



Utsalady Ladies Aid

November 2022 Newsletter

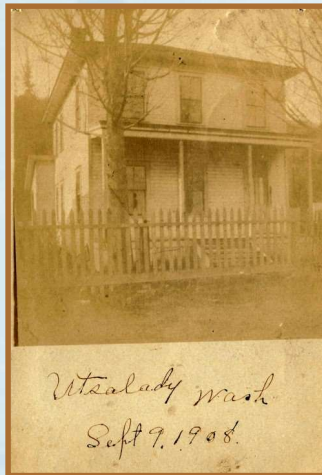
Topics

- Family Table
- November meetings
- Harvest Brunch
- President Speaks
- Unfinished Projects
- Happy Thanksgiving!

Happy Birthday, Ladies!



Gay Campbell
Stella Lee
Tricia Bourdeau
Tina Lee
Connie Talbott
Jennifer Woods
Joan Spagnolo
Gloria Haury
Marla Heagle



Gather Family & Friends

In 1925, Ole and Jennie Mellum who owned the **Utsalady Hotel** donated a lovely table to the Ladies Aid. The oak table still sits in our building and is used to serve lunches at monthly meetings, community fundraisers and many other occasions.

Ole and Jennie are **Jeni Bottin's grandparents**. She also has established traditions with her own family around this table.

The historical folklore is that Theodore Roosevelt spent the night at the hotel and ate his meal at this precious table. Who will be gathered around your table this holiday... hopefully family and friends.

The November Board meeting will be Monday, October 7th, at 1pm.

The November Luncheon/ Meeting will be on Wednesday, November 9th, 11:30 for socializing, 12:00 for Lunch, and 1:00 for business meeting.

Our Next Event

Harvest Brunch Sunday, November 13th 10am to 1:30pm.

We will be serving egg dishes, ham, sausage, biscuits & gravy, potato casserole, fruit salad, sweet breads, juice and coffee. We hope to make this a successful community affair.

If you would like to help bake, serve or wash dishes we would love to have you join us. We also have unfilled and filled stockings that we hope to sell that day.



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Harvest Brunch

Sunday, November 13

Serving brunch from
10am to 1:30pm

A Fundraiser for the
Preservation of the Ladies Aid Building
78 Utsalady Road, Camano Island, WA

Includes: Ham, Sausage, Egg Strata, Zucchini frittata, Biscuits & Gravy, Hash Brown Casserole, Fruit, Sweet and Savory Bread Table, Juice, & Coffee.

\$20, \$10 children under 10 years old.

For more information visit

www.UtsaladyLadiesAid.org

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

It is hard to believe **the holidays** are just a few weeks away. The change in weather and the short days makes one realize that winter will soon be here. I am hopeful it will be a mild and healthy one for all of us.

We have had a good year with some excellent speakers who have helped us understand how we have been able to reach out be helpful in our community. **Thank you to the members of our outreach committee**, we are so fortunate to have so many great members who help on so many different projects.

Because of the help and leadership of members we were able to make some improvements to our building. The new light fixtures and new fan added so much to the brightness of the building. The improvement to the parking lot and regular maintenance of our heating system, along with work on the landscape and person who takes care of mowing the yard have all happened. Thank you so much.



This month is we will be electing new officers in the Ladies Aid, **Jeni Bottin is running to be our president** and I know she will be looking for for members to serve on various committees. Please think about volunteering!

Susan Yerkes has facilitated the installation of a new ceiling fan in the Ladies Aid building. The new fan is more historically appropriate to our building architecture. **Thank you Susan** for all the time and energy you have given.

Remember to VOTE!

Mary Margaret

On **October 26th**, some ULA members gathered to work on their unfinished projects while they visited with new and old friends.

Cheri Bloomquist demonstrated how she makes angels from vintage handkerchiefs.

If you would like to join the next gathering it will be on **Wednesday, November 30th, doors open at 10:00am.**



October 2022 Member Meeting

*Happy
Thanksgiving !*