



**100 Ladies of Deering President's
Report – August 2022**

In lieu of a formal General Meeting in July, the 100 Ladies of Deering arranged tours of the Weeks Property which were very well received. The July/August of the Fern Newsletter will highlight the tours and our new Weeks Enhancement Committee, led by Maria McDonald and Margarita Tonkinson.

Tuesday, August 9, 34 members of the 100 Ladies of Deering and guests ate at Golden Rule Seafood. We had a great time supporting one of our favorite local restaurants and were also able to celebrate Michelle Streit's birthday. We are looking forward to going back again soon.

New museum quality lighting was installed in the Stone House Library on August 11, funded by the 100 Ladies of Deering. During 2022 -2023 Strategic Planning, further funding was allocated to order to purchase and install lighting for the rest of the artwork in the Stone House. Each piece is custom built by a company in England, and it is the same lighting used in Kensington Palace. This is one of the many projects that the Furnishing and Design Committee, led by Meredith Ehrman will be working on during the coming year.

Our first general meeting of the season will be August 18 at the Week Property. The theme is Sip, Savor and Socialize and we are excited to be meeting in person.

Respectfully submitted,

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