## STONEBRIDGE EXCHANGE - MARCH/APRIL 2020 Women's Club Presidents' Message Jean Katarsky and Linda Longo



So far this year Mother Nature has been kind to us. January brought us unusually mild temperatures, February some snow and in March some early crocuses peeking through the cold ground. While the snowbirds have flown south, some of us have gone on vacation, and some of us have been happy to stay home. Wherever you are, or whatever you are doing, we look forward to seeing you at all the great events we have planned for this year.

Our annual Birthday Bash on February 20 was a fun event. We all enjoyed celebrating our birthdays, swapping gifts, line dancing and singing along with DJ Mike Malone. Singing "Happy Birthday" and eating cake and ice cream reminded us of our younger years.

Bingo is back! After a short hiatus, our monthly bingo games have resumed on the first Thursday of every month. Bring your own snacks and beverages and enjoy a night of trying your luck and yelling "BINGO." Carol Simon Levin is a librarian, author, storyteller and presenter of "Amazing Stories of Women in History." At our March meeting, in honor of Women's history month, we will be fortunate to have Carol, in costume, delight us with an educational look at Women Air Force Service Pilots (WASPS) and the role they played while serving our country during WWII.

Also at our March 19 general meeting, the Nominating Committee will present the 2020-2021 slate of candidates and ask for nominations from the floor. At our April general meeting, the Nominating Committee will read the slate of proposed officers and a vote will be held. On May 21 at the Battleground Country Club we will induct our new officers. We look forward to an evening of fun and good food. Watch for upcoming information.

April is volunteer month and we thank all of you who diligently volunteer your time to various organizations, provide family assistance and help the Women's Club, as well. At our general meeting on April 16 the Women's Club will host a celebration with all our members. There will be a delicious selection of appetizers provided by Tuscany of Old Bridge.

Remember June 18 is our annual Ice Cream Social. There goes the diet!! But what a great time we'll have socializing with our friends as we make our own sundaes with all the different toppings.

In place of our general meeting on July 16 we will have our main fundraiser, a Fashion Show in our Ballroom presented by Debb's Boutique.

A heartfelt "Thank You" to our 500 members who participate in our countless events. It is our privilege to present you with great entertainment as well as informative and timely topics.

As food for thought, we leave you with a quote from noted author and journalist Marty Rubin: "There is only one way to escape the madness of the world, and that is to enjoy it."

Together we can do anything!!!

