

October 2018

Engineers' Wives Club & Engineer Women's Club

President's Message

Hello Ladies,

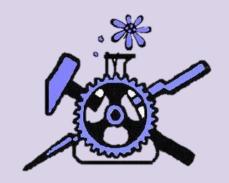
It was so nice to see you all at the Welcome Back Reception! Thank you to Kerry J for jumping in at the last minute to provide her lovely home and to Donna B for organizing another fabulous event, her talent has no bounds. Thank you to Mary L for being on hand to greet everyone and present them with our membership directory. If you didn't have an opportunity to receive yours, Mary will have them available at the Fashion Show. The remaining directories will be mailed after the event.

As we announced at the meeting, our focus has shifted towards fundraising this year. The prospect of building a Legacy Fund at Florida Polytechnic University is very exciting but it will take all of us working together to achieve this goal. It's so rewarding to know that EWC^2 will live beyond us assisting young engineers to set their dreams in motion.

Our first opportunity to raise funds will be at our annual Fashion Show. I'd like to challenge you all to invite a friend or several friends, from outside the club, to enjoy the show. Each ticket sold will provide \$5 for the Legacy Fund. If we can raise our attendance to 100, that's \$500 towards the Fund. Additionally we will again be hosting a Silent Auction. Monica H has already collected an impressive bounty of gift certificates and other lovely items. If you have items to would like to put together a basket, inspire us with your art work or have other items to donate, please contact Monica. Last year we were able to contribute almost \$800 to the Legacy Fund, let's beat that record this year!

Betty





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Fostering social relationships amongst members and their families by sponsoring social activities and programs in the interest of Education, Social Welfare and Philanthropy.

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Up Coming Events

October 23rd 6:30 pm Fashion Show Eaglebrooke Country Club Gerry S Event Chair

December 8th 6:00-10:00 pm Holiday Party Alison N's Home Alison N Event Chair

February 16th
Spring Event
(Open) Event Chair

March 19th 6:30 pm Wine & Cheese General Mtg Gerry S Event Chair

May 21st 6:30 pm Installation Dinner Gen Mtg Betty V-N Event Chair

June 8th 9:00 am AIChE Breakfast Sheraton Sand Key Resort Charlotte D Event Chair

Board Meetings

January 7th 6:00 pm Mary Ellen M's Home Betty V-N Hosting

March 4th 9:30 am Claudette B's Home Betty O Hosting

May 6th 11:30 am Mary L's Home Marja-Liisa P Hosting

To assist the hostess in planning the meetings, *ALL* must respond to the email notices by clicking REPLY with your RSVP response. Thank you!



Spotlight on Up Coming Events

EWC²PRESENTS

Engineered la Impress

A NIGHT OF FASHION SUPPORTING EWC² FLORIDA POLYTECHNIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND Co-Sponsored by AIChE

October 23, 2018 @ 6:30 pm ~ The Club at Eaglebrooke 1300 Eagle Ridge Blvd ~ Lakeland, FL 33813 Dinner & Silent Auction \$40.00

RSVP by October 12th to EWC2communications@gmail.com

Fashions by Babe's Shoes & Apparel

Dinner selections include Roasted Sirloin, Roasted Chicken with Artichokes, and Vegetarian Pasta.

Checks should be mailed to Ichrak T by October 12th. Please include the name of any Guest(s) you are paying for and your dinner selection(s). You can also purchase a ticket online at: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/engineered-to-impress-tickets-48655941230



Holiday Party Time! Everyone pull out your Ugly Sweater and come celebrate with us!

Wear your favorite holiday sweater, sweatshirt, t-shirt, whatever you've got! Come party with us December 8, 2018 at the home of Alison N!

The cost will be \$25 per person. Checks should be mailed to Ichrak T. Tickets will also be available for online purchase.

Additional details will be coming in the November newsletter!

Welcome Back General Meeting



You can see and enjoy all the pictures taken at our club events by using your computer or device on the Internet and typing in or clicking on the following link: https://ewcsquared.shutterfly.com .

It's Shopping Time!

Well - Auction time really at our Engineered to Impress Fashion Show just around the corner. So when you are out having your nails done, eating dinner, shopping at your favorite store - ask them for a donation! Something really neat that you don't have room for any more? This is your chance to share it with someone who will love it, too. Are you a budding artist? We'd love to have one of your works of art to sell. Professional shopper - well you have LOTS to contribute. Crafty? Some of our best sellers are gift baskets. Vacation home? Now that is the best. Be creative and help us raise money for Florida Polytechnic. Our funds for the Auction go directly to the University. Questions? Call Monica H.

Dee H is still looking for a few good models!

Make your Fashion Show experience even more exciting by being a part of the show! If you're interested in wearing some lovely fashions and strutting your stuff on the stage, please call Dee to volunteer!







Please update your yearbook to correct the email for Nancy Ellington as follows:

campanon@gmail.com

The Yearbook Directory will be distributed during the Annual Fashion Show. Those not picked up will be held ransom...I mean... mailed to you as soon as possible.

We will be donating to Toys for Tots this year. Please bring your donations to the Holiday Party where we will have a collection box. We will have donation details next newsletter in case you can't make it to the party.

The Scholarship Committee is busy reviewing applications for our scholarship. The winner should be selected shortly and announced during the Fashion Show. This year's award will be slightly under \$1,000.