



Newsletter - November 2019

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT, Kristin Krebs

With Thanksgiving just around the corner, I want to share some of the things that I appreciate!

I'm thankful for those members who have committed to being event chairs this year. I have learned first-hand how much time and work it takes to pull off a successful event, so I would like to thank each of you for volunteering to chair our wonderful events.

I am EXTREMELY thankful for our board members who help me in the club's administration:

- Cyndee Lucas – Vice President
- Deidra Picciano – Treasurer
- Amy Mikolay – Secretary
- Kathy Hull – Webmaster and Historian
- Jen Hilderbrand – Past President

Our club's success is largely due to those members who continuously donate their time. I thank each of you who have given us a hand so far this year – whether it be to man the table at NF Day, selling t-shirts, helping with the many tasks for Taste of NF, peeling apples for pies, etc.

Last – I thank each of you for helping me do a better job for the club. Everyone has gone out of their way to make things a little easier for me – whether it's meeting me at Starbuck's to go over things, dropping things off at my house, or even just taking time out of your busy lives to answer my email.

Happy Thanksgiving to everyone!
Kristin Krebs

"Volunteering teaches you to be grateful for the things you take for granted in life, and widens your perspective on how lucky you are to be you." – Elisabeth Z. Twin Cities Habitat Volunteer

Membership Dues



Please see Cyndee Lucas to pay your annual dues. Dues remain at \$35.

Open House

Thank you to everyone who attended the Open House! We had a fun night getting to meet some new faces.

Let's welcome our new members:



Denise Evans, Amanda Harkin,
Lois Neville, Cindy Pack,
Christine Savino, Emily Williams and
Welcome Back Ketelyn Paulussi Jesus!



Apple Pie Make-n-Bake Day

Saturday, November 9th

Get your peelers ready! We'll be peeling, cutting, mixing and baking a seriously large amount of Apple Pies for this year's Apple Pie Fundraiser.

Thank you to all the volunteers who will join us! We cannot do this without **YOU!**

All pies this year will be ready to freeze unless the customer specifically requests a baked pie. Pies will be ready for pick up at New Life Methodist Church from 1-3 pm.

Lisa Keltos and Amy Mikolay
Co-Chairs

WANTED: A FEW GOOD PEOPLE

TO ASSEMBLE THANKSGIVING FOOD BASKETS

Monday, November 25 at 7:00pm at The Community Room (above the Senior Center) we need help sorting a peapod delivery of food to make 10 Thanksgiving Food Baskets that will be

distributed by Cindy White our town Social Worker. Boxes will be available, the food will be there and a list will be provided so we need help with sorting the food into the boxes. Come to the next Community Service Club meeting ready to sign up to help or contact Janet Capozzola, 203-313-5892 to let her know you will help out.



HELP NEEDED BAKING CUPCAKES FOR THE UPCOMING LEO'S CUPCAKE BAKE-OFF!

The Leo's, who are the younger members of the Lion's Club, are having a cupcake bake-off on Sunday, November 17 from 1-4. Let's show our support by entering a delicious Red Velvet cupcake with cream cheese frosting! Entry fee will be just \$25. You can help by becoming a baker or spending time on Sunday, November 17 handing out samples of our cupcake. If this sounds like something you are interested in helping with, contact Janet Capozzola, 203-313-5892 or sign up at the next Community Service Club's meeting.

Save your Soap

Please remember to collect any soaps and shampoos when you are travelling and bring them to our next meeting. These items are donated to the Danbury Women's Center.

On-going Club Fundraisers



Stop and Shop Gift Cards

A truly effortless way to fund the club is with Stop and Shop gift cards purchased through Kathy Hull. We like to call this our "No Brainer Fundraiser". The club gets a full 5% from each card purchased! Here's how it works:

- ✓ You buy the Stop and Shop gift cards from the CSC.
- ✓ Use the cards to purchase your grocery and gas.
- ✓ Isn't that easy? AND you still earn your Stop and Shop Rewards!

Amazon Smile



To shop at Amazon Smile simply go to www.smile.amazon.com. On your first visit to Amazon Smile, select *Community Service Club of New Fairfield* as your charitable organization before you begin shopping.

Every eligible purchase you make at Amazon Smile will result in a 0.5% donation to the club. If you already have an

Amazon account, you use the same account on smile.amazon.com.

Newsletter Articles

Submit articles for upcoming newsletters to Amy Mikolay via email at: amy.mike.mikolay@sbcglobal.net



Upcoming Club Events

Event	Date	Time	Location
Apple Pie Make & Bake	Saturday, November 9 th	9 am – 3 pm	New Life Church
General Meeting	Tuesday, November 12 th	7:30 pm	New Life Church
Cookie Exchange	December 11 th	6 pm	Deidre Picciano's Home

2019-2020 General Meeting Dates:

November 12th

December – Holiday Event TBD

January 14th

February 11th

March 10th

April 14th – Annual Potluck

May 12th

June 9th