

# BRADENTON WOMAN'S CLUB

MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



## PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

Hello Ladies!

Happy New Year to all! I hope you had a wonderful time celebrating the holidays with friends and family. Just like 2022, 2023 will be chock-full of opportunities for BWC to be active in the community.

CSP's- I hope you have all made time to meet and plan your activities for 2023! If not, please schedule to get together soon. You should think of ways to include the club in your projects.

You also need to prepare a speaker for an upcoming meeting and perhaps include a service project for that same meeting.

Available months and scheduling should go through our First Vice President Pam Rahn as she serves as Dean of CSPs.

And finally, **PLEASE register** as a member on our website. All your "need to know" info can be found there!

Anchors Away,  
Shannon



### NEW THIS MONTH

- Locks will be added to kitchen cabinets to protect our items from rental use.
- Ice maker will be installed soon. No more lugging bags of ice!
- Our Amazon Wish List is on our website home page!

You must be registered to access important info



## JANUARY

Regina Allan - 2nd

Susan Ritchie - 2nd

Sandra Rahn - 10th

Missy Ardis-Coker - 15th

Becky McSwain - 19th

Denise Litz - 23rd



- Go to our club's website: **www.BradentonWomansClub.com**
- Click on the **Member Login** icon in the upper right hand corner.
- Click on **Sign up** on the next page
- Enter your email & a password of your choosing on the next page.
- You will receive a confirmation email when info has been received and approved.
- **Need help?** Call Tammy 910-612-7912
- Member Only documents will then be found under the HOME tab.

## BWC IN ACTION

As you know, we had a fun, but busy December! Thank you to all who participated!



### CHRISTMAS CARDS FOR COPS

Many thanks to Gloria Comerford for the beautiful rendition of our clubhouse and to all the ladies that added their personal, colorful touch for one-of-a-kind greetings.



**SENIOR STOCKINGS** 44 stockings were filled at our December Holiday Social to be distributed to a local low income assisted living center. The need was brought to our attention by a renter. Stockings were stuffed with large print puzzle books, pens, fuzzy socks, lip balm, candy and pop-it fidget bracelets.

**MANATEE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HOLIDAY COFFEE CLUB** There was a great turnout for this event at The Bishop Museum and 9 of our members were in attendance either on behalf of the Club or their own business. Chamber events are a great networking opportunity! All BWC members are eligible to attend via our membership.



**KEEP MANATEE BEAUTIFUL** Special THANKS to Kathe Hughes & Meta Green for working with the Environment CSP to fill three bags of trash along Manatee Ave. There will be more opportunities in 2023- please make plans to join in keeping our community beautiful!



**GROCERIES & GIFTS FOR SINGLE MOMS & KIDS** For our grand finale of 2022, we pulled off an amazing event for 41 families in Manatee County through our partnership with Grow to Give. 128 children received 2 or more gifts through the generosity of our members and community. Each mom received a gift from BWC. Gifts were then wrapped by our BWC ladies and Palmetto High School National Honor Society students. Talk about Santa's Workshop in action!! Each family also received a meal box when they picked up their gifts from Santa at our clubhouse on Dec. 18th where they were treated to cookies & cocoa.

