



Iowa State University
Women's Club
2011-2012



“We Are Still Learning”



One-Hundred and Fourteen Years
Of Friendships
1897-2012

Ardys Ulrichson
Historian



2011-2012 ISUWC Officers



The Iowa State University Women's Club's theme for 2011-12
"We Are Still Learning"



President Sandy Wie



The 2011-12 officers of the Iowa State University Women's Club were: from left, third vice president **Eleanor Ostendorf**, president **Sandy Wie**, secretary **Beth Coon**, second vice president **Shirley Shaw**, first vice president **Carol Folkmann**, historian **Ardys Ulrichson**, second vice president **Rosemary Mitchum**, president-elect **Sylva Williams**, parliamentarian **Frances Theile**, treasurer **Georgia Vondra** and third vice president **Sandra Baker**. First vice president **Marlene Johnson** was absent.



Fall Opener—September



Fall Opener--“We Are Still Learning”

Monday, September 19, 2011, 5–7 p.m.

St. John's By The Campus Episcopal Church

2338 Lincoln Way

The Iowa State University Women's Club kicked off its 2011-12 year on Monday, September 19, from 5 to 7 p.m. at St. John's by the Campus Episcopal Church, 2338 Lincoln Way, in Ames. The club is open to all women in the community. The Fall Opener is an opportunity for club members and guests to learn about each of the twenty-two divisions (interest groups), pay membership dues and socialize with friends. This year 29 new members joined the club at the Fall Opener and over 130 attended the event. Members and guests enjoyed an appetizer and dessert.

For the 2011-12 year, the Iowa State University Women's Club had a total of 325 members. Of these 64 were honorary members, 30 were first year members and 231 had been members for two or more years.

Arrangements:

Fall Opener Committee

Judy Stehr, Co-Chair

Sylva Williams, Co-Chair

Marie Anderson

Beth Coon

Shirley Shaw

Sandy Wie



Guests registering for the Fall Opener



Raffle to promote the Spring Tea



Fall Opener—September



Refreshments at the Fall Opener



Division chairs ready to sign up new members



Food and fellowship at the Fall Opener



Learning about the 22 different divisions



Past Presidents' Fall Trip—October



Fall Trip to Mason City, Iowa

Tuesday, October 4, 2011

7:00 a.m.— 8:00 p.m.

The Fifth Annual ISUWC Fall Tour

Fifty-one ISUWC members participated in the 2011 Fall Trip sponsored by the Past Presidents' Club. The bus departed from Ames at 7:00 a.m. and made a "coffee and shop" stop at the Dow Mercantile in Dow, Iowa. After an hour of browsing antiques and historical memorabilia, the bus continued to Mason City. First stop was at the Charles H. MacNider Museum for a look at American art and the Bill Baird puppets. Then it was on to the Architectural Interpretive Center and The Frank Lloyd Wright Stockman House. Lunch followed at Music Man Square and Meredith Willson's boyhood home. Before leaving Mason City, everyone had an hour of free time to shop or take self-guided tours of the historic Park Inn or the Rock Glen/Rock Crest neighborhood. Subway box lunches were enjoyed by everyone on the bus while traveling back to Ames.



Hostesses and past presidents Marge Hartman, Dianne Fales, and Phyllis Seim with the bus driver

Sponsored by:

ISUWC Past Presidents' Club

Trip Itinerary

AM

7:00 Depart Ames
8:15 Break-Dows Mercantile
10:00 Travel to Mason City
10:15 MacNider Museum
11:15 Frank Lloyd Wright
Stockman House

PM

12:30 Lunch-Music Man Square
1:30 Tour Music Man Square
3:45 Free time
5:00 Subway meal and return to Ames



Cecelia Horner and Joyce Powell at Dows Mercantile



Past Presidents' Fall Trip—October



Everyone toured the Frank Lloyd Wright Stockman House.



Kueier Chung, Millie Ozinga, Jean Watson and Marge Hartman enjoy the Historic Park Inn Hotel designed by Frank Lloyd Wright.



Enjoying ice cream at Music Man Square



General Assembly—October



“Organic Foods: The New ‘Petunia’ in the Onion Patch”

By Joe Lynch and Lonna Nachtigal

Onion Creek Farm and Guest House and Lonna’s Cards

October 17, 2011

1:30 p.m.

Northminster Presbyterian Social Hall, 1416 20th Street

Lonna Nachtigal presented information about the Onion Creek Farm and Guest House. In addition, **Mary Logsdon** from the Ames Public Library gave a short presentation describing the projected new library addition that is on the ballot for funding on November 14, 2011.

Hostesses:

Book Club

Bridge



General Assembly—November



“Get Out of Your Box...Have Some Fun and Share It!”

by Jo Myers-Walker, Left Bank Studio

November 14, 2011

1:30 p.m.

Northminster Presbyterian Social Hall, 1416 20th Street

Jo Myers-Walker led a participatory program for all members on “art for fun”.

Hostesses:

Couples Club I

Couples Club II



Beth Coon, Chris Cott, and Sylva Williams display their artwork for Jo Myers-Walker.



President Sandy Wie admires the artwork.



Jo Myers Walker leads “Get Out of Your Box-- Have Some Fun and Share It!”.



General Assembly—December



Holiday Tea at The Knoll with Kathy Geoffroy

December 7, 2011
2:00-4:00 p.m.

This was the last tea at the
Knoll hosted by **Kathy
Geoffrey.**



Linda White, Carol Folkmann, Jean Prestemon, Betty Keeney, Sharon Fenton and Rebecca Hanlon enjoy tea at the Knoll.



General Assembly—February



“Woman to Woman: Our Health Issues”

by Brenda Burrough, MD

February 20, 2012

1:30 p.m.

Northminster Presbyterian Social Hall, 1416 20th Street

At the February General Assembly, members of the Iowa State University Women's Club learned about women's health issues from **Dr. Brenda Burrough**.

Hostesses:

Culture Sharing

Gourmet II



Brenda Burrough, MD, of McFarland Clinic, shares information on the topic “Woman to Woman--Our Health”.



General Assembly—March



“Let’s Laugh”

by Heartland Readers’ Theater

March 19, 2012

1:30 p.m.

Northminster Presbyterian Social Hall, 1416 20th Street

Hostesses:

Good Food-Good Friends
Stitchery

In March the **Heartland Readers’ Theater** presented the program
“Let’s Laugh” to the General Assembly.





Spring Tea—April



Iowa State University Women's Club Spring Tea-- "Worldly Wisdom"

Monday, April 16, 2012, at 1:30 p.m.

Garden Room, The Hotel at Gateway Center

On April 16, 2012, the ISUWC hosted a very successful Spring Tea instead of a luncheon as has been done in previous years. The committee served a beautifully displayed and delicious array of tea sandwiches, mini muffins, scones, vegetables and dainty cheesecakes. The theme "Worldly Wisdom" was carried out in table decorations that included teapots and cups from around the world. The program presenter, **Nancy Shaw** (Ames Parks and Recreation), demonstrated the popular Zumba form of exercise, explaining that women around the world are becoming more aware of the benefits of movement and music to staying healthy. Several ISUWC members participated with Nancy. The children's book "From Head to Toe" by Eric Carle was signed by Nancy and given to one of the children who participated in the Step into Storybooks: Healthy Bodies, Healthy Minds event held on April 28, 2012.

Long-time members were honored at the Tea and received invitations and free tickets. Women honored for being 50-year members were **Laura Cook, Patricia Doak, Sally Greve, Lorene Hoover, Marlys Ladd and Irene Switzer**. **Margo McNabb** was a 60-year honoree. **Donna Wilder and Dottie Fisher** have also been ISUWC members for 60 years but were unable to attend the Tea.

Friends who passed away during the year were remembered with a poem and display. They were **Angela Baker, Rosie Grant, Ruth Meyer and Doris Jean Wohn**.

For the first time at a Spring event, the Cabinet voted to equally divide raffle proceeds between the ISUWC Awards Fund (funding scholarships for ISU women students) and Raising Readers in Story County (providing books for children from low-income families in Story County). Each organization received \$160. In addition, those attending the Spring Tea donated 111 books to Raising Readers in Story County and 13 puzzles to be used by children waiting for appointments at the MICA Dental Clinic.

The ISUWC Award Fund recipients were announced at the Spring Tea. They are listed in the Scholarship section of this book.

Spring Tea Co-Chairpersons:

Judy Dahlke

Rosemary Mitchum

Spring Tea Committee:

Virginia Anderson

Nancy Bern

Laani Hill

Dorothy Kirkland



Spring Tea Committee Co-Chairs, Judy Dahlke and Rosemary Mitchum



Spring Tea—April



ISUWC Spring High Tea



"Worldly Wisdom"
Monday, April 16th

Hotel at Gateway Center

1.30pm - High Tea in The Garden Room

Tickets are \$20.00 and may be purchased from
Division Chairs, General Assemblies on February 20th
and March 19th and at Cook's Emporium, 313 Main
Street, until Saturday, April 7th.

For ticket information contact
Dorothy Kirkland [232-5906]



In preparation for the Spring Tea,
committee members met to assemble
baskets for the silent auction.

**Committee members from left are
Judy Dahlke, Dorothy Kirkland,
Rosemary Mitchum, Laani Hill,
Ginny Anderson, and Nancy Bern.**



Spring Tea--April



Long-time members were honored at the Spring Tea. Pictured from left are 50-year members **Sally Greve, Laura Cook, Lorene Hoover, Pat Doak, and Marlys Ladd** and 60-year member **Margo McNabb**. Not pictured are 50-year member **Irene Switzer** and 60-year members **Donna Wilder** and **Dottie Fisher**.



ISUWC members enjoy the Spring Tea on April 16, 2012, in the Garden Room of The Gateway Hotel and Conference Center.



Spring Tea--April



Members of the Iowa State University Women's Club enjoy the Spring Tea in the Garden Room at The Gateway Hotel and Conference Center.



Pictured from left are 2011-12 Publicity Committee members **Chris Cott** and **Nancy Wlezien**.



ISUWC Presidents from left are **Cathy Halverson** (2012-13 President elect), **Sylva Williams** (2012-13 President) and **Sandy Wie** (2011-12 President).



Iowa State University Women's Club International and Senior Award Scholarships



Iowa State University Women's Club awarded six scholarships for the 2012-13 academic year. The awards recognize leadership and academic, personal, and community achievements of Iowa State University women students.

The 2012-13 scholarship recipients are:

Melissa E. Clucas, Early Childhood Education, Rochelle, IA
Britney S. Fritz, Food Science Technology, Morristown, MN
Jennifer Jefferson, Civil Engineering M.S., Nora Springs, IA
Danielle Pohl, Biology, Center Point, IA
Katie M. Smith, Nutritional Sciences M.S., Storm Lake, IA
Kelly Wagner, Dietetics, Bettendorf, IA

The Patricia Miller Award was given to **Jessica Hammerand**, Dairy Science and Biology, Epworth, IA.

There were no applicants for the Mrs. Glenn Murphy International Award.

Chair:

Lenny Mangold

Committee:

Shelly Boyd

Amy Edwards

Joan Herwig

Linda Hodges

Audrey Marley



Recipients from the left are **Katie M. Smith**, **Jennifer Jefferson**, **Danielle Pohl**, **Britney S. Fritz**, **Melissa E. Clucas** and **Kelly Wagner**.



ARMCHAIR TRAVELERS I



Armchair Travelers I offers presentations (photos, videos, souvenirs, etc.) about travels to specific destinations and also includes travel tips and interesting stories. Light refreshments related to the trip, if possible, are served. The group meets in members' homes the second Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. (except in March and December) for programs by members or guest presenters. Membership is open.

In 2011-12 Armchair Travelers I had presentations on the following topics: Eastern Europe; Evergreen via Vacation Rentals by Owner; China; Rwanda and the Mountain Gorillas; Vikings, Kings and Castles; Where was Dorothy; and Annecy, France.



At the November 9 meeting Anna Loan-Wilsey gave a program on China describing her recent trip to get her adopted daughter, Maya.



The April meeting was held in the home of Dorothy Kirkland where "Adventure Hiking in New Mexico" was presented to the group.

Seated from left Fay Gish Hill, Phyllis Seim, Anna Loan-Wilsey. Standing from left Bernice Johnson, Nancy Bern, Dorothy Kirkland, and Judy Keeling.



ARMCHAIR TRAVELERS II



Armchair Travelers II offers presentations (photos, videos, souvenirs, or just memories and discussions) about travels to specific destinations. Travel tips along with funny and interesting stories about the locations are included. Light refreshments, related to the trip, if possible, are served. The group meets in members' homes the fourth Tuesday of each month at 1:30 p.m. (except for the December meeting). Programs are given by members or invited presenters. Membership is limited to 25 members. Dues are \$2 per year.

In 2011-2012 Armchair Travelers II had presentations on the following topics: Teaching in Yiwre, China; Hiking in England; Rwanda and the Mountain Gorillas; Maymester in the Caribbean; Life in Rural Australia; A Demi-Mission Trip to Honduras and Panama.



February 28 presentation on Life in Rural Australia by Trish Strah

Co-chairpersons:

Barbara Brown
Shirley Hulse

Membership:

Kathy Anderson
Barbara Brown
Linda Drennan
Peggy Faden
Evelyn Fuller
Lucy Futrell
Fay Gish Hill
Linda Hodges
Shirley Hulse
Judy Keeling
Alice Laabs
Deb Marple
Deanna Miller
Joyce Powell
Wies Roberts
Shirley Shaw
Taihee Song
Carolyn Spillers
Sarah Terrones
A.J. Walter
Carol Wright
Elizabeth Wright



BACCHUS



Bacchus (meaning Roman god of wine) meets in the homes of members on the first Monday of most months at 6:30 p.m. The purpose of the group is to provide an educational experience in wine appreciation. Dues are \$35 per year to cover the cost of the wines. Membership is limited to 12

On October 11, 2011, Bacchus held a combined meeting with the Grape Escape division to sample wines. The division also had dinner at the Bistro in March.



November 7, 2011, meeting at the home of Phyllis Seim. From left are Tammi Martin, Phyllis Seim, Jane Ringwald, Nancy Bern, Bernice Johnson, Janice Blanco, Linda White, Trish Strah, Marcia Thompson. Eileen Tramp is not pictured.

Co-chairperson:

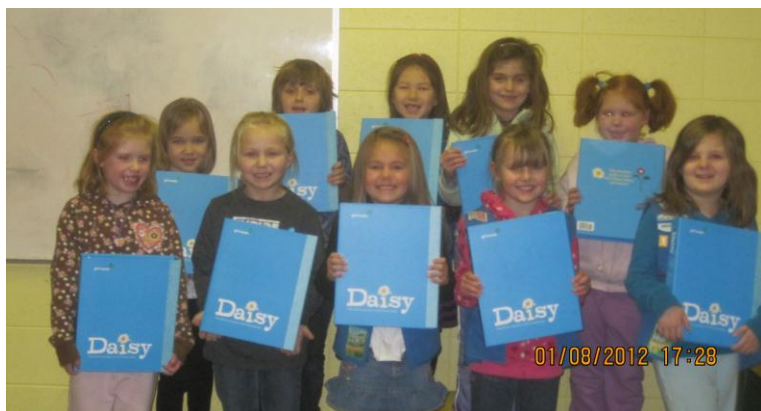
Nancy Bern
Anne Schmitt

Treasurer:

Phyllis Seim

Membership:

Nancy Bern
Janice Blanco
Bernice Johnson
Tamara Martin
Gina Moore
Jane Ringwald
Anne Schmitt
Phyllis Seim
Trish Strah
Marcia Thompson
Eileen Tramp
Linda White



The Bacchus Division chose to help this newly formed Daisy Girl Scout Troop #144 for their service project by purchasing the troop's Daisy notebooks, "The Daisy Girl's Guide to Girl Scouting."



THE BOOK CLUB



Meetings are held the second Monday of each month at 1:30 p.m. at Greater Iowa Credit Union in Somerset, 2623 Northridge Parkway. Visitors are welcome and membership is open. A variety of books are read with a discussion leader presenting the background and information about the author. Dues are \$2.

Membership:

Janice Blanco	Lea Hinz
Michele Brehm	Carol Kenton
Barbara Brown	Cindy Lambert
Barb Burnham	Laverna Larson
Gadys Colwell	Connie Lastine
Dorothy Dake	Patricia Lersten
Mary Ann Dilla	Deb Marple
Karen Dohrmann	Thelma Mohr
Peggy Faden	Patricia Post
Sharon Fenton	Jean Prestemon
Evelyn Fuller	Ila Jean Rock
Lucy Futrell	Rosellyn Rudolph
Sandra Gartz	Taihee Song
Karen George	Trish Strah
Jean Goudy	Carol Tagstrom
Pam Hallenbeck	Sarah Terrones
Rebecca Hanlon	Carol Weber
Ann Harvey	Nancy Wlezien.
Joan Herwig	Carol Wright
	Elizabeth Wright

Co-chairpersons:

Ila Jean Rock
Rosellyn Rudolph

Treasurer:

Sharon Fenton



Book Club meeting at the Greater Iowa Credit Union on November 21, 2011



BOWLING



The Bowling Division meets at 9 a.m. on Thursdays during the academic year at Perfect Games, 1320 Dickinson Avenue. Division dues are charged in addition to the weekly bowling fees. Membership is not limited and bowlers of all skill levels are welcome. In the fall of 2011 the first bowling date was September 1.

Membership:

Sevinc Akinc
Sandra Baker
Lynne Bishop
Jane Carter
Marla Christians
Gladys Colwell
Carolyn Cornette
Chris Cott
Dana Dark
Mary Ann Dilla
Linda Emmerson
Carolyn Gagnier
Jean Goudy
Sharon Guber
Darla Hartzler
Lois Heckert
Judy Hodges
Karen Hoiberg
Anne Honeyman
Cindy Lambert
Irene Lang
Janet Lawrence
Shirley Malaby
Nancy Marks
Jami Mirka
Eleanor Ostendorf

Carol Payne
Lori Peake
Jane Ringwald
Marilyn Smith
Mary Stevermer
Connie Sweeney
Mary Lou Wright
Dorothy Yoeger

Co-chairpersons:

Mary Ann Dilla
Sharon- Guber

Secretary:

Connie Sweeney

Treasurer:

Carolyn Gagnier

The Bowling Division's service project included collecting money for the ISUWC scholarship program, milk money for "Food at First", Bethesda Food Pantry, and MICA.



The Bowling Division taken one morning before bowling.



BRIDGE



Meetings are held the first and third Wednesdays of each month throughout the year. Play begins at 1 p.m. in the Fireside Room at Northcrest Retirement Community, 1802 Northcrest Circle. Division dues are \$1 per year and \$1 per meeting attended for cash prizes. All bridge players are welcome.

Chairperson:

Rose Wilcox

Treasurer:

Bette Coulson

Membership:

Janet Anderson-Hsieh

Sandra Bartz

Martha Baumgarten

Mary Jo Brearley

Bette Coulson

Dorothy Ewing

Donna Forrester

Joanne Fredericksen

Eileen Graves

Shirley Hulse

Patricia Johnson

Connie Lastine

Deanna Miller

Anna Nilsson

Mary Jane Pearson

Irene Pope

Carolyn Potter

Connie Sweeney

Georgia Vondra

Mary Voorhees

A.J. Walter

Marion Weiss

Rose Wilcox

Pat Wilson

Jean Zmolek



Bridge Division January Meeting



COUPLES I



This Couples' group meets for fellowship several times in an academic year with each couple taking a turn in planning an event. There is a cover-the-cost fee for each gathering determined by the hosts. Membership is limited.



Co-chairpersons:

Laani Hill

Kitty Lamont

Membership:

Carol and Ted Bailey

Nancy and Carl Bern

Shelly and Mort Boyd

Wes Buchele

Becky and Joel Coats

Bobbi and Dave Countryman

Marlene and Randy Geiger

Laani and John Hill

Cecilia and Jack Horner

Bernice and Larry Johnson

Betty and Dennis Keeney

Kitty and John Lamont

Eileen and Don Muff

Dianna and Ron Nelson

Joan and Dennis Senne

Trish and Raymond Strah



Couples I held a Nostalgia Party on February 25, 2012, at the home of Cecilia and Jack Horner. Hosts were Cecilia and Jack Horner, Becky and Joel Coats, and Eileen and Don Muff.



COUPLES II



The purpose of this group is to provide social interaction between members and their spouses from multiple disciplines. The club tries to meet on the last Friday of the month when possible with all the couples taking a turn in planning an event. There is a cover-the-cost fee determined by the hosts. Membership is limited.

Chairperson:

Janice Blanco

Membership

Margery and Jim Baker

Janice and Mike Blanco

Dee and Mike Fowler

Christine and Gene Freeman

John Kluge

Glenys Bittick-Lynch

and Dave Lynch

Lenny and Duane Mangold

Audrey and Steve Marley

Ellen and Jim McKean

Carol and Stu Melvin

Willie and Rolie Struss



On December 14, 2011, Couples Club II bagged apples at Bethesda Food Pantry for the club's Community Service Project.



CULTURE SHARING



Culture Sharing offers an evening of international friendship in a group of mixed heritage/citizenship with special emphasis on welcoming international women to our organization and community. Members meet in homes the third Wednesday of the month at 7 p.m. for informal sharing and a cultural presentation with time for questions followed by refreshments. Annual dues are \$5 and membership is open to everyone.

This year the division was one of the sponsors of World Friendship Day.

Membership:

Haifa Akili
Nancy Bern
Barbara Brown
Judy Dahlke
Dorothy Dake
Elaine Dekovic
Cinian Durbin
Sharon Fenton
Kitty Fisher
Florence Gilchrist
Sharon Guber
Pam Hallenbeck
Joan Herwig
Mary Holmer
Lyuda Hupalo
Marilyn Johnson
Judy Keeling
Cindy Lambert

Ruth Larson
Anna Loan-Wilsey
Joyce Manning
Tamara Martin
Kaukab Barni Merchant
Kay Outka
Mildred Ozinga
Bertha Palo
Jean Prestemon
Daphne Reyes
Wies Roberts
Marian Solomon
Taihee Song
Trish Strah
Kim Vo
Linda White
Sandy Wie
Janice Wilson
Elizabeth Wright

Co-chairpersons:

Dorothy Dake
Linda White

Treasurer:

Lyuda Hupalo



On September 21 Berthe Palo talked about her home in Africa.



Nastia Dovhopolova, a Ukraine Exchange Student at Ames High School, explains Ukrainian foods to the division.



DIONYSUS CIRCLE



The Dionysus Circle meets in the homes of its members on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 7 p.m., unless noted otherwise.

The purpose of this group is to provide an educational experience in wine appreciation. The meeting's presenter may be the hostess or an invited guest speaker. The hostess provides refreshments to accompany the wine selection/program theme. Members contribute \$40 annually to cover the cost of wines sampled. Membership is limited, but guests may be occasionally invited by the hostess.

Chairperson:

Marian van Leeuwen

Treasurer:

Angela Soukoulis

Membership:

Joyce Allen

Donna Forester

Marlene Geiger

Kitty Lamont

Beverly Lytle

Eileen Muff

Angela Soukoulis

Christine Taylor

Marina Van Leeuwen

January meeting of Dionysus Circle at the home of Kitty Lamont



GARDENING



Gardening meets the second Wednesday of each month, beginning with a Brown Bag lunch at 11:30 a.m. followed by a program from 12-1 p.m. Members enjoy and learn about all aspects of gardening. A city flower plot in Stuart Smith Park is maintained by the members during the summer months. Dues are \$2 for the year and there is no limit on membership. Gardening contributed to the ISUWC awards fund as its service project.

Membership:

Virginia Anderson
Elaine Bath
Janice Blanco
Michele Brehm
Bobbi Countryman
Marlene Geiger
Barbara Gurganus
Linda Hodges
Lyuda Hupalo
Bernice Johnson
Dorothy Kirkland
Marianne Klinsky

Cindy Lambert
Laverna Larson
Shirley Malaby
Barbara North
Jonah Powell
Joyce Powell
Peg Powell
Phyllis Seim
Donna Sogard
Trish Strah
Karlai Thornburg
Jean Watson
Jean Zmolek

The Gardening club made ornaments to decorate trees at the Iowa Arboretum. Pictured clockwise below are Cindy Lambert, Bernice Johnson, Janice Blanco, Barbara North, Trish Strah, Linda Hodges, Virginia Anderson, and Marlene Geiger.



Co-chairpersons:

Virginia Anderson
Trish Strah

Treasurer:

Dorothy Kirkland

Community Garden Coordinators:

Marlene Geiger
Shirley Malaby



Linda Hodges working on tree



Decorating
Christmas tree at
Iowa Arboretum -
Bernice Johnson,
Marlene Geiger,
Linda Hodges



GENEALOGY



Members research their own family histories. The group meets on the third Thursday of the month (except December and January) from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. (unless noted otherwise). Programs are of historical interest relevant to genealogy and the group participates in community outreach. Drivers are paid \$3 by the riders on out-of-town day trips. Dues are \$2 and membership is unlimited.

Chairperson:

Virginia Anderson

Treasurer:

Donna Walker

Membership:

Virginia Anderson
Margery Baker
Janet Beer
Jan Cummings
Barbara Gurganus
Karen Mannes
Fidella Marty
Anna Nilsson
Margie Oldehoeft
Mary Jane Pearson
Jean Prestemon
Rosellyn Rudolph
Meg Speer
Mary Stevermer
Frances Theile
Mary Townsend
Donna Walker
Connie Wilson
Elizabeth Wright



First row from left Mary Stevermer and Virginia Anderson.
Second row from left Donna Walker, Jean Prestemon, Mary Jane Pearson, Fidella Marty, Anna Nilsson, and Meg Speer.

This was the spring salad luncheon held at the home of Mary Stevermer.



GOLF



The Golf Division provides an opportunity for members to learn the game of golf, to improve their golfing skills, and to experience friendly, non-competitive rounds with each other at Homewood Golf Course, 401 20th Street. Tee times for 2011 were on Tuesdays at 7:40 a.m., May 3 through September 26, when weather permitted. Tuesday lessons were scheduled occasionally throughout the season with members notified of dates, times and locations.



The Golf Division held a brunch and planning meeting at the home of Anne Hogberg in April. Kneeling from left: Carol Payne, Eileen Tramp, Trish Strah and Joyce Vegge. Standing from left: Anne Hogberg, Marge Baker, Dee Fowler, Sandy Wie, Marie Anderson, Peg Barbour, Sylva Williams, Lynne Bishop, Bernice Johnson, Judy Stehr, Pam Hinderaker, Nancy Marks and Anne Witowski.

Chairperson:

Anne Hogberg

Membership:

Marie Anderson
Mary Atherly
Margery Baker
Sandra Baker
Elaine Bath
Barbara Burnham
Chris Cott
Dee Ann Fowler
Sharon Guber
Barbara Gurganus
Laani Hill
Pam Hinderaker
Anne Hogberg
Bernice Johnson
Elizabeth Keys
Joyce Krug
Eleanor Ostendorf
Jan Payer
Carol Payne
Jane Ringwald
Judy Stehr
Trish Strah
Sarah Terrones
Eileen Tramp
Chris Trower
Joyce Vegge
Sandy Wie
Sylva Williams
Anne Witowski



GOOD FOOD—GOOD FRIENDS



Members meet at the home of the hostess on the third Wednesday of scheduled months at 11:30 a.m., which allows employed members to participate. Meals prepared by the host committee are enjoyed as friendships are renewed. The international diversity of the group is reflected in the flavors at the table. There is a \$10.00 fee for each meal. Members are requested to RSVP to the hostess by the Monday prior to the luncheon. Membership is limited.

Co-chairpersons:

Mary James
Maria Tringides

Treasurer:

Mary Atherly

Membership:

Ingrid Anderson
Mary Atherly
Lou Cathcart
Jan Fryer
Anne Hogberg
Mary James
Dorothy Kirkland
Joyce Mercier
Shirley Shaw
Maria Tringides



Pictured from left are Maria Tringides, Dorothy Kirkland, Shirley Shaw, Anne Hogberg, Lou Cathcart, Mary Atherly and Mary James at the March meeting held at the home of Ingrid Anderson.



GOURMET I



The purpose of this division is to broaden the knowledge and experience of foods and enjoy the fellowship of other members through planning, preparing, and presenting attractive and delicious meals.

Meetings are held in the homes of members at 12:30 p.m. on the first Thursday of each month. Exceptions are made for September and April guest events and a January lunch out. There is a fee for each luncheon. Membership is limited.

Gourmet 1 made donations to MICA, Good Neighbors and the Food Pantry for its service project.



Seated from left are Fidella Marty, Fran Theile, Lori Peake, Mary Jane Pearson, Joyce Vegge, and Mary Mulford. Standing from left are Sandy Meek, Grace Amemiya, Barbara Burnham, Kate Asjes, Eileen Tramp, Madonna Johnson, Judi Burris, Lucy Futrell, Bernadene Pohm and Pat Post.

The February meeting was held at the home of Fran Theile.

Chairperson:
Donna Walker

Chair-elect:
Ardy Ulrichson

Treasurer:
Lucy Futrell

Courtesies:
Dee Ann Fowler

Membership:
Grace Amemiya
Katherine Asjes
Barbara Burnham
Judith Burris
Dee Ann Fowler
Lucy Futrell
Sally Greve
Anne Hogberg
Madonna Johnson
Fidella Marty
Sandy Meeks
Mary Ann Mulford
Lori Peake
Mary Jane Pearson
Bernadene Pohm
Patricia Post
Virginia Slater
Fran Theile
Eileen Tramp
Ardy Ulrichson
Joyce Vegge
Donna Walker
HonoraryMember:
Helen Davidson



GOURMET II



Gourmet II members enjoy excellent food and fellowship when they meet in the homes of members on the first Thursday of the month at 12:00 noon with lunch served at 12:30 p.m. (except January, no meeting). The monthly host committee plans, prepares, and serves the luncheon and distributes the recipes used. There is a fee of \$8.00 for each meal. Membership is limited.



Gourmet II held a Friendship Tea on December 1 at the Green Hills dining room.



Co-chairpersons:

Bobbi Countryman
Audrey Marley

Treasurer:

Shelley Boyd

Membership:

Shelly Boyd
Bobbi Countryman
Cinian Durbin
Cathy Halverson
Beverly Lytle
Lenny Mangold
Karen Mannes
Audrey Marley
Ellen McKean
Irene Switzer



Gourmet II meeting on March 1 at the home of Janice Blanco





GRAPE ESCAPE



Grape Escape meets in the homes of its members at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month. The purpose of the group is to enjoy an educational experience in wine appreciation in a relaxed atmosphere. Programs consist of a presentation by the hostess or a division member. The hostess provides appropriate refreshments for the evening's wine selection. Members contribute \$40 annually to cover the costs of the wines sampled. Membership is limited.

Members sampled Chilean wines at the April 10th meeting in the home of Arliss Stockdale.

Front row from left are Linda Hodges, Mary Holmer, Liz Keys, Anne Kinzel. Back row from left are Jan Freyer, and Arliss Stockdale.

Chairperson:

Eileen Graves

Treasurer:

Anne Kinzel

Membership:

Jan Fryer

Eileen Graves

Cathy Halverson

Mary Holmer

Linda Hodges

Elizabeth Keys

Anne Kinzel

Dorothy Kirkland

Arliss Stockdale





NATURE STUDY



The purpose of this division is to enjoy nature through field trips, lectures, and shared fellowship. Meetings are held the last Wednesday in August, September, October, January, February, March, and April. In mid-May there is an annual bird watch. Meetings are at 1:30 p.m. unless noted otherwise. Dues are \$5 and there is no limit on membership.

Co-chairpersons:

Gladys Colwell
Shirley Malaby

Program Committee:

Betty Schneider

Treasurer:

Kris Moorman

On October 26 Marlene Ehresman, Executive Director of the Iowa Wildlife Center, gave a presentation to the Nature Study Division. The meeting was held at the Greater Iowa Credit Union in Somerset.

Membership:

Barbara Brown
Ruby Buck
Gladys Colwell
Judy Dahlke
Peggy Faden
Lucy Futrell
Sharon Guber
Marge Hartman
Joan Hightshoe
Judy Keeling
Dorothy Kirkland
Karen Klaiber
Marianne Klinsky
Marlys Ladd
Linda Lieberman
Effie Lingren
Jane Lohnes
Shirley Malaby
Beverly Marion

Rosemary Mitchum
Kris Moorman
Kay Outka
Mary Jane Pearson
Irene Pope
Patricia Post
Jonah Powell
Joyce Powell
Jean Prestemon
Betty Schneider
Carolyn Spillers
Doris Stukenberg
Carol Weber
Nancy Wlezien
Connie Wilson
Jan Wilson
Carol Wright

Honorary Members:

Dorothy Kizer
Margaret Schwartz





NEWCOMERS



All new members of the ISUWC are invited to join the Newcomers Division. Whether just moving into the area or simply new to the Club, Newcomers provides an opportunity to meet other new members and have some fun at informal social events where participants learn about the club's programs and events.



**Tour of Brunnier
Art Museum on
October 7**



**Lunch at
Stomping
Grounds after
tour of Brunnier
Art Museum on
October 7**



**Newcomers
December 12
tour of the ISU
Farmhouse**

Co-chairpersons:

Chris Cott
Sylva Williams

Membership:

Michele Brehm
Mary Brooks
Barbara Burnham
Beth Coon
Chris Cott
Karen Dohrmann
Karen George
Ana Gomez
Eileen Graves
Cathy Halverson
Rebecca Hanlon
Lois Kapfer
Carol Kenton
Connie Lastine
Karen Mannes
Nancy Marks
Deb Marple
Beverly Nutt
Jonah Powell
Donna Sogard
Fran Thiele
Chris Trower
Joanne Weiss
Sandy Wie
Sylva Williams



STITCHERY



Stitchery meets on the first Monday of each month from 1-4 p.m., October through May, and at other times as indicated for special projects. The focus is on traditional stitchery techniques with modern applications. Division dues are \$5 per year. Unless noted otherwise, meetings are held at the Greater Iowa Credit Union, 2623 Northridge Pkwy. Membership is open and guests are welcome.



September 26 day trip to "Barn Quilts of Hamilton County".



Lenny Mangold instructed members in making "Margo Bags" at the January 30 and February 6 workshops. Seated Virginia Anderson. Standing from left Pam Hallenbeck, Fidella Marty, Lenny Mangold, Elizabeth Keys, Joyce Powell, Kathy Anderson and Chris Cott.

Chairperson:

Marlene Geiger

Treasurer:

Kathy Anderson

Membership:

Kathy Anderson
Virginia Anderson
Nan Brewer
Chris Cott
Marlene Geiger
Pam Hollenbeck
Elizabeth Keys
Joyce Krug
Judy Maly
Lenny Mangold
Fidella Marty
Ellen McKean
Joyce Powell
JoAnn Sell
Mary Stevermer
Jinx Woolson



TEA ROOM ADVENTURES



Tea Room Adventures meets the second Tuesday of each month September through June, excluding December. Trips are made to different tea rooms and places of interest in Iowa. The group visited tea rooms in New Virginia, Ft. Dodge, Grimes, Ames, Stratford, Newton, Pella and Clear Lake during the year.

As its community service project for 2011-2012, the division collected \$1,183 for MICA (\$587) and the Bethesda Food Pantry (\$596).

Membership:

Peg Barbour
Janice Blanco
Shelly Boyd
Michele Brehn
Barbara Burnham
Beth Coon
Chris Cott
Judy Dahlke
Ruth DeBoer
Mary Ann Dilla
Karen Dohrmann
Peggy Faden
Carol Folkmann
Dee Fowler
Jan Fryer
Karen George
Rochelle Ginder
Sharon Guber
Barbara Gurganus
Cathy Halverson
Betty Hempe
Fay Gish Hill
Pam Hinderaker
Mary Holmer
Cecelia Horner
Marlene Johnson
Elizabeth Keys
Dorothy Kirkland

Joyce Krug
Karen Mannes
Audrey Marley
Deb Marple
Carol Melvin
Ruth Meyer
Rosemary Mitchum
Kay North
Beverly Nutt
Gail Kolbeck Owen
Lori Peake
Mary Jane Pearson
Joyce Powell
Jean Prestemon
Jane Ringwald
Ila Jean Rock
Phyllis Seim
Elizabeth Starleaf
Judy Stehr
Shirley Stromer
Irene Switzer
Fran Theile
Joyce Vegge
Carol Volker
Donna Walker
Sylva Williams
Nancy Wiezen
Mary Lou Wright

Co-chairpersons:

Ruth DeBoer
Kay North



Pam, Judy D., Nancy, Karen, Judy S., Chris, Eileen and Sylva outside Tea Thyme at Sadies on October 11



Pam, Karen, Nancy and Judy at The Community Apple Orchard on October 11



Judy and Elizabeth at Miss Spencer's Special Teas in New Virginia on September 13



WALK AND TALK



Walk and Talk meets the third Tuesday of the month at 9:00 a.m., unless indicated. After walking and talking there are light refreshments at the home of the hostess. New members are welcome. Division dues are \$2.

This year the Walk and Talk Division challenged all ISUWC members to join them on Friday, October 7, 2011, at Ada Hayden Park for the statewide 1K "Start Somewhere Walk". The "Start Somewhere Walk" was the beginning of the "Healthiest State Initiative" proclaimed by Governor Branstad. This walk was designed to get Iowans out of the house to start working towards better health. Members shared a picnic lunch at the shelter after the walk.



Front row from left: Pam Hinderaker, Janice Blanco, Dixie Peterson, Anna Loan-Wiley, and Dorothy Kirkland. Second row from left: Deb Marple, Jeanette Deiterich, Chris Trower, Michelle Brehm, Sarah Terrones, Mary Holmer, Ruth DeBoer, Donna Sogard, Peggy Faden, and Karen George.

Chairperson:

Janice Blanco

Treasurer:

Pam Hinderaker

Membership:

Janice Blanco

Michele Brehm

Chris Cott

Ruth DeBoer

Jeanette Dieterich

Peggy Faden

Pam Hinderaker

Mary Homer

Mary James

Carol Kenton

Elizabeth Keys

Dorothy Kirkland

Anna Loan-Wiley

Deb Marple

Barbara North

Jonah Powell

Peg Powell

Jean Prestemon

Donna Sogard

Taihee Song

Trish Strah

Sarah Terrones

Chris Trower



IN MEMORIAM



Angela L. Baker

Rosie Grant, 31-year member

Kay North, 8-year member

Doris Jean Wohn, 34-year member



IN MEMORIAM



Angela L. Baker

Jan. 8, 1921-July 3, 2011

Angela L. Baker, 90, a resident of Ames for more than 65 years, passed away peacefully Sunday, July 3, 2011, in Bellingham, Wash. Services were held on Saturday, July 9, at St. Cecilia Catholic Church in Ames and burial was in Ames Municipal Cemetery, Graceland addition.

Angela Baker was born in Paola, Kan., on Jan. 8, 1921, to Lucy and Joseph Buckley. She attended parochial school in Paola, Kan., the Ursuline Academy. She entered nursing school at St. Mary's Hospital in Kansas City in the fall of 1939.

Upon graduation from nurses training as a Registered Nurse, she moved to St. Louis, Mo. Her nursing experience was as an industrial nurse with some large companies in that area. She also was employed at Barnes Hospital Outpatient Clinic in St. Louis. In Ames, she was a volunteer school nurse at St. Cecilia School for some 10 years.

She married Durwood L. Baker, D.V.M., of Algona, in Paola, Kan., on May 15, 1945. In 1947, when Dr. Baker completed service in both theatres of war, Ames became their home.

She was a member of St. Cecilia Catholic Church and church historian for over 15 years. She was a 50-year member of Catholic Daughters of the Americas. She was a past president of Story County Chapter of the Iowa Genealogical Society, and had been a member of the Faculty Women's Club at Iowa State University. She was still active in a retired registered nurses group, and was a Life Member of the Mary Greeley Auxiliary.

Survivors include her four daughters, Barbara Baker (and Greg Mincheff), of Henderson, Nev., Jeanne Baker (and Alan Dyer), of Cumming, Martha (Marti) Mount (and Michael Mount), of Coralville, and Lynn Logan (and Scott Logan), of Ferndale, Wash.; and two granddaughters, Stephanie Mount, of Washington, D.C., and Kelsy Logan, of Ferndale, Wash.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Durwood Baker, her parents, four brothers, and two sisters.





IN MEMORIAM



Rosie Grant

March 7, 1921 – April 23 2011

Rosie Grant, 90, of Colo, died Saturday in Marion, Iowa. Funeral services were held Thursday, April 28, at St. Mary Catholic Church in Colo and burial was in the Iowa State Cemetery in Ames.

Rosie was born March 7, 1921, in Faribault, Minnesota, the daughter of Mathias and Anne Jane (Nilan) Gulden. She graduated from Waterloo East High School in 1939 and worked her way through Iowa State University serving meals at the Memorial Union cafeteria, where she met her future husband Don, graduating in 1945 with a degree in Home Economics. Rosie and Don were married April 28, 1944, a union that lasted 56 years.



After graduation Rosie taught school at Persia and Jordan, Iowa, and at old Central High in Ames before moving to Marion in 1948 and then to Richardson, Texas in 1957. In 1968 she returned with her family to Ames, where she taught at Central Junior High and later at Welch Junior High until her retirement in 1982. She and Don moved to Colo in 1993 where she lived until shortly before her death.

Rosie had unshakable faith and found great joy in everyday things, always reminding her grandkids that “life is just one thing after another,” and to “have a little fun every day.” She loved watching M.A.S.H., going out for breakfast, and listening to Rod Stewart’s “Great American Songbook.” She will be remembered with much love and gratitude by all of us whose lives she touched.

She is survived by six grown children: Jim (Maureen) Grant of New Glarus, WI, Joe (Mary Heartlein) Grant of Houston, TX, Mary Margaret (Jim) Gran of Newton, IA, Ellen (Mike) Cyr of Houston, TX, Annie (Mark) Greiter of Marion, IA, and John (Mary DePetro) Grant of Denver, CO and 15 grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband Don, her parents, a brother William, and her two sisters Catherine and Dorothy.



IN MEMORIAM



Kay North

October 20, 1941 – June 2, 2012

Kay North, 70, of Ames, passed away June 2, 2012, at her home. A memorial service was held on Thursday, June 7, at Memorial Lutheran Church.

Kay was born Oct. 20, 1941, in Moline, Ill. to Howard and Ruth Esbeck. She was raised on the family farm in Elk Horn, where she excelled in school and 4-H. She was a graduate of Iowa State University and had attained nearly a doctorate in education. Kay was an educator who had a passion for learning that was contagious. She taught sixth grade at Fellows Elementary in the Ames Community School District and was a tireless champion of gifted education. In addition to leading the Ames district as ELP coordinator, she served as president of the Iowa Talented and Gifted (ITAG) Association, ITAG conference chair, and was an ITAG Distinguished Service Recipient. She presented collaborative research at the National Association of Gifted Children (NAGC) International Conference. Countless students and teachers were impacted by her character and dedication. All who knew her were astounded by her drive and work ethic. In retirement, her leadership and desire to serve was used for numerous organizations, including the Danish Immigrant Museum in Elk Horn and the Eta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma.



Kay always found ways to laugh and enjoy life, and she had such a spirit of independence and adventure. Her love of dogs, horses and the outdoors was truly evident. She was blessed to be able to travel to exciting places with friends and family in her retirement years, but Iowa's beauty remained her first love. As it is said, "You can take the girl out of the farm, but you can't take the farm out of the girl." So it was with Kay Ann.

She is survived by her daughter, Tammy Rosenberry, of Granger; her husband, Mark, and son, Cole; son, Scott Sonksen, of Linn Creek, Mo., his wife, Tammy and children, Shane and Alaina; Kay's brothers, David (Helen) Esbeck, of San Diego, Calif.; and Carl (Kathie) Esbeck, of Columbia, Mo; stepson Randy North; and numerous other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Wayne.



IN MEMORIAM



Doris Jean (Coffey) Wohn

January 4, 1940—August 24, 2011

Doris Jean (Coffey) Wohn, 71, of Ames, Iowa, died peacefully in the company of her loving husband on Wednesday, Aug. 24, 2011. A memorial service was held at Collegiate United Methodist Church, 2622 W. Lincoln Way, Ames.

Doris was born to Gilbert and Beulah Coffey on Jan. 4, 1940, and raised in Franklin. Doris received a Bachelor of Arts in education from Franklin College, where she was a member of the Delta Delta Delta sorority, then taught second grade for two years in Franklin. She earned a Master of Arts in elementary education from Indiana University, Bloomington, in 1964. Doris taught elementary school for two years near Bloomington, including one year of teaching first, second and third grades in one of Indiana's last two-room schools.



She married Fred Wohn in 1964, and they came to Ames in 1967 after Fred obtained a Ph.D. in physics from Indiana University. Doris was active for years in the Faculty Women's Club, Friends of Foreign Wives and International Women, all at Iowa State University, plus the League of Women Voters. She was involved in a book club for nearly 40 years. Doris loved reading, traveling and entertaining. She especially enjoyed visiting Reiman Gardens in Ames.

Doris will be remembered for her kindness, friendship, sweet nature, engaging smile and hearty laugh. She is survived by her loving husband of 47 years, Fred, of Ames; two children, Jennifer (Mark) Williams of Iowa City, Iowa, and Steve Wohn of Des Moines, Iowa; four siblings, Don (Donna) Coffey, Gordon (Caroline) Coffey, Wanda (Dave) Richards and Phyllis (Ernie) Brix; and numerous cousins, nieces and nephews.

Doris was preceded in death by her parents