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 100 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

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rdith McMicken of Hoover, AL passed away on Monday, July 5, 2021. Ardith retired from Regions Financial Corporation after 30 years of service. She was a member of Christ Church United Methodist Church. Ardith was very active in the Hoover Service Club, where she served as President in 2010-2011, on the board of directors, and on various committees. She served for several years as Parliamentarian of the club. She received the Hoover Service Club Flora Mae Pike Community Service Award in 2019. In addition, Ardith was a member of The Salvation Army Women's Auxiliary and was a member of the Assistance League of Birmingham. She was past President of the Birmingham Chapter of Executive Women International. Ardith was a special friend to many in the Hoover Service Club. She will be missed but not forgotten.

September Meeting



Hearts in Harmony

The Ways and Means Committee has been working over the summer to come up with ideas to raise funds to continue supporting the needs in Hoover through our charities and scholarships. As we have shared ideas with others within the committee, the concern for Covid continues to be the primary question in hosting any type of fundraiser. We certainly want any event to be enjoyed and successful but at the same time safe for all to attend.

We ask for your continued support, thoughts, ideas and above all prayers as we continue to navigate through these unusual and delicate times.

We are committed to the mission of our club and will continue to be creative in our endeavors.

Thank you to all of you, and we hope and pray our upcoming year will be successful regardless of the challenges before us!

Looking forward to seeing all at our first meeting!

Betty Daigle and Liesa Pitts

Hoover Service Club 2021-2022 Board Members

President - Rhonda Boyd 1st Vice President - Debbie Rutherford 2nd Vice President - Liz Elliott 3rd Vice President - Deborah Weyandt Corresponding Secretary - Kim Allen Recording Secretary - Rachel Trowbridge Treasurer - Bonnie Campbell Chaplin - Taheria Brown Historian - Nance Kohnen Hospitality - Frances Brocato, Pam Edwards Audit Committee - Lois Taylor, Elaine Thompson, Barbara Henry Budget Committee - Bonnie Campbell, Liesa Pitts, Rhonda Boyd

Community Service - Lori Heglas, Betty Moulton Contact Committee - Winnie Cooper, Theresa Reed Club Publications - Deborah Weyandt Publicity - Dana Henson Social Media - Missy Wertz Pictures - Paula Campbell Blogger - Betty Moulton Scholarship - Treva Medbury, Liz Willoughby, Tanya Louviere, Debra Taylor Ways and Means - Betty Daigle, Liesa Pitts, Bonnie Campbell Flora Mae Pike - Diane Thomas, Vicki Nutter Parliamentarian - unfilled at the time of this publication

2021-22 Hoover Service Club Programs

SEPTEMBER 9

"Fall Tea & Fashion Show"

Town & Country Clothes – Laurel Bassett Hoover Randle Home & Gardens 10:00am - 11:00am Membership Morning Tea 11:00am General Meeting 11:30 am Fall Fashion Show in Honor of Ardith McMicken

JANUARY 13

"The World Games 2022"

Speakers: Nick Sellers CEO The World Games 2022 & Kathy Boswell Vice President of Community Engagement -The World Games 2022 Hoover Country Club

FEBRUARY 10

"State of the City Address"

The Honorable Mayor Frank Brocato Mayor of the City of Hoover Hoover Country Club

MARCH 10

"Easter Basket Community Service"

For children served by Green Valley Food Bank Flora Mae Pike Hoover Community Service Award Hoover Country Club

APRIL 14

"HSC's Membership Coffee"

Hoover Randle Home & Gardens

MAY 12

"Scholarship & Citizenship Awards Luncheon"

High School Scholarship Awards Middle School Academic & Citizenship Awards Margaret Alford Community Service Scholarship Awards Installation of New Officers for 2022-2023 Hoover Country Club

OCTOBER 14

"Hoover Then & Now"

Speaker: Greg Knighton City of Hoover Economic Development Manager Hoover Country Club

NOVEMBER 11

"Mini-Holiday Market"

Enjoy shopping from local Artists and Businesses Hoover Country Club 10:00am-11:00am & 11:30-Noon

DECEMBER 9

"Sounds of Christmas"

Hoover High School Choir John Kincaid, NBCT, Choir Director Hoover Country Club

Thank you to our First Vice President, Debbie Rutherford for arranging these wonderful programs.

Act of Service September Meeting

Our friends at Vineyard Family Services create packages for over 1,000 children weekly and are in desperate need of cases of the following items:

- Applesauce Pouches
- Juice Pouches (think Capri Suns)
- Mac & Cheese bowls (just add water and microwave)

These items are part of a national shortage and are a staple for the weekly bags the Vineyard Family Services provides to the children.

We would love donations of the food items above but would gladly accept cash or Venmo (@Lori-Heglas), and Betty and I can purchase the items for you. You can also make a check out to Vineyard Family Services and they can purchase items through their purchasing programs.

Lori Heglas & Betty Moulton Community Service Co-Chairs



Club Dues If you haven't already please pay your membership dues of \$25. You may bring a check to the September meeting or mail it to:

Liz Elliott 1167 Al Seier Road Hoover, AL 35226

Make checks payable to Hoover Service Club.

Letter from our President, Rhonda Boyd

Hello Ladies!

I certainly hope you've had an amazing summer! I did. After being inside for a year and a half, it was a welcomed time. I visited Detroit, Florida, Mississippi, and Georgia (all while still taking precautions of course). I felt like I was finally set free. Now, we know that all good things



must come to an end and the summer fun has ended. The children have gone back to school to meet and welcome new friends and teachers, grandparents have returned home, moms and dads are returning to the office, and the pools are closing. It's time to turn off vacation mode and let reality sink in. A new season has begun and I'm excited.

I'm excited that the Hoover Service Club will bring smiles and help to people in need by our giving and volunteering. I'm also excited to meet new members as well as seeing the existing ones. I'm excited for all the new programs we will have this year and to hear new ideas for fund raisers. I'm excited as well to see how God is going to bless us so we can be a blessing to our community.

Our committee chairs are in gear already, meeting and planning fund raisers, budgets, the newsletter, grants, the yearbook, programs, and preparing for our first meeting. Some have even worked during the summer. You ladies are so dedicated and a blessing, and because of that, I'm looking forward to a great year. I can't wait to see your sweet smiling faces, so goodbye for now and we'll see each other real soon.

Blessings! Rhonda

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