

Welcome

New Member

Nancy Renkes

Lifetime Member

Gail Carlson

Dates for your Calendar:

Fall Education Event

October 13th
Virtual

WGC Annual Meeting

November 10th
EC Golf & Country Club

Gift of Giving Breakfast

December 1st
Florian Gardens

Book Club

Monday, Sept. 28, 2020

4:00 – 5:00 PM via Zoom

The Giver of Stars by Jojo Moyes

Discussion Leader: Becky

Monday, October 26, 2020

4:00 – 5:00 PM via Zoom

Olive Again by Elizabeth Strout

Discussion Leader: Marilyn

Monday, Nov. 30, 2020

4:00 – 5:00 PM via Zoom

Burn it Down by Lilly Dancyger

Discussion Leader: Kathie

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**BRINGING TOGETHER
OUR COMMUNITY**

Women's Giving Circle
A Fund of the Eau Claire Community Foundation
2020 Educational Event

Tuesday, October 13th
Virtual 6:00 - 7:30 pm

RACIAL JUSTICE & EQUALITY

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Panel Discussion
Featuring
Heather Ann Moody
Sandi Polzin
Dale Taylor
Pa Thao

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WGC Fall Educational Event – RSVP today!

Bringing Our Community Together - Racial Justice & Equality October 13, 2020 from 6:00pm to 7:30pm

Living in the Chippewa Valley, it may feel at times as though we are separated from issues we are witnessing in many larger cities. The Education & Program Team has invited a group of community leaders to share with you what the reality is here in the Chippewa Valley. We invite you to join our panelists:

Heather Ann Moody - Assistant Professor American Indian Studies

Sandi Polzin - Executive Director of Hope Gospel Mission

Dale Taylor - Professor Emeritus and former Chair of the Department of Allied Health Professions at UWEC.

Pa Thao - Executive Director at The Black and Brown Women Power Coalition

This is your opportunity to hear about the personal experiences of our panelists. Join our discussion as we look at the history of how we arrived at today's environment and how stereotypes influence our everyday life. We will talk about how we can all help to affect change and share resources to help us all learn more and find ways to help our community thrive now and in the future.

The event will be available through an online link that will allow you to watch our panel and submit questions to be answered during the discussion. Please RSVP at the Eau Claire Community Foundation webpage, eccfwi.org. Click on "Events" and follow the link for the Fall Education Event or call the Foundation office at 715-552-3801.

Dues Reminder

The Eau Claire Community Foundation will be sending a reminder in October if you haven't paid your 2020 membership. If you haven't had a chance to pay and would like to pay your \$250 annual dues today, follow this [link](#) or go to www.eccfwi.org.

Membership Team

Chair — Lacey Logslett
Co-Chair — Cindy Hangartner
Gigi Benish
Karen Kohler
Ami Christensen



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2020 CAT Team

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The mission of the WGC is to improve the quality of life for women and children in the greater Eau Claire area through collective philanthropy

Featured Team - Membership Team

The Membership Team provides information to prospective Members, welcomes new Members, and facilitates participation in activities and Teams. Our Team also plans events throughout the year and supports Membership renewals. Year after year, our membership varies due to several things, which include people who have moved away, people who have passed away, or those who have decided not to renew their membership. Please help us continue our impact on the community and reach out to your family, friends, neighbors, co-workers, and other special people in your life and invite them to join the WGC.

We are always looking for new members to our Membership Team. If you are interested, please reach out to one us: Lacey at Lacey.Logslett@bmo.com or Cindy at changartner@weldriley.com.

Summer Virtual Event Wrap Up

Our Mini-Series Virtual Events were held throughout the summer. We were able to hear from our WGC Teams on their progress and updates from the Eau Claire Community Foundation. An especially important part of the events was to hear from our 9 Grant Recipients and their progress with our grants awarded to them and their current challenges during this global pandemic. Thank you all for participating.

Annual Meeting & Closing Thoughts

The Annual Meeting will be held Tuesday, November 10th. Please be aware of possible changes because this may be held virtually as well. This is a very important WGC meeting because we will be voting on our 2020 grant recipients and our 2021 slate of officers. We need to draw our spirit together and continue to dedicate ourselves to improving the lives of women and children in the Eau Claire community!

Hope to see you at our virtual WGC Fall Education Event October 13th at 6:00 PM.

Stay Safe,

Sue Tienor, CAT Chair