



Quota International of Fort Lauderdale
The Chatterbox – November 2017

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Dear Members of Quota,

Thank you so much for the \$720.00 towards tuition costs. \$327.00 of that money went to pay the arrears bill for three-year-old Gallie. Her mom is a single mom with 2 kids. She was living on the West Coast, but recently returned to Fort Lauderdale to escape an abusive relationship. She is having a struggle to get herself established with a job and an apartment. She's been driving an Uber and recently got a job in a restaurant. When I called her to tell her that your club is going to pay her arrears tuition, she was so elated. Gallie will return on Monday.

The balance of the money will be assigned to other families in need. Thank you so much for partnering with us to reach and help needy families in our area! You are so appreciated.

Here is a picture of Gallie!

God bless you,

Carolyn Stevens
Director



HOPE YOU HAD A VERY ...



ANNUAL HOLIDAY PARTY YOU ARE INVITED



QUOTA INTERNATIONAL
OF
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BRING YOUR FAMILY, NEIGHBORS, FRIENDS
CHILDREN ARE WELCOME

Saturday, December 2, 2017
6:00 p.m.-10:00 p.m.

DECEMBER RAFFLE dinner
Carol Zeber



HOME OF
CAROLE & TERRY HART
Woodfield Country Club
3286 Harrington Drive
Boca Raton, FL 33496



\$25.00 donation
(includes buffet dinner and open bar)



Rsvp by: Nov 29th to Carole
carolehart2@mac.com

Jo Anderson 12/7
Carol Zeber 12/14
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Thanksgiving Dinners for God's Little Lambs Families!



Last Thanksgiving and Christmas members of QI of Fort Lauderdale bought, packaged and delivered Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners to very needy families at God's Little Lambs. These were very gratefully received, so it was decided to do it again this year. Service Chair Dorothy Seibert and Nan Mercer delivered complete Thanksgiving dinners to God's Little Lambs on November 17th. Some of the children of the families receiving these dinners are pictured above with Dorothy, Nan and GLL Director Carol Stevens.

The club will be doing this again for Christmas. You may do a dinner on your own, partner with another Quotarian or any thing you choose to do. If you are providing a dinner, you may bring the items to the meeting on Tuesday, December 5th or call Dorothy to have someone pick up your dinner. You may include a \$20.00 gift card from Publix for the turkey and other perishables, write a check for \$20.00 to QI Fort Lauderdale and the club will purchase the gift certificate, or the club will purchase the gift certificate from the treasury.

The names of the families and ages of the children who will be receiving the dinners were Emailed to members on November 13th. You may choose your family from that Email. Some members last year put in small gifts for the children, such as a coloring book, a reading book, etc. Suggested items to include in the bag you are filling follow:

Stuffing Cranberry Sauce Potatoes or Instant Potatoes Celery, Carrots, Green Beans Sweet Potatoes Canned Vegetables Salad Dressings Rolls	Canned Fruit Fresh Fruit - Oranges, Apples, Grapes, Pears, Bananas Desserts – Jello, Pudding, Cake Mix & Icing or Pie Filling & Crust	Jelly Crackers Spray cans of olive oil or butter Cereal-Children love Cheerios
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Not all of these items are necessarily for a Thanksgiving dinner but they are staples that are healthy and would lend assistance to any family on a limited budget.

Three New Members – Total Membership 29!



Mary Horan, Membership Chair Nan Mercer, Harriet Meltz, Manbir Pannu, Dorothy Seibert

QI of Fort Lauderdale welcomed new members Mary Horan, Harriet Meltz (sponsored by Nan Mercer) and Manbir Pannu (sponsored by Dorothy Seibert) at the meeting on November 7th.

Also, members were thrilled to reinstate Tory Ricker as she returns to Fort Lauderdale from spending most of her time in California these past two years.

The club is well on it's way to meeting Chair Nan's challenge of 30 members by December 31st. Two more members will be initiated on December 5th.



Mindy, Tory, Verra, and Harriet



Guest Angel Michaels and Nancy Peirce



Dorothy, Manbir, and Jean



Elizabeth, Jan, and Guest Elaine Weberbauer



Mary and Guest Arleen Furer



Kathleen, Jo, Denese, and Emily



Laura, Carole H, and Jackie



Ellie and Denise



President Sheila and Nan



Carol Z and Lea

WE HAD A GREAT MEETING!



**Bring items to sell to each other at
the December meeting!
Some Ideas!**



**Baked Cookies, Breads, Cakes & Pies, Holiday Decorations & Cards,
Our own Quota Pens (\$5/each), or anything else you think might sell!**

South Florida Quota Club Fashion Shows

<p>March 3, 2018</p> <p>QI Fort Lauderdale</p> <p>60th Annual Fashion Show Fort Lauderdale Marriott North</p>	<p>April 7, 2018</p> <p>QI Coral Springs/Parkland And Kiwanis</p> <p>Annual Fashion Show Colony West Country Club</p>	<p>April 14, 2018</p> <p>QI Plantation</p> <p>Annual Fashion Show Pembroke Pines Country Club</p>
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Nancy S and Guest Kim DuBois

THANK YOU, QUOTA

Friend of several members and single mom, Kim DuBois, visited to thank the club for helping her in the days after she was in a car accident with a huge truck. Though not seriously hurt, her car was totaled and she did miss days of work. Ex-hubby took care of daughter Lyla for a time.

In addition to friends setting up a go-fund-me page for Kim to replace her car, Quota members sent food and the club purchased a \$100 food certificate. She was so grateful. She's now back to work with a new car, and best of all, Lyla is home.