Ethel Wilson Women's Evening Group 2023 Annual Report

Our membership number is 41 with an average of 24-30 attending meetings. We hold our monthly meetings in the Sanctuary, enjoying interesting speakers on a variety of topics. We are looking for someone to co-ordinate the speakers for our group.

Arnette Anderson agreed to book members for the Devotional following several faithful years by Margaret Chambers.

Seven Memorial Teas were held under the capable guidance of Margaret Bates. She also coordinated a Memorial Tea for Broadview United Church during their absence of a facility. Margaret has retired from this position. Christine Smith has agreed to co-ordinate the teas in future.

Arlene Vickery coordinated a Spring Flower Basket fundraiser for our group raising \$1295.00.

Trish Best organized our Mini-golf tournament at Island View Mini Golf in May. She also organized an informal Bocce Ball Tournament throughout the summer months at the home of Linda Snelling.

Louise Johnston, President of Northwest U.C.W. asked us to cater a lunch for their June 21st meeting. We raised \$700.00 for Cordova Bay United's fundraising line item.

November's meeting was a luncheon held at Bill Mattick's Restaurant at the Cordova Bay Golf Club. 33 members attended. Food Vouchers were asked for in support of the Cridge Centre for the Family. \$985.00 in vouchers were delivered to the centre by co-chairs, Willa Burke and Joan Young.

We also made our annual donation of \$600.00 each to five of our long-time recipients: 1 Up (Single Parent Resource Centre); Victoria Sexual Assault Centre, Women in Need, Victoria Women's Shelter and Bridges for Women.

We continue to hold a GIC for \$10,000.00+ for new carpeting.

Respectfully submitted, Willa Burke & Joan Young Co-Chairs

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	Financial Report 2023		
	Income	Expense	Balance
Balance as of January 1, 2023			863.60
Memorial Donations	1850.00		
Hilltop Nurseries Baskets Fundraiser (net)	1294.95		
Sale of OnTheRidge Christmas Decorations	274.00		
Donations from Mbrs at Meetings	413.60	***************************************	
Transfer of OTR bank balance to close account	70.42		
Rolled over GIC (for church flooring)	10,469.02		
Total	14,371.99		14,371.99
			15,235.59
Less:			
Stamps & cards -Sunshine program expense		106.26	
Kitchen expense-tea, milk, dish soap etc		325.50	
		0.00	
Donation to Needy Family		150.00	
Donations to Victoria Charities		3,050.00	
GIC- for Church Flooring		10,350.00	
Total		13,981.76	13,981.76
Balance as of December 31, 2023			1253.83
Respectively Submitted			
Linda Smith-Mcmahon			
Treasurer, Ethel Wilson Women's Evening Group	D		
GIC- for Church Flooring			10,350.00