putting on an event so the following people are to be commended for your exemplary contribution:

- ♦ *Co-President Jan Smith-Introductions & Committee Chair*
- ♦ *Sue Parhiala-mailed the invitations*
- ♦ *Denise LePeilbet- helped with arrangements, made and donated the succulent wreath*
- ♦ *Pam Lucia & Joyce Ruiz -created the floral arrangements*
- ♦ *Marlene Weibel-helped with experience support, raffle sales and prepared ticket bags*
- ♦ *Patricia Picard-helped with experience support and presentation during the event.*
- ♦ *Michelle Burgess-helped with experience support, raffle ticket sales during the event.*
- ♦ *Barbara Gorsuch-helped with preparation on day of event and handling drawing*
- ♦ *Linda Destitger-helped with preparation on day of event and drawing*
- ♦ *Rosie Hernandez-helped with preparation on day of event and drawing*
- ♦ *Fran Stone-fabulous handwritten name tags*

Sincerely yours,

Co-President Mary Lynn Pelican

PS Thank you to Patricia Picard for honoring me with the Rose Council Pin and bouquet of long stemmed-red roses!



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Guest Speaker-Jim Caywood Nation's Foremost
Upper Extremity Prosthetic Specialist



Inner Wheel U.S.A. President Gill Broadaway &
Patricia Picard IWUSA Foundation Chairman



Patricia Picard IWUSA Foundation Chair, & Michelle Burgess
IWUSA Treasurer & Treasurer of IW Club of Niles-Fremont
family members



Annelise Graf, IWUSA Foundation Finance Officer and Investment
Officer, Gill Broadaway, IWUSA President, Mary Lynn Pelican,
Niles-Fremont Co-President, & Patricia Picard,
IWUSA Foundation Chairman



Patricia Picard IWUSA Foundation
Chairman