



## Chautauqua Women's Club Annual Newsletter - May 2024

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We warmly welcome anyone who seeks to foster meaningful friendships, cultivate a passion for life-long learning, and wholeheartedly endorse CWC's mission.

Tickets and CWC's full schedule of 2024 programming and events are available on our website.

[chautauquawomensclub.org](http://chautauquawomensclub.org)

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### A Word from Our President...

Dear Chautauqua Women's Club Members,

Spring heralds a season of change and resilience, qualities that define the spirit of CWC. I'm delighted to share exciting developments that embody our adaptability and commitment to growth as we celebrate our 135th year.

We proudly introduce the launch of the Chautauqua Academy, an initiative by CWC that extends our vision and mission beyond the gates of our beloved Chautauqua Institution. To offer programming and education globally and eventually on-demand, the Academy will cater to the curious minds and adventurous spirits that resonate so deeply within each of us. It represents our commitment to intellectual exploration that spreads community and life-long learning. Stay tuned!

Moreover, our cherished clubhouse is unveiling new opportunities. In addition to full house rentals during the shoulder seasons (May-June and September-October), we now offer the charm and elegance of our historic clubhouse for nightly room rentals. Managed by our House Manager, who ensures the finest experience for our guests, a stay here includes breakfast and the promise of waking up to one of the most beautiful views on the grounds.

This season, the CWC shines with standout events. Pulitzer Prize-winning Journalist and Author Edward Humes (GARBAGE) kicks off our CIF Lectures on June 29th. Fan favorites like Brad Schrader's Cole Porter tribute and Sally Love's Comedy return for double features. In two fascinating talks, award-winning composer and producer Edward Barnes delves into the lives of Tina Turner and Ronnie and Phil Spector (Love Affairs to Remember). Don't miss our Life Member Luncheon, High Tea, and Dr. Vino's August return following our second European tour to Rioja, Spain in April 2024. For more event details and tickets, please visit our website. And remember to contribute to our Flea Boutique Tent Sale with your generous donations.

Reflecting upon my five years as President, my heart swells with love for the Women's Club and all it represents. Our board of Directors, a mosaic of skill, dedication, and dynamic energy, also deserves your pride. Together, we are working hard, pouring our souls into enhancing your CHQ season to make it the best ever!

Remember, the CWC is not just a place; it's a community. It's a welcoming embrace, a beacon of friendship and intellectual camaraderie. I invite you to come and be part of something special.

With heartfelt gratitude and anticipation for the season ahead,

Kelly Ann Boyce  
President, Chautauqua Women's Club

**Executive Committee  
2023-2024**

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### Introducing the Limited Edition CWC Clubhouse Ornament!



**Perfect for members, friends, and loved ones!**

Order today and pick up your ornament at the CWC House during the Chautauqua Season.

**Hurry!**

Limited availability.

**Exquisite craftsmanship:** made from high-quality materials, this ornament is durable and designed to last, making it a lasting memento for years to come. *Gift box included.*

**Visit:** [www.chautauquawomensclub.org](http://www.chautauquawomensclub.org)



## A Word About Scholarship...

The Chautauqua Women's Club provides life changing scholarships for students participating in the Schools of Performing and Visual Arts each season. In 2023, through the generosity of our loyal donors and new donors, CWC contributed \$65,000 to the Institution for scholarships and supported 32 students in the various schools of Performing Arts. Every dollar donated to scholarship through the CWC goes directly to scholarship needs and the need for financial assistance from the students is great each year.

Below are some heartwarming excerpts from the thank you notes we received from each of the student recipients of our CWC scholarships last season:



2022-2023 Board of Directors with 2023 Scholarship Contribution to CI

*"I am writing to you to express my sincere gratitude for helping me spend my summer at the Chautauqua Institution this year! I am so happy and grateful to be here and the ability to be at such a wonderful place without having to worry about the cost is a huge weight off of me and my family. You have truly and directly made my life better by helping me to grow my artistry here."*

*"With your financial help, I was able to study and further pursue my dream of becoming a professional dancer. Chautauqua offers unique training opportunities that are unlike any other school for dance, but it is also a safe space for me to grow into the person I want to become. Studying at Chautauqua this summer is something I will not take for granted. Thank you so much for making it possible."*

*"I am absolutely thrilled and honored to be a returning member of the MSFO! Last summer was one of the most magical musical experiences I've ever had. Our chamber music coaches are brilliant. My lesson instructors are like family. Thank you immensely for your generosity, and for believing in musicians like me."*

Please stop by Artists at the Market up by the main gate during the season on Wed and Thurs 1-4pm and on Sun 12-4pm to view and purchase their beautiful and unique hand-crafted items. Artists at the Market generously contributes 25% of their proceeds to our scholarship fund each year.

YOUR support makes it possible for these talented students to follow their passion and realize their dreams!

Your generosity is their potential!

**THANK YOU!**

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With my deepest gratitude to all of our donors,  
Sharon McClymonds, CWC Scholarship Chair

## Join, Renew, or Upgrade Your Membership!

Speaking of Membership... "When you are here, you are at home!"

We extend a warm welcome to our newest members and a welcome back to our devoted Annual and Life Members!

Membership plays an important role in allowing us to offer the types of programs and activities that make CWC the "heartbeat of Chautauqua." As a member, you will have access to our member roster, receive information about events, hone your leadership skills and have an abundance of volunteer opportunities, while forming life-long friendships!

The annual membership year runs from May 1 – April 30. The annual dues are \$40. For those wanting to make a deeper commitment, Life Memberships are available for \$300 for those under 40 and \$400 for all others. Consider gifting a membership for that special someone to celebrate a birthday, holiday, anniversary or simply friendship!

New Life Members will receive a complimentary invitation to attend the exciting Life Member luncheon on Sunday, July 14th at the Athenaeum Hotel. We encourage all to consider becoming Life Members!

Every member is important to our mission. Please show your support to join, renew or upgrade to a Life Membership on the website, [chautauquawomensclub.org](http://chautauquawomensclub.org), or use the form included in this newsletter.

Your membership and participation ensure our longevity and vitality for generations to come. Thank you!



### Season's Greetings

Wednesday, July 10th 4:30-6:30pm (CWC Tent)

Kickoff the 2024 Season and reconnect with CWC friends. Learn about volunteer opportunities for CWC committees.

*Refreshments are Complimentary  
No Registration Required*



### Life Member Luncheon "Luau by the Lake!"

Sunday, July 14th 12:30pm

Athenaeum Parlor, \$50 per person

Aloha from Chautauqua!

Life Members always give us the reason,  
To celebrate you each summer season!

Hula on over and join the fun,

Wear your HOT colors to bring out the sun!

The day promises to be truly fine,  
Tropical food on which we will dine!

We will gather with friends, chat and flimingle,  
Who knows, we may even sing a jingle!

The plans are the same as in years past,  
Come and make memories that will truly last!

Our special luncheon will be buffet stations of tropical food including: Huli Huli Chicken Kabobs, Grilled Mahi with Mango Salsa, Hawaiian Cole Slaw, Yucca Potato Salad, Coconut Lime Rice, Maui Salad, Tropical Fruit Board and Desserts (Key Lime Pie, Coconut Rum Cake, and Hawaiian Dream Cookies).

New Life Members who have joined since our last celebration, (July 16, 2023) are invited to attend with a complimentary reservation.



2023 Life Member Luncheon

### New Member Reception "Dip into the CWC!"

Sunday July 28th 5:00pm, CWC House

The Membership Committee invites new members to join us for a reception at the CWC House. We appreciate your decision to join, whether for a year or for a lifetime. Networking with other members helps to strengthen our community and the Chautauqua experience for all.

You will have the opportunity to meet new members, learn more about CWC, explore the many committee and volunteer opportunities that are available. Getting involved, at any level, will enhance your connections, benefit the club, and make you, as a member, more fulfilled.

CWC offers many programs and social events throughout the season. We hope that you can attend these, spend relaxing time at the lovely clubhouse, and make lasting friendships.

**When you are here, you are at home!**

Visit the CWC website for volunteer opportunities:  
[chautauquawomensclub.org/volunteer](http://chautauquawomensclub.org/volunteer)

### CWC Member Hosted Events Summer Gatherings

#### Brain Battle: The Ultimate Trivia Night

Tuesday, July 30th at 5:30pm-7pm, \$25 pp (CWC House)

Host: Mary Pat McFarland

Enjoy pub food and test your knowledge against other Chautauquans in this always fun event!

#### La Dolce Vita Afternoon Tea

Wednesday, August 7th at 3pm-4:30pm, \$50 pp (CWC House)

Hosts: Susan Grelick and Nancy Langston

Join CWC for an exquisite Italian tea experience! Your ticket includes raffles, Italian tea, tea sandwiches, Italian pastries, scones, and music.

#### Mah Jongg Luncheon

Sunday, August 11th at 11am-2pm, \$40 pp (CWC House)

Host: Stacey Schlosser

Dine and play with your CWC friends. No stressful tournament pressure - just joyful playing and fun door prizes!

Interested in hosting a Summer Gathering in 2025?  
Email [office@chautauquawomensclub.org](mailto:office@chautauquawomensclub.org)





**Friday Night Take-Out Dinners**

Pick-up at CWC House (30 South Lake) from 4:30-5:30pm

Pre-Order Only (CWC Website)

**CWC Boxed Lunch**

Pick-Up on Thursday, July 11 from 11am-12:30pm

Looking for an easy, delicious lunch during the Bird Tree & Garden Club Tour? You've found it!

Pre-Order Only (CWC Website - Deadline 7/5)



**Cocktails and Cole Porter**

Thursday, July 18th  
(CWC House)

Two Events  
Featuring Chautauquan  
Brad Schrader

**Early Show: 5-6:30pm**

Enjoy proper cocktails and hors d'oeuvres before dinner and the Amp. Brad Schrader will perform favorite tunes from Cole Porter.

**Late Show: 9-10:30pm**

End your evening in style! Enjoy cocktails and desserts while Brad Schrader serenades us to the music of Cole Porter.

**Wine, Women, & Dementia - Film and Reception**

Sunday, July 21st (Details TBA)

Wine, Women, & Dementia film viewing and Q&A reception with director Kitty Norton.

Wine, Women, and Dementia tells the tale of dementia life through the lens of the family caregivers who strive to accept the beauty and the brutality, the hilarious and the horrific - for themselves and their dementia person.

The film celebrates family caregivers while exploring themes of familial duty, perseverance, the power of surrender, the aftermath of healing, and most importantly, how to honor LIFE on the long road to death.

Film details: [winewomenanddementia.com](http://winewomenanddementia.com)

**Edward Barnes: The Tina Turner Story**

Monday, July 22nd 5-6:30pm (CWC House) \$75 pp

Known as the "Queen of Rock 'n Roll", Tina Turner was one of the most successful and admired pop-rock artists in American history. A singer, songwriter and actress, she rose from humble beginnings as the daughter of a Tennessee sharecropper to become one of the best-selling recording artists of all time, with over 100 million records sold. Edward Barnes tracks Tina's professional and personal ups and downs, from her initial success with husband Ike on hits like "River Deep, Mountain High" (1966) and "Proud Mary" (1971); through her struggles to establish herself as a solo artist in the mid-70s, with appearances on "The Hollywood Squares", "The Brady Bunch" and the film version of The Who's "Tommy"; to staging one of the greatest come-backs of all time with a stylistic evolution into international dance pop and the mega-hits "Private Dancer" (1983) "What's Love Got To Do With It?" (1984) and "We Don't Need Another Hero" (1985). This lecture examines Tina's voice, her technical approach to singing, the musical elements of her style, and the business dealings which dealt her both financial blows and astronomical success.

**Edward Barnes: An Affair To Remember**

Veronica Bennett, Phil Spector & the making of "BE MY BABY"

Tuesday, July 23rd 5-6:30pm (CWC House) \$75 pp

Early 60s rock-n-roll, girl groups, Santa Monica Boulevard recording studios and an illicit love affair between a Washington Heights teenager and a crazy genius L.A. record producer. The story of 19 year-old singer Veronica ("Ronnie") Bennett, who in 1963 became the musical and romantic obsession of the eccentric but gifted Phil Spector and gave voice to the rock classic BE MY BABY. Producer-Composer Edward Barnes takes a behind-the-scenes look at the "bad girl" from New York who inspired such passion in Spector that he turned his songwriting skills and recording studio into a powerhouse of creativity, manipulating his band, backup vocalists and tape decks in imaginative and innovative new ways to showcase her talent. The resulting multi-million selling BE MY BABY, not only captured Ronnie's love but was a milestone in the evolution of rock, forever changing the music industry and the very concept of what a record could be. The truth behind an unusual romance and what Rolling Stone calls "one of the most influential songs ever written".





**"Let's Keep Laughing" with Sally Love and Friends**

Monday, July 29th from 7-8pm (CWC House), \$20 pp

Monday, August 5th from 7-8pm (CWC House), \$20 pp \*Encore performance - same show\*

Comedian Sally Love and Friends Return For Guaranteed Laughs!

This show features hilarious storytelling and stand-up.

Limited capacity - register at [chautauquawomensclub.org](http://chautauquawomensclub.org)

**Dr. Vino Events - Summer 2024**

Tyler Colman, Ph.D. (aka Dr. Vino) connects people with wines they love. The author of two wine books and a finalist for the James Beard Foundation award, he taught wine classes for ten years at NYU and five years at the University of Chicago. Tyler's wine writing has appeared in The New York Times, Wine & Spirits, Food & Wine, The World of Fine Wine, Forbes, the Oxford Companion to Wine, and even Bicycling magazine. Tyler is now a consultant to private collectors as well as restaurant wine programs. He recently started offering custom wine tours, and he hopes you can join him on a trip soon! Tyler can be found [@dr\\_vino](https://www.instagram.com/dr_vino) on Instagram and at [TylermadeTours.com](http://TylermadeTours.com).



**Dr. Vino Blind Tasting: France vs. America**

**Thursday, August 8th at 5-6:30pm (CWC House) - \$75 pp**

The Olympics in France gives a perfect springboard for getting a "10" - in wine tasting! We will sharpen our wine tasting skills by tasting three pairs of wines (both white and red) that have one from France and one from America. Over the course of the tasting, we will touch on important wine regions and producers in each country.

**Dr. Vino: Blue Zones, Red Wine**

**Friday, August 9th at 5-6:30pm (CWC House) - \$50 pp**

Longevity expert Dan Buettner has traveled to five areas around the world that have large concentrations of centenarians, or people over 100 years old. He originally wrote about them in National Geographic 20 years ago and recently had a show on Netflix called "Live to 100: Secrets from the Blue Zones" (We recommend the show as a backgrounder for this session). Wine, specifically red wine, is considered a key part of these "secrets." In our session, we will discuss the health benefits of wine (as well as recent pushback) while tasting a Cannonau from Sardinia, which Buettner favors. Additionally, we will taste a compelling white and a biodynamic red wine. Join us for this substantive tasting and discussion!

**Dr. Vino's Tour de France: Wine Edition**

**Saturday, August 10th at 5:30-7:30pm (CWC House) - \$175 pp**

With all eyes on the Paris Olympics, we will embark on a vinous journey of France from the friendly confines of the CWC. Guests for this dinner will start the evening with a reception bubbly on the front porch and then move inside for a three-course meal with three pairs of wines. In the glass, we will examine three leading wine regions - the Loire Valley, Burgundy, and the Rhone - with a white and a red from each. Guests will gain an understanding of what makes these regions so exciting today and perhaps with a bit of joie de vivre as well.

**Buffalo Bound: Art, History & Camaraderie  
A Day of Discovery and Delight**

Thursday, August 22nd 9am-5pm - \$175 pp

Spend the day with CWC in Buffalo! We will take a private tour of the AKG Art Museum, have lunch at the Twentieth Century Club of Buffalo, and take a tour of the Theodore Roosevelt inaugural site. Bus transportation to and from the Chautauqua Institution Main Gate is included. We will be back to Chautauqua in time for dinner and the Amphitheater performance.

**Niagara-on-the-Lake Shaw Festival Trip**

Tuesday, August 27th - Friday, August 30th

We have a few rooms remaining for 2024 Niagara-on-the-Lake trip! The package includes 3 nights at the Prince of Wales Hotel, a welcome cocktail reception and farewell party, 5 Shaw Festival performances (*Witness for the Prosecution*, *The Secret Garden*, *My Fair Lady*, *One Man Two Guvnors*, and *The Mystery of the Human Heart*), and a donation to CWC.

For more information, visit: [chautauquawomensclub.org](http://chautauquawomensclub.org)  
To register, email: [office@chautauquawomensclub.org](mailto:office@chautauquawomensclub.org)



## CWC Flea Boutique 2024

*Sundays, Wednesdays & Fridays: 12-2pm (Behind the Colonnade)*

Chautauquans always delight at the endless finds discovered at the Flea Boutique! We're looking forward to another active year of shopping in 2024. The Flea Boutique will open on Friday, July 5th, resuming its normal hours.

Please keep the Flea Boutique in mind as you redirect your possessions. The proceeds generated through our sales are an essential part of the CWC budget.

We hope that you will bring us salable items that are clean and in good working or wearing condition. Women, teen, and children's clothing are best sellers, along with shoes and accessories. Jewelry is always welcomed! In the main room, household items including decorative accessories (new and old), dishes, silverware, pots and pans and lamps are always in demand. Books, puzzles, games and crafts sell well, along with our featured art and antique merchandise. Due to limited space, we are unable to accept furniture, bedding, dog crates, used cat items, inflatable boats, water skis, golf clubs and items that must be installed (light fixtures, blinds, etc.)

To donate merchandise, preseason collection dates will be posted on the Grapevine. During the season, items may be brought to the Flea Boutique during business hours. CHQ resident and CWC member Liz Kolken (716-491-7208) will be happy to help you with any "emergency" drop-offs.

The Flea Boutique is a place where CWC members come together! So many volunteers make it happen. Thanks to all who clean, sort, hang, organize, sell and more. Special thanks to Judy Williams who manages the Clothing Room ([naugwarren@aol.com](mailto:naugwarren@aol.com)) and Liz (mentioned above) who does everything. Please contact us if you'd like to be part of the Flea Boutique. Whether volunteering for an hour here or there or as a seasonal commitment, all help is welcomed.

Sincerely,

Gail Gamble, CWC Flea Boutique  
[gailgamble1@gmail.com](mailto:gailgamble1@gmail.com)

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## CWC Tent Sale & Silent Auction 2024

*Saturday, July 27 and Sunday, July 28 from 11am-3pm (30 South Lake Drive)*

It is our 135th Women's Club Anniversary season and we are preparing for an amazing Tent Sale and Silent Auction. Please consider donating your time, talent and/or resources to provide unique experiences and items to make the event the best ever. Search your closets, attics, or basements for treasures! Put on your thinking cap and be creative. Some donations ideas might include:

- Chautauqua Experiences (Boating, Tennis Time, Round of Golf, etc.)
- Tickets to the Theater or Opera
- Dinner Party or Event Hosted by You (Example - Game Night or Themed Dinner)
- Themed Baskets (Sports, Pets, Books, Cuisine, Spa, Wine, etc.)
- Hand crafted items
- Antiques
- Babysitting and Dog Walking
- Jewelry and Gently Used Designer items
- Artwork Old and New
- Small Furniture Pieces
- Gift Certificates (Example - Local Restaurants or Businesses)
- Teaching a Class (Cooking, Knitting, Crochet, Pickleball, Art, Mah Jongg, Scrabble, etc.)

We will be accepting your special items at the CWC House from June 20th to July 17th. Tax receipts will be available. Please contact Stacey Schlosser ([schlosser1262@gmail.com](mailto:schlosser1262@gmail.com) 973-945-7955) or Norma Ingram ([noringram@comcast.net](mailto:noringram@comcast.net) 860-463-4024) with questions. Thank you in advance for your help in making this a wonderful event in our 135th anniversary year!

Volunteering your time to set up, work the auction or clean up is also of utmost value to the Women's Club. So let us know if you would like to be a part of this team.

Thank you,

Stacey Schlosser and Norma Ingram, CWC Tent Sale Co-Chairs





# Contemporary Issues Forum

Saturdays @ 3:00pm, Hall of Philosophy



Week 2: June 29th

## Edward Humes

Author & Pulitzer Prize-Winning Journalist

"Want to Save the World? Start By Being Less Trashy!"

**Book Signing:** *Total Garbage: How We Can Fix Our Waste and Heal Our World*

**Reception:** CWC House, 5pm  
Tickets available on CWC website



Week 6: July 27th

## Dr. Andrew Meier

Best Selling Author, Biographer, and Journalist

"MORGENTHAU: The Making of a Dynasty - and an Epic"

**Book Signing:** *Morgenthau: Power, Privilege, and the Rise of an American Dynasty*

**Reception:** CWC House, 5pm  
Tickets available on CWC website



Week 3: July 6th

## Dr. Cady Coleman

Former NASA Astronaut and Air Force Colonel (ret) USAF

"Sharing Space: An Astronaut's Guide to Mission, Wonder, and Making Change"

**Book Signing:** *Sharing Space: An Astronaut's Guide to Mission, Wonder, and Making Change*

**Reception:** CWC House, 5pm  
Tickets available on CWC website



Week 7: August 3rd

## Amy E. Herman, JD, MA

President, The Art of Perception, Best Selling Author

"The Art of Perception: Seeing What Matters"

**Book Signing:** *Visual Intelligence: Sharpen Your Perception, Change Your Life*

**Reception:** CWC House, 5pm  
Tickets available on CWC website



Week 4: July 13th

## Sylvia Farbstein

Speaker, Writer, and Advocate

"How to Embrace Uncertainty in All Seasons of Life: A Journey of Shattering Barriers to Boundless Opportunities"

**Book Signing:** *A Kids Book about Self-Love* (by Brandon Farbstein)



Week 8: August 10th

## Berwood Yost

Director of the Center for Opinion Research at Franklin & Marshall College

"The Tipping Point State: Public Opinion and Political Preferences in Battleground Pennsylvania"



Week 5: July 20th

## Sarah Gamble

Architect and Assistant Professor, University of Florida School of Architecture

"Environmental Activism: Opportunities for Architects and the Public to Engage in the Climate Crisis"

**Book Signing:** *Environmental Activism by Design*



Week 9: August 17th

## Robin Radin

International lawyer and the book editor of *Mao's Hijacked Generation*

"Mao's Hijacked Generation: What Can We Learn?"

**Book Signing:** *Mao's Hijacked Generation*





## Chautauqua Speaks

Tuesdays @ 9:15am, CWC House

**Week 1:** June 25th

**Kristan McMahan**, President, Robert H. Jackson Center  
**Gregory Peterson**, Co-founder, Robert H. Jackson Center  
"Robert H. Jackson's Legacy of Justice"

**Week 2:** July 2nd

**Sarah Dyer**, Leader-in-Residence, Adjunct Professor, The Colin Powell School for Civic and Global Leadership at The City College of New York (CUNY)  
"Going Back to School as a Professor"

**Week 3:** July 9th

**Erika b Hess**, Artistic Director of Chautauqua Visual Arts  
"Navigating the Arts as a Mother Artist"

**Week 4:** July 16th

**Kit Trapasso**, Director of Chautauqua Children's School  
**Rutledge Hammes**, Author, Lecturer, Director of the Creative Writing Program at Charleston County School of the Arts  
"The Spectrum as Light: Championing Autistic People"

**Week 5:** July 23rd

**Betty and Arty Salz**, Authors (Chautauquans)  
"Long Dry Road to Three Taps"

**Week 6:** July 30th

**Elizabeth Hazard**, Social Entrepreneur  
"Speed Share and Learn"  
This session will feature a series of 5 minute talks by fascinating people in the CHQ community. It is an opportunity for anyone to come forward and share their talent, passion, hobby or career. If you are interested in sharing, reach out to [Elizabethhazard@yahoo.com](mailto:Elizabethhazard@yahoo.com). Otherwise, come learn from your neighbors.

**Week 7:** Wednesday, August 7th

**Gretchen Gaede**, Designer/Photographer  
"The Patterns of Life: Art and Artists in one Chautauqua Family "

**Week 8:** August 13th

**Diane Steinhilber**  
"Preventing Global Blindness - The Kenya Project"

**Week 9:** August 20th

**Dr. Gaynell Anderson**, Physical Therapist  
"The Power of Breathing for Health, Strength, and Energy"

## CWC Program Sponsorship

We are immensely grateful to our **2024 sponsors** for their generous support and belief in our exceptional programming. Your commitment is the driving force behind our success, and we couldn't do this without you.

- **Cherie Gillette Sigward Program Sponsorship**
- **Lauren Rich Fine/Gries Financial Program Sponsorship**
- **Magee-Womens Research Institute Program Sponsorship**
- **Rita Argen Auerbach Program Sponsorship** – lovingly gifted by Cathy Bonner, Marylou Goodman, and Josette Rolley in honor of Rita's lifelong commitment to the CHQ community and as a beloved Life Member of the Chautauqua Women's Club.
- **Terrie Tucker and Stephen Still Program Sponsorship**

We invite you to become a distinguished program sponsor. Your commitment upholds CWC's vision to enrich the communities we touch!

**For more information, visit:**

[chautauquawomensclub.org/sponsorships](http://chautauquawomensclub.org/sponsorships)

## Contemporary Issues Forum Speaker Receptions (Ticketed)

Join select speakers for a reception at the CWC House. They will say a few words and answer questions.

- **Edward Humes** - June 29 at 5pm (CWC House)
- **Dr. Cady Coleman** - July 6 at 5pm (CWC House)
- **Dr. Andrew Meier** - July 27 at 5pm (CWC House)
- **Amy E. Herman** - August 3 at 5pm (CWC House)

Speaker information and tickets available at:

<https://chautauquawomensclub.org/schedule/>

## Weekly Recreation - CWC House

**Mah Jongg:** Mondays & Fridays 2-3:30pm

**Duplicate Bridge:** Tuesday afternoons 1-4pm

**Language Hour:** Wednesday afternoons 1pm  
*Informal conversations in French, Spanish, Swedish, and German*





The Chautauqua Women’s Club is excited and proud to announce a new initiative born out of a need to expand programming and create more offerings around the traditional 9-week Chautauqua Institution season. The Chautauqua Academy offers interesting, member-centered programming inside and beyond the gates. By upholding the Chautauqua Women’s Club vision and mission, new opportunities will be offered across the globe and eventually on demand to curious minds and adventurous spirits.

We would like to engage our membership to consider identify a learning opportunity in your hometown or your favorite place for a shared learning experience. We hope to bring life long learners together to learn something new, share a laugh and create a memory.

**Upcoming Chautauqua Academy Opportunities:**

- Magee-Womens Research Institute (see right)
- Wine, Women, & Dementia (see pg. 5)
- Buffalo Bound: Art, History & Camaraderie (see pg. 6)
- Texas Culinary Experience Weekend (see website)
- Dr. Vino Loire Valley Wine Trip (Spring 2025 - Details TBA)

Learn more about Chautauqua Academy at: [chautauquawomensclub.org/chautauqua-academy](http://chautauquawomensclub.org/chautauqua-academy)

**Shoulder Season Rentals**

Come spend the night with the Chautauqua Women's Club! For the first time in our history we are opening our iconic clubhouse for daily room and full house rentals. Whether you are looking for a perfect location to host a family reunion, a wedding party, a corporate retreat, or a night or weekend with friends - we have an experience like no other!

Our historic, renovated clubhouse is converting to your abode before and after Chautauqua’s nine-week, summer season. Available from May 3 - June 12, 2024 and September 3 - October 20, 2024, reserve now!

To book a nightly stay, visit: <https://hotels.cloudbeds.com/reservation/P4oc0e>

To reserve for an event or book the full house, email: [office@chautauquawomensclub.org](mailto:office@chautauquawomensclub.org)



**Magee-Womens Research Institute**

“Changing the Way the World Treats Women: Expert Research on Women’s Health in Midlife and Beyond”  
Monday, July 15, 4:00-5:00pm (CWC House)

Topics such as menopause and hormonal changes across the lifespan have historically seen limited medical research and public attention, despite their effects on all women. Recently, these topics are rising to the surface, yet patients often find themselves unsure of where to turn for expertise. Join leaders from Magee-Womens Research Institute, the largest research institute in the U.S. devoted to women’s health, for a candid discussion on women’s health in midlife and beyond, and the Institute’s role in changing the way the world treats women.

Complimentary Program - No Registration Required

**CWC Season Schedule**

To view CWC’s full season schedule, scan the QR code below or visit [chautauquawomensclub.org/schedule](http://chautauquawomensclub.org/schedule).

Brochures with a fold out calendar will be available at the CWC House throughout the season.

We can’t wait to see you!









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