



## 100 Ladies of Deering President's Report – MAY 2023

The 100 Ladies of Deering conducted their 2023 Annual Meeting in the Great Hall of the Stone House on May 9. Over 50 members and guests were in attendance. Elizabeth Battaglia presented 'A Year in Review' highlighting projects and events from the previous year. New member pins were presented, and three new mini films were debuted:

**100 Ladies of Deering: Deering Estate Highlights - Louis Vuitton Trunk:** Charles Deering and his family traveled extensively for long periods of time, and large trunks were commonly used to transport clothing and personal items. Learn more about the bespoke Louis Vuitton trunk the Deering's used that is now on display at the Deering Estate.

<https://vimeo.com/788105568/83da398f6f>

**100 Ladies of Deering: Deering Estate Highlights - Original Bookcases:** Charles Deering commissioned bookcases for the Richmond Cottage for his vast library. Today they are back at the Deering Estate in Charles Deering's Study in the Stone House, housing a collection of art and artifacts that showcase Charles Deering's time in the US Navy, as Chairman of International Harvester, and as an art collector.

<https://vimeo.com/788105354/496e312e6f>

**100 Ladies of Deering: Deering Estate Highlights - Anders Zorn etching:**

This etching by Anders Zorn captures an intimate moment between Marion and Charles Deering. Learn more about Charles Deering's relationship with Anders Zorn and the story behind the piece.

<https://vimeo.com/788105125/758be7fa45>

**Legacy, The Deering Estate** Coffee Table book sales and promotion continue, and Strategic Planning will take place on June 10. This process will guide the activities of the 100 Ladies of Deering moving forward. If you have questions about Strategic Planning or any 100 Ladies of Deering event or project, please reach out to me.

Respectfully submitted,

Elizabeth Battaglia  
President, 100 Ladies of Deering

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