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**SUNSHINE & WELFARE:**

*Congratulation to Sam and Marge Furner "Happy 50<sup>th</sup>"*

Please continue to pray for the men and women serving in the military, all our sister Columbiettes and their families. Please contact Kathy Valente (908 277-0475) with any information pertaining to Sunshine. It is really important that you let us know, also let your parishes be aware if you have family members in the hospital as the rectory can no longer call the hospital for patient names due to HIPA laws.

**PRESIDENTS MESSAGE:**

Welcome back fellow Columbiettes. I hope everyone had a great summer. As your president I look forward to this coming year and urge everyone to participate in as many events as possible. We held our first meeting September 17<sup>th</sup> and I was encouraged by the excitement in the air. As a group we can accomplish so much whether it's supporting our fellow Knights, raising money for charity or reaching out to the community to embrace our faith.

October is deemed new member's month and with that in mind we will be hosting a first degree at this meeting. If you know of anyone who is interested, please encourage them to join. We will also be having our first pancake breakfast co hosted with the Knights as well as a monthly scriptural rosary. Everyone in the community is welcomed. I look forward to seeing everyone,

Blessings,  
Patti Dougherty

**2012/2013 – BOARD OF OFFICERS:**

President	Patti Dougherty
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Patti Dougherty	Fran Corcione	Alt.
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**DELEGATES TO CONVENTION**

Patti Dougherty	Marge Furner	Alt.
Laura Caron	Ann Graziano	Alt.

**COMMITTEE CHAIRMAN**

Pennies for Vocations:	Angela Landon	Hospitality:	Diane Ruggerio
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Back Pack:	Membership	Funeral Contact	Fran Corcione
Angel Pins:	Ann Graziano	Stamps	Mary Arcadipane
Bap/Com/Mem Fund cards	Kathy Valente	Newsletter	Kathy Valente

**DUES ARE DUE:** Dues for the 2013 Columbiette year are now due in the amount of \$20.00. Check made payable to: Msgr. F. X Coyle Council Columbiettes and mail to: **Mary Ann Tasik, 18F Manchester Ct., Chatham, NJ 07928.** Please enclose a stamped self addressed envelope for the return of your travel Card or you can pay at a regular meeting.. Cards are mailed after first of the year.

**FIRST DEGREE:** October is membership month and we will be holding a first degree at 7:00pm. Should you know any ladies that might be interested in joining you should contact Rosina Angelo Caruvana at (cell) 973 941-8955 [cellra4766@aol.com](mailto:cellra4766@aol.com). All members of the team should remember to wear white stockings and white shoes.

**ROSARY AT THE KNIGHTS:** We will be holding our “first” Rosary Night at the Knights. The date is October 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30. We plan hospitality at 7:30 and rosary 8:00 – 9:00. This is open to all in our Catholic community. Soooooo pass the word. We plan future dates of November 29 and December 27<sup>th</sup>. Columbiettes will be asked to bake.

**EVENTS:** **Pancake Breakfast** with the Knights: Every 3 Sunday of every other month. The first will be held on October 21<sup>st</sup>, 9:00 - 12.00 \$6.00. Future dates: Dec. 9th and February 10<sup>th</sup>. All proceeds go the Knights and Columbiette charities.

**Pasta Night** with the Knights: Chef Rudolfo Reino PGK will be in the kitchen. Seniors \$10.00 under 12 \$6.00 and all others \$12.00. Invite your family and friends. All proceeds go to the Knights and Columbiette charities.

**Wine Down Wednesday:** Date has not been determined as yet. This is a wonderful “night out” with the girls!!! Fantastic vendors, sampling of food and of course the bar.....

**Christmas Party with the Knights:** Grand Knight, Benny Russo asks that we save the date... The Knights are planning a Christmas party December 1, 2012. Details will follow.

**Flea Market:** Frannie Corcione presented information and will be looking into, us, sponsoring a flea Market. She will be dealing with Promotions, Inc. a fundraising event company. We provide the location and reap the rewards of a finder’s fee and three parking spots at the site to sell items for our different programs.

**MEMORIAL:** Fran Corcione will be heading up the Memorial/Funeral ministry. Should a sister Columbiette pass, the family must request our memorial service. As most of you know we meet as a group and then attend the mass as honor guard.

We are looking to other nights with the family/friends. A Super Bowl Party? Movie Night? Please think of evenings we can spend together as a Columbiette family along with raising funds for our charities and programs.

**BACK PACKS/ SHOEBOXES/STAMPS AND TABS:** These State programs continue. Many of us cannot attend meetings. In that situation, please still contribute to these programs. We would love to pick up the items from those living in the surrounding towns. Just call Kathy at 908 277-0475 or email at [Columbiettes5560@yahoo.com](mailto:Columbiettes5560@yahoo.com) and arrange.

**CAKES:** Just a reminder for our 3 bakers for October. Thank you!!!!!!

**STATE SUPPORT RAFFLE:** Are here and available at our next 2 meetings. If you can’t attend, I’ll stop by and deliver in the local towns. Just call Kathy Valente

**EMAIL:** Due to mailing and printing cost we are hoping to communicate by email as much as possible. Newsletters will be send email and US mail to those who don’t have email. “Flashes” via email will be going out with things going on in the parishes and community. Please check your email on a regular basis (on Wednesdays for example). Maybe a family members has access to email and would print for you and from my experience, grand children just love to help out grandma!!

