

CMWIC News for May 2024

All the Essential and Only the Essential News



How will you contribute to our Women's Club in the coming year? Your support of an hour or so each month makes the Club a fun place for everyone! Some of the open positions include Hospitality (set up/post-luncheon support), Website/News Editor (be 'in the know' of what's happening), Parliamentarian (ensure our Club's bylaws are adhered to), and Secretary (record Planning Meeting minutes). Orientation, gratitude and comraderie

guaranteed. Contact Laura Merlo (LauraMerlo@comcast.net) with any questions, or to have your name added to the candidate list. Voting takes place at the June meeting.

May 7, Tuesday, Noon, Brown Bag Travelog, CM Community Center. We continue our international armchair journey with Laura Merlo sharing mint tea and tales of her recent trip to Morocco. Bring your own bag lunch if you wish.

May 14, Tuesday, Noon, Spring Tea and Scholarship Awards Presentation, CM Community Center This is a tea luncheon so bring generous amounts of sweet or savory finger food to share. Feel free to bring a friend but be sure to RSVP and bring food to share for *both* of you. Thanks in part to the success of the Giant Indoor Yard Sale, we will present two students with awards of \$3,000 each. Part of the Spring Tea tradition is wearing festive, whimsical, or old-time clothing — whatever suits your fancy, including regular clothing. The idea is to have fun and celebrate our scholarship awardees and their commitment to service. **RSVP** to rsvp@cortemaderawomensclub.org to ensure we have seating for everyone.

May 11, Saturday NOTE TIME CHANGE! Now Noon to 1pm, La Casa Buena, 1591 Casa Buena Ave (Next to Marin Joe's) We will be playing BINGO and serving a light lunch. Sandwiches and fresh fruit are welcome. Linda will bring hot soup. **RSVP** to linda.varonin@gmail.com

There's more on the next page!





May 21, Tuesday, 11am to 12pm, Craft Hour, CM Community Center

Linda will teach how to make flower and leaf print greeting cards. Bring pretty flowers and leaves if you like or not. (Flat is good.) RSVP to linda.varonin@gmail.com

May 21, Tuesday, 1:00 to 2:30pm Canasta, CM Community Center

Come to open play and practice canasta with your friends. Bring cards, if you have them.

Wednesday, May 22, noon, Ladies Who Lunch, Il Davide, 901 A St, San Rafael.

Parking is next door or on the street. This will be Linda's last LWL after organizing 25 lunches. Would anyone like to take over this position? You get to choose the restaurant, count the Club rsvps and make a reservation. Easy peasy and a good excuse to sample new lunch venues. RSVP to linda.varonin@gmail.com

May 28, Tuesday, 11am to Noon Knitting+ Group, CM Community Center

Come bring your handwork, crochet, sewing, mending, or knitting. All items handed in are donated to Kaiser Palliative Care, Pediatrics, and Oncology. Free yarn is available. Afterwards an optional no-host lunch across the street at Cafe Verde. Write Linda at linda.varonin@gmail.com to get on the reminder mailing list.

May 28, Tuesday, 1pm Book Group CM Community Center This month's book is Hello Beautiful by Ann Napolitano. Come for an interesting discussion whether you have finished reading the book or not. Email Donna at donna.wenig@gmail.com with questions.