

February 12, 2025

News from the President

What a great turn out we had last week for the February General Meeting. I loved hearing from all the past presidents, and all the wonderful things RBWC has done over the years. Please make sure to check out all the amazing events that are coming up in February and March. I am super excited about the serving opportunities for Second Harvest. Our Charity Director, Amanda Looney has two dates scheduled in March for us to serve. Make sure you sign up below.

Look forward to being back at Rarity Bay Country Club on Tuesday, March 4th at 9:30am for the March General Meeting. The March Meeting will focus on the Wonderful Women of RBWC who served in the fields of Health and Wellness. Please contact Shelley at RBWC.Vicepresident@gmail.com if you are interested in sharing a story about your career.

Don't forget to bring your cash to bid on homemade bread made by the RBWC "Bread Fairies," the proceeds will be donated to Second Harvest.

Amy Steward

Upcoming Events

Winter Wonderland

Date: February 19, 2025 Time: 6:00-9:00 pm Location: Community Activity Center (CAC) Cost: \$12

Click Here to RSVP

Let's Get Frosty at the Coolest Party in Town!

- Groove to the beats spun by our very own DJ Jimmy.
- Test your musical knowledge with a playful round of SINGO.
- Indulge your inner foodie with a fondue feast.
- Warm up with cozy hot cocoa or spiced cider. Feel free to bring your favorite beverage.

Come mingle with your friends and freeze unforgettable memories in time!

Last day for RSVP/Refunds is <u>TODAY</u>, February 12, 2025.

This event is limited to 75, and only open to RBWC Members.

For additional questions, please contact Jennifer Warner at <u>RBWC.SocialDirector@gmail.com</u>



March General Meeting

Date: March 4, 2025 Time: 9:30am to 12:00pm Location: Rarity Bay Country Club Click <u>here</u> to RSVP by February 25, 2025

Rarity Bay Country Club welcomes the Women's Club for monthly meetings. March will be our first meeting at the Rarity Bay Country Club for 2025. The club location is central to all of us, and we are excited to host our meeting in Rarity Bay!

This month talented Rarity Bay Women in the fields of Health and Wellness will share stories about their field. We will surely be surprised to hear some interesting stories and fun facts about their exciting fields in Health and Wellness.



Lunch Bunch

Date: March 12, 2025

Time: 12:00pm

Location: Lazy Beagle, 107 N Main St, Sweetwater, TN 37874

To keep the expected guest head count as accurate as possible, we are asking members to reserve their spot with a check for \$20 (no cash please) made payable to RBWC, when they sign up for Lunch Bunch.

RBWC members may sign up at a General Meeting or drop off/mail their checks to the RBWC Mailbox at 403-A Rarity Bay Parkway, located to the left of Rarity Bay Clubhouse front door. Your check will be returned to you or applied to the bill on the day of the event. Members who cancel by the established date will have their check returned. Money for no-shows will be gifted to the servers as appropriate or donated back to RBWC Social Account.



Sip and Bloom: A Springtime Celebration of Friendship

Date: March 14, 2025

Time: 6:00 to 9:00pm

Location: Danna Caller's Home, 301 Rock Point Drive.

Cost: App, dessert, or wine

Click Here to RSVP

Get Ready to bloom as Spring has sprung! Enjoy socializing with your friends while tasting delectable treats and sipping an array of wines.

Last day to RSVP is March 7, 2025. Event is Limited to 35 members. For additional questions, please contact Jennifer Warner at <u>RBWC.SocialDirector@gmail.com</u>.



Karity Bay Women's Club Serves

Dates: March 22, 2025 Location: Second Harvest Food Bank of East TN

136 Harvest Lane Maryville, TN 37801

Click here to register for the March 22 event

RBWC Serves with Second Harvest – Join us on 3/22 to package food for Second Harvest. This opportunity is open to 25 volunteers. This is open to RBWC members and one guest.

We will volunteer in the Maryville warehouse in the Product Recovery area or our Repack Clean Room where we process donated and bulk food for distribution, to help feed our East Tennessee neighbors.

Contact <u>RBWC.charity@gmail.com</u> for more information.



Karity Bay Strummers: Ukulele Classes

Dates: Starts March 26, 2025

Location: CAC

Cost: \$11.00

Click Here to register

Ever had the desire to play a musical instrument, either for your own enjoyment or together with others? Well, now's your chance! Our own Bob Foster, former director of The Rare Notes and who has played the ukulele in several clubs and festivals over the years, is announcing an Introductory Ukulele series of classes, designed to be of interest to women or men, from complete beginners, to those with some experience on another instrument, and even to those with some exposure to the ukulele. There will be four sessions, an hour or so each, once a week beginning Wednesday, April 9 th at 1:00 p.m., with an introductory organizational meeting at the CAC on Wednesday, March 26, 2025 at 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

If you would to speak privately with Bob, you may contact him directly at rhfoster46@icloud.com or 423-836-0457.



Karity Bay Women's Club Serves

Date: March 27, 2025 Time: 9:00am to 12:00pm Location: Notchey Creek Baptist Church 5529 New Highway 68 Madisonville, TN 37354

Click here to register

This opportunity is open to 20 volunteers.

This is a wonderful opportunity for volunteers to serve close to home- in their own community.

Our truck and staff will arrive with food and volunteers will work together to assist in the distribution of the food items to those in need. Volunteers must be able to stand for the duration of shift, as well as lift, bend and carry boxes to vehicles.

This food distribution is outdoors, please plan to dress according to the weather. Volunteers will meet at the distribution site address at the listed time. Duties include:

- Loading food boxes into cars
- Sorting & packing food
- Help direct traffic
- Taking down data information
- Assisting with gathering materials

Contact <u>RBWC.charity@gmail.com</u> for more information.

