



Wilton Woman's Club

October 2019 Newsletter

Important Dates

- October 1 – New Member Coffee 10 am, home of Stacey Savas
- October 2/3 JLP Members and Daughters Volunteer at Minks to Sinks
- October 3 – Person-to-Person Norwalk Food Pantry
- October 7 – Board Meeting, 10am, WEPCO complex
- October 14 – Person-to-Person Darien Clothing Center
- October 17 – P2P Norwalk Food Pantry
- October 23 – Fall Outing - Ideas for Entertaining - Red Rooster in Wilton
- October 28 – P2P Darien Clothing Center
- November 18 – Turn Your Dreams Into Reality, 7pm, home of Melissa Soccio
- November 25 – Thanksgiving Basket for Wilton Social Services
- November 27 – Hot Meals for homebound residents
- December 10 – Holiday Luncheon at Bernard's in Ridgefield
- December 24 – Holiday Hot Meals homebound seniors

New Member Coffee – October 1st– 10am

New members are invited to get acquainted with Board Members and learn more about what the WWC has to offer. Please join us at the home of Stacey Savas. Click here to RSVP: [New Member Coffee](https://www.wiltonwomansclub.com/so/24MrtdFoq/click?w=LS0tDQpiZWZhNGQzYS1jZGRmLTRjMmMtODdlYi1iZGE1MThhMzY5OGQNCmh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndpbHRvbndvbWFuc2NsdWluY29tL2V2ZW50cy9uZXctbWVtYmVyLWNvZmZIZT91dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249NWVIMDkwMTItYzBkMC00ZjYyLTkyN2EtNzI0YjA3NDc0ODI0JnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9c28mdXRtX21lZGI1bT1scA0KLS0t) (https://www.wiltonwomansclub.com/so/24MrtdFoq/click?w=LS0tDQpiZWZhNGQzYS1jZGRmLTRjMmMtODdlYi1iZGE1MThhMzY5OGQNCmh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndpbHRvbndvbWFuc2NsdWluY29tL2V2ZW50cy9uZXctbWVtYmVyLWNvZmZIZT91dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249NWVIMDkwMTItYzBkMC00ZjYyLTkyN2EtNzI0YjA3NDc0ODI0JnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9c28mdXRtX21lZGI1bT1scA0KLS0t).

Junior Leadership Program Minks to Sinks Volunteer Opportunity

WWC's Junior Leadership Program Minks to Sinks Volunteer Opportunity for Moms and Daughters! On 10/2 or 10/3, 3:30-5pm, please join the WWC's Junior Leadership Program members and their daughters in sorting toys for Wilton's annual Minks to Sinks sale at 37 School Road in Wilton. The event benefits the Family and Children's Agency in Norwalk. Your daughter can meet you down at the tents to work a shift! Water will be provided (bring a water bottle) as well as an FCA t-shirt for all volunteers. Please go to the "Events" section at www.wiltonwomansclub.org

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Person-to-Person Community Service

- Volunteer at the Norwalk Food Pantry – Thursdays 10/3 and 10/17
- Volunteer at the Darien Clothing Center – Mondays 10/14 and 10/28

To volunteer, please contact Catherine Magnano at catherinemagnano@gmail.com.

Fall Outing Event – Get Ready for the Holidays! – Ideas for Entertaining!

Please join in on the fun getting ready for the holidays, on Oct. 23, 11:30-1:30 at The Red Rooster Pub, 10 Center Street in Wilton. Be sure to be there for a professional demonstration on mixing fantastic mocktails and drinks for your guests! While sipping a complimentary glass of Prosecco, you'll also learn some insider tips on home decorating and entertaining. Following this is a delicious lunch of either Chicken Piccata, a Classic Burger, or Eggplant Florentine. Dessert choices are Tiramisu or Chocolate Lava Cake. The cost is \$43.22 per person, including Paypal fees. RSVP by October 16th here: [Get Ready for the](https://www.wiltonwomansclub.com/so/24MrtdFoq/click?w=LS0tDQpiZWZhNGQzYS1jZGRmLTRjMmMtODdlYi1iZGE1MThhMzY5OGQNCmh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndpbHRvbndvbWFuc2NsdWluY29tL2V2ZW50cy9nZXQtcmlhZm9yLXRoZS1ob2xpZGF5cz91dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249NWVIMDkwMTItYzBkMC00ZjYyLTkyN2E0tNzI0YjA3NDc0ODI0JnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9c28mdXRtX21lZGl1bT1scA0KLS0t) (<https://www.wiltonwomansclub.com/so/24MrtdFoq/click?w=LS0tDQpiZWZhNGQzYS1jZGRmLTRjMmMtODdlYi1iZGE1MThhMzY5OGQNCmh0dHBzOi8vd3d3LndpbHRvbndvbWFuc2NsdWluY29tL2V2ZW50cy9nZXQtcmlhZm9yLXRoZS1ob2xpZGF5cz91dG1fY2FtcGFpZ249NWVIMDkwMTItYzBkMC00ZjYyLTkyN2E0tNzI0YjA3NDc0ODI0JnV0bV9zb3VyY2U9c28mdXRtX21lZGl1bT1scA0KLS0t>)

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Turn Your Dreams into Goals & Your Goals into Reality – November 18, 7-9pm

Please join us on Monday, November 18 from 7-9pm, at the home of Melissa Soccio in Wilton. Drinks and appetizers will be served. Featured speaker, Dr. Leonaura Rhodes, will help you “Turn Your Dreams Into Goals & Your Goals Into Reality.”

Critical points in Dr. Rhodes’s presentation include:

- Gaining clarity on big dreams
- Prioritizing dreams and turning them into goals
- Connecting with your “WHY?”
- Creating a strategic plan for change
- Making dreams come true

Dr. Rhodes began her career over 25 years ago as a medical doctor in the UK. She has a Masters in Public Health and trained in counseling, life coaching, and strategic intervention as well as studying with Tony Robbins and Cloe Maddanes. Currently, she works as a Results Coach, medical writer, course developer, speaker, and author. Don’t miss this chance to gain professional insight on how to get the most out of life! RSVP for this event here: Evening Meeting.

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Thanksgiving Basket, Thanksgiving Hot Meals & Holiday Hot Meals for the Homebound

We need volunteers to step up and chair the committees for each of the above events described below. Your help would be much appreciated! Please contact Suzy Curtice at scurtice@optonline.net or Wendy Nadel at wenadel@optonline.net if you are interested in chairing any of these essential services.

WWC Thanksgiving Basket – Monday, November 25

Every year, the WWC assembles a Thanksgiving Basket to donate to Wilton Social Services for a family in need. The WWC basket includes all of the items that WSS requests for a Wilton family to prepare a full Thanksgiving dinner. We are asking for members to donate food the weekend of November 23. Volunteers are also needed to

work at the Food Pantry at Comstock Community Center on the 25th to help collect baskets that morning and to organize the Food Pantry in the afternoon. Sign up information will be forthcoming. Stay tuned!

WWC Thanksgiving Hot Meals for the Homebound – November 27

Also, annually, WWC members sign up to provide food items for complete Thanksgiving meals for homebound residents in our community who are unable to cook for themselves. The items are fully cooked and dropped off at either Ogden House or the Comstock Community Center on Wednesday, November 27. WWC members and young JLP volunteers work together to assemble and wrap the meals before delivering them to those in need. Sign-up information to come!

WWC Holiday Hot Meals for the Homebound – December 24

Each year, WWC members volunteer to prepare items for holiday dinners that are delivered to homebound residents in Wilton. Just like at Thanksgiving, the items are fully cooked and dropped off at either Ogden House or the Comstock Community Center on December 24. There, volunteers assemble and wrap the meals before delivering them to those in our community who are not able to cook for themselves. Sign-up information will be provided as we get closer to the date.

Holiday Luncheon at Bernard's in Ridgefield – December 10

This year our festive and much-loved holiday luncheon will be on December 10 from 11:30-1:30pm at Bernard's, 20 West Lane (Route 35 near the Fountain) just off Main Street in Ridgefield. This event is all about having fun and reveling in the spirit of the season! It's the perfect way to catch up with friends and other club members while enjoying a gourmet meal at one of the most well-reviewed and highly regarded restaurants in the area. In addition, our Philanthropy Committee will announce our Beneficiary for our 2020 Fashion Show Fundraiser. As we approach the event date, a registration email will be sent out to all members! So save the Date and Time! We are looking forward to seeing all of you at Bernard's to kick off the holiday season together!

Love Books? Looking for a Coordinator for the WWC Book Club!

Our wonderful chair of the WWC Book Club, Beth Likly, is stepping down after many years of service. We are looking for someone to take over the duties of coordinating when the group will next meet, and how to choose the book! If interested, please contact Andrea Bates at connbates@gmail.com.

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