



ANDREA JOHNSON WHITE, PRESIDENT
BPW/JUPITER

MONTHLY MEETING

4th Monday each month

5:30 pm Sign In & Networking

6:00 pm Dinner & Program

8:00 pm Adjourn

Cost: \$28 or \$25 w/Member Discount

Location:

Mangrove Bay
110 E Mangrove Bay Way
Jupiter, FL 33477-6401

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www.JupiterBPW.org

BPW/Jupiter Officers 2013-2014

President: Andrea Johnson White
1st Vice President-Programs: Susan Kingston
2nd Vice President-Membership: Milly Taylor
Treasurer: Nancy Albertz
Secretary: Peggy Sutton

Next Meeting – March 24, 2014 Great Closet Swap



LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello Ladies!

Thanks to all the members and guests who participated in our Annual Purse Auction in February. It was a great success! I wanted to say a special thank you to Susan Kingston for all her hard work in putting it together and to Milly Taylor for bringing in a ton of guests and thank you to everyone that brought a guest. Congratulations to Karen Gonzalez who won the raffle for the “Basket of Love”. It was fun to mix up the meeting format and pull together a brilliant membership and fundraising event at the same time.

Again, I would also like to say a big thank you to our very own Candy Koester for putting together that fabulous “Basket of Love” and for all the baskets she puts together for us.

Coming up in March, in honor of Women’s History Month, we are celebrating women’s fashion throughout the years. Wear your favorite style from the 50’s, 60’s, 70’s 80’s or 90’s or any time period you would like! Get to the meeting a little early and bring your gently used clothes, shoes, costume jewelry and bags to sell to other members from your own table during the program portion of the meeting.

Also, don’t forget, we are still looking for a few good women! But we have several ladies interested in the upcoming chair and board positions. So, if you are interested in getting involved in a leadership position with this fabulous group, please let a board member or our Nominations Chair, Larabee Johnson, know right away. Installation of the new board is coming up in April. These leadership positions offer a great way to get your business out there and a great opportunity to give back to your local community. Please feel free to ask any officer for more detail on a position you are interested in!

And again, for those of you taking on or continuing on with a leadership position, please mark your calendar for April 26th! The BPW/FL 2014-2015 Spring Leadership Connection will be a blast and gets everyone on track for the year. I hope that each and every one of you will consider attending. It is a source of education, learning and growth. I look forward to seeing you all at the March 24th meeting!

BPW/Jupiter President,
Andrea Johnson White



HAPPY BIRTHDAY Ladies!!!



NONE THIS MONTH!

SUNSHINE REPORT

March 2014

By Deb Rasmussen, Sunshine Chair

Congratulations to our own Nancy Albertz. Nancy is engaged to be married.

Also, congratulations Susan Kingston for presenting a very successful Purse Auction. Here is her report.

On Monday February 24th in lieu of the General Meeting, the Fundraising Committee hosted our annual, well anticipated Purse Auction. The event invite was emailed to all members and posted on FB and LinkedIn as guests were welcome to attend as well. The evening was well attended with 11 members and 13 guests in attendance!

Many members and guests donated an item or several and with 26 items in total, the table was beautifully adorned with Barrel Bags, Evening bags, Totes & Clutch purses, wallets, duffle bags and even a filled beach bag – there were even a few one-of-a-kind creations, and to “name drop” a bit, the line-up included Coach & Dooney!

Members and guests enjoyed social networking for 30 minutes, and after a delicious dinner, the auction began. Larabee Johnson (aka “Vanna”) did a great job modeling and featuring the purses as she walked the room. The bidding, at times, was fast and furious and all was in good fun and everyone seemed to thoroughly enjoy themselves.

The fundraising budget for this event was set at \$400. And I am happy to report our total revenue raised was \$602.



Wine is constant proof that God loves us and loves to see us happy!

Benjamin Franklin



**Celebrating Women's History month with Fashion
Don't miss BPW's "Great Closet Swap" !
Monday March 24th. 5:30 - 7:45**

Mangrove Bay, US 1 just south of Indiantown Road
\$25. member / \$28. non members , includes full course
dinner & dessert (wine available).

ALL FABULOUS FEMALES WELCOME!

Bring your unwanted clothing & accessories on
hangers, each priced \$1.00 to \$9.00. Shop & drop
the money in the fundraising bucket, proceeds go
to Women's Scholarship Fund and left over
clothing to House of Hope.

**RSVP Required SusanAKingston@gmail.com
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Monthly Meeting Minutes

February 24, 2014

Mangrove Bay, Jupiter, Florida

The meeting was called to order by President Andrea Johnson at 6:00pm, followed by the reading of the Collect and Pledge of Allegiance. President Andrea welcomed the members and guests and then gave a brief history of BPW, what we do and who we are.

Susan Kingston started introduction of members and guests by stating her name and their business.

CONSENT AGENDA:

President Andrea White announced that the February minutes were available to members in the newsletter and on the internet. No objections to the minutes were stated. Larabee Johnson moved to approve the minutes as read and was seconded by Nancy Albertz. A vote was taken. Motion carried unanimously.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

The February 2013 report was also available on line and in the newsletter. There were no objections to the report so it will be filed for audit.

Induction of two new members, Mary Connerly and Mary Connerly was conducted by Milly Taylor, Vice President-Membership.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Fundraising: Susan Kingston reported the upcoming events as follows: March – Closet Swap, all proceeds of the Closet Swap will be for the Women's Scholarship fund, and April – Maltz Theater, "King and I." Angela Vagell needs volunteers to review the 4 applications for the scholarship. Susan Kingston, Ann Coughlin and Deb Rasmussen volunteered to help Angela.





Monthly Meeting Minutes

January 27, 2014

Mangrove Bay, Jupiter, Florida

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Larabee Johnson spoke regarding a camp out that was held by BPW/Florida at the Head and Heals Ranch Retreat. It was open to all Florida members and included hay rides and bon fire. Larabee concluded that it was a lot of fun and they are planning to have this event again.

DINNER WAS SERVED.

PROGRAM:

The Purse Auction was conducted. All purses were sold along with the surprises inside.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

None

50/50 DRAWING:

The 50/50 drawing was won by Karen Gonzales in the amount of \$40. The drawing for the member who brought the most guests was won also by Karen Gonzales.

The next meeting will be held on March 24, 2014.

Emblem Benediction was recited.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:20 pm.

Minutes recorded by Peggy Sutton, Secretary.

BPW MISSION STATEMENT

Our mission shall be to achieve equity for
all women in the workplace through
advocacy, education, and information.



TREASURER'S REPORT

Reported By Nancy Albertz, Treasurer

BPW/JUPITER ACCOUNTS AS OF

FEBRUARY 28th, 2014

Allocations

General Fund	\$ 351.76	Checking Account	\$ 3,872.93
Florida Education Fund	\$ 1,926.23	Savings Account	\$ 3,827.18
Member Education Fund	\$ 1,082.33	Cash	\$ 7,700.11
Breast Cancer Fund	\$ 1,743.00		
Local Scholarship Fund	<u>\$ 2,596.79</u>		
Total Cash	\$ 7,700.11		