

# Lansing Woman's Club

## Legacy With Color

Dear LWC Members,

Welcome to the celebration! This year as your LWC President, I have a colorful goal- I want to celebrate our club purpose of “the study and improvement of its members in Literature, the Sciences and Fine Arts,” through a world of color- **Legacy With Color**. Think of the excitement we feel when we see a rainbow. Or, how a celebration with fireworks reflects colors that mesmerize us. Colors can create energy and happiness or have a calming influence and reduce stress. Let's enjoy a program year filled with color!



We will celebrate the month of October with the color orange and begin with its use in Literature. In Literature, orange symbolizes energy, excitement and joy. Before the fruit made its way to Europe two words were used to describe this color- “yellow-red.” Shakespeare used the word “orange” three times in all of his writings and he always used it to refer to the fruit. In the book *Lord of the Flies*, the orange fire symbolizes salvation. And back in the 1950s, *Those Little Orange Books* were popular with young readers who wanted to learn about famous people. Maya Angelou writes in *Caged Bird*, “A free bird leaps on the back of the wind and floats downstream till the current ends and dips his wing in the orange sun rays and dares to claim the sky.” Listen to her poem in its entirety by clicking twice [here](#). (You may have to skip ads).

With a “zest” for learning about the color orange in Literature-

Julie



### Club Purpose

“The purpose of the corporation shall be the study and improvement of its members in Literature, the Sciences, and Fine Arts.”

### Constitution Article III



*“Securing the future of Lansing Woman's Club is in our hands. We invite open minded and intellectually curious women to join us in our commitment to life-long learning. Keeping pace with our multicultural world compels us to intentionally include women who reflect the diverse community in which we live.”*

-LWC Diversity Statement

## Club Business

- Please note that you can now access the LWC Webpage through the weekly newsletter. Just click the link at the top of the newsletter header. The newsletter will arrive in your mailbox at 10:00 am every Wednesday morning.
- Our Archivist, Mary Kwas, is suggesting that all members take a few minutes to write a one page biography of themselves which she will file away for safe keeping. This will help you if you are asked to introduce a member for their paper presentation. A template is attached to this email.
- If you will be absent from a meeting, please notify Phyllis Grummon, Literary Secretary, at [pthgrummon@gmail.com](mailto:pthgrummon@gmail.com).
- Please note if you are on tea duty, the tablecloths are now on hangers in the Tenney Room closet and no longer in drawers. A huge thank you to Karen Jurgensen and Mary Kwas for organizing this. Also, a friendly reminder to make sure the kitchen door is locked when leaving the clubhouse after tea duty.
- Parking will be available behind the house, in the Presbyterian Church parking lot, in the parking lot to the south of RISE and the parking lot to the north of RISE. Please use your LWC parking placard when parking in these lots. Placards are available on the back desk if needed.
- I am so excited to share with you that Peggy Riggs has offered to write follow-up notes to our guests as a way of connecting with them one additional time. If you bring a guest to a meeting, please make sure they sign-in and leave an address so that Peggy has the information she needs. An address entry has been added to the LWC guestbook.
- Our field trip to Potter Park is coming up on October 27. Please read about more information on the trip in this newsletter.
- We will welcome the women from the South Haven Women's Club on November 3.

## Member News

- If you know of a member who needs encouragement through a card, please contact Barb Roth. [barbaraanneroth@gmail.com](mailto:barbaraanneroth@gmail.com). Barb will keep the membership committee apprised of all member updates.

**October 6**

President's Day

Presentation

Legacy With Color

**October 10**

Board Meeting

**October 13**

Business Meeting

**Committee Consent  
Agendas for Board  
Meeting**

Due to Julie  
Buckberry by Sunday,  
October 8.

[juliebuckberry@gmail.com](mailto:juliebuckberry@gmail.com)

Please email me if you have anything you would like mentioned in the newsletter. Thank you.

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## "Born To Be Wild"

### Field Trip



**Come Spend An Afternoon at  
Potter Park Zoo**

Friday, October 27

1:30 pm

Entry fee \$15

- Cathy Claypool, LWC member and staunch supporter of the zoo, will begin the program with an overview of the history of the zoo.
- Rachel Marlatt, Potter Park Zoo Conservation Support Specialist, will speak on working with endangered species. A question and answer session will follow.
- Refreshments will be provided.
- A zoo tour will follow for those members who are interested. It can be done as a short, medium or complete tour.
- The zoo's pathways have all been resurfaced making for easy walking, even with a walker. Wheelchairs can be provided for a fee of \$6.
- When entering the zoo, drive past the booth and park toward the back of the parking area. A drop-off is fairly close to the tour entrance.
- We will meet just inside the entrance in the Safari Room.

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I was **"Born To Be Wild"** so please reserve my spot for the Potter Park Zoo Field Trip.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

\$15 payable to **Lansing Woman's Club**. Please give check and reservation form to Peggy Riggs or Kathy Rodgers by Friday, October 20.

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**Lansing Woman's Club**  
*Lifting our Skyline*

**Looking Forward to**

**Lansing Woman's Club**

**Sesquicentennial**



**January 5, 2024**

Let the Celebration Begin!

**February 2, 2024**

Reading is Fundamental (RIF) Guest Speaker Program

**March 15, 2024**

History of Women's Clubs

**April 26, 2024**

Sesquicentennial Annual Meeting

**June 9, 2024**

LWC Open House

**July 11, 2024**

Mt. Hope Cemetery Tour

**August 28, 2024**

Ladies of LWC'S Downtown Homes Walking Tour

**October 4, 2024**

President's Day: LWC Photo

**November 15, 2024**

LWC's First Guest Speaker

**December 6, 2024**

Holiday Program and Finale



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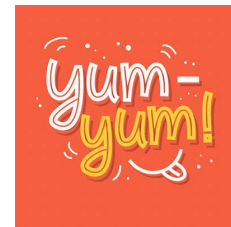


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An orange treat for you to try.....

Happy Birthday to All LWC Members Celebrating This Week! (double click the picture for a birthday surprise.)



Copycat Recipes: Orange Julius

**INGREDIENTS**

- 1 can (6 ounces) frozen orange juice concentrate, thawed
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cup water
- 1/4 cup sugar
- 1 teaspoon vanilla extract
- 10 to 12 ice cubes

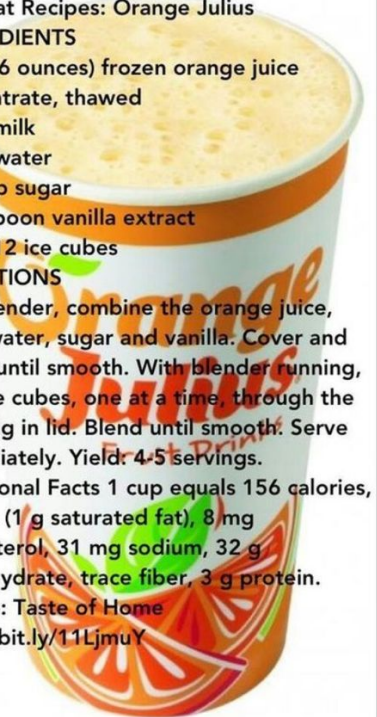
**DIRECTIONS**

In a blender, combine the orange juice, milk, water, sugar and vanilla. Cover and blend until smooth. With blender running, add ice cubes, one at a time, through the opening in lid. Blend until smooth. Serve immediately. Yield: 4-5 servings.

**Nutritional Facts** 1 cup equals 156 calories, 2 g fat (1 g saturated fat), 8 mg cholesterol, 31 mg sodium, 32 g carbohydrate, trace fiber, 3 g protein.

Source: Taste of Home

<http://bit.ly/11LjmuY>



Raise awareness for breast cancer during the month of October.