

HOOVER SERVICE CLUB

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Organized in 1975

by Flora Mae Pike and 10 other women for the sole purpose of "helping others" in the Hoover Community. Today the club is a group of over 125 civic and service-minded women who give their time and talents to help meet the needs in the community. Our annual fundraiser, Hearts in Harmony, provides funds which enable us to continue the legacy of helping others.

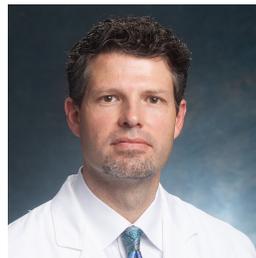
Mission Statement

- To give aid to the needy
- To give aid and promote increased knowledge of the community needs & fulfill these needs as within the realm of the interests of the organization
- To further education for Hoover school students with scholarships
- To reward outstanding citizenship among the Hoover school students
- To recognize outstanding volunteer service to the community by awarding the Flora Mae Pike Community Service Award to deserving Hoover individuals

Join us Sept 12th as we welcome

Dr. Erik P. Hess

Professor of Emergency Medicine at UAB Hospital



Dr. Erik P. Hess is a graduate of the UAB School of Medicine. Dr. Hess served on faculty at the Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minnesota for 12 years prior to returning to UAB in 2018. He completed a residency in Emergency Medicine and fellowship in Critical Care Medicine at the Mayo Clinic as well as a Clinical Research fellowship at the University of Ottawa. Boarded in Emergency Medicine, Dr. Hess is currently a tenured physician scientist and Professor of Emergency Medicine at the University of Alabama School of Medicine in the Department of Emergency Medicine.

Leslie Reagan Plaia, M.Ed., LPC

Director of the Recovery Resource Center



Leslie's roles in treatment center settings have varied from clinician to administrator. She has served as a Primary Therapist, Clinical Program Coordinator, and Clinical Director of a residential and partial hospitalization eating disorder program in the state of Alabama. Leslie has also served as a Counselor and Assessment Specialist in both hospital and outpatient settings for substance abuse treatment centers.

ED MAT Program

Dr. Hess is UAB's primary investigator of a \$1.5 million grant from the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration for the ED MAT Program. (Emergency Medication Assisted Therapy) In an effort to curb the opioid epidemic this new initiative is designed to help patients with opioid use disorders obtain the appropriate therapy. Dr. Hess will be speaking about the program and the role of the emergency department, while Leslie Plaia will discuss plans for long term recovery.

2019/2020 Monthly Programs/Events

Judy McDaniel - 1st Vice President

September 12, 2019

ED MAT Program

Dr. Erik Hess

Professor of Emergency Medicine
at UAB Hospital
Vice Chair for Research in the
Department of Emergency Medicine

Leslie Plaia

Director of the Recovery Resource
Center

October 10, 2019

Annual Fashion Show

Hoover Service Club Members
Darlene Real Higginbotham, Director

November 14, 2019

Earthborn Studios

Tena Payne
Owner/Designer

December 12, 2019

Hoover High School Chamber Choir

John Kincaid, NBCT
Choir Director & President of
Alabama Choral Directors Association

January 9, 2020

Hand in Paw

Margaret Stinnett, Executive Director

February 13, 2020

The Honorable Frank Brocato

Mayor of Hoover
"State of the City Address"

March 12, 2020

Easter Basket Community Service

Annual Preparation of Easter Baskets
for children served by
the United Food Bank at
Green Valley Baptist Church

Flora Mae Pike Award Presentation

April 9, 2020

**Hoover Service Club's
Membership Coffee**

Aldridge Gardens

May 14, 2020

**Scholarship & Citizenship
Awards Luncheon**

High School Scholarship Awards
Middle School Academic and
Citizenship Awards
Margaret Alford Community Service
Scholarship Awards

Installation of New Officers

Message from our president Liesa Pitts

Hello ladies!

I hope all of you have been enjoying your summer and are looking forward to a new year with the wonderful ladies of the Hoover Service Club. It is always great to reunite with old friends and meet new ones!

Our Board members and Committee Chairs met this summer and everyone has been busy getting ready for another year to serve the city of Hoover. We have great speakers and programs lined up for this year. I hope you will invite your friends to join you and get to know us. We would love for them to become a part of our family. The more involvement, the more we can accomplish together!



Ways and Means has been working very hard on our upcoming 2020, Hearts in Harmony event! It will be here before we know it so start thinking of people to invite!

I am very excited and feel so honored to be your President this year. I love this group of ladies, what our club stands for and what we strive to achieve within our community. I know with all of us working together, sharing time and talents, we can accomplish great things this year!

So please, mark your calendars for every second Thursday of the month, starting September 12th, 2019!

I look forward to seeing all of you!

Liesa

Save the Date!

Hoover Service Club's

8th Annual

*HEARTS
in
HARMONY*

February 29, 2020

Hoover Country Club

*New yearbooks will be available at
the September meeting*

— MEETINGS —

Second Thursday of each month
Hoover Country Club 11:00 AM
Lunch (optional) \$20.00

We hope you will plan to stay for lunch. It's a great way to get to know other members. **Please note the price of lunch has increased to \$20.** If you make a reservation and find you need to cancel, it must be done 24 hours prior to the meeting. Otherwise, you are responsible for the cost of the meal.