



*SPRING SPECIAL
With Chef Charles LaPorta
Cornerstone Culinary Kitchen
2133 Market Street
Camp Hill, PA 17011*

*Thursday, April 28, 2005
6:30 p.m.*

Spring is here! One of the nicest ways to celebrate is with the Auxiliary members and guests at the Cornerstone Culinary Kitchen. Chef Charles LaPorta will demonstrate how to prepare asparagus quiche with gruyere cheese. Your reservation for the evening includes salad, quiche, dessert and iced tea. Cooking instructions, entertainment, and fellowship are all special extras!

Please plan to attend – Thursday, April 28th at 6:30 p.m. at 2133 Market Street in Camp Hill. Parking is available along side of and behind the Cornerstone Coffeeshouse.

At press time there were still a few seats available. Call Joan Waldner at 737-0620 as soon as possible so you don't miss this exciting event!

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

On Thursday, March 31st our Auxiliary Meeting was held at Baker Engineers' Inc. I would like to thank Hostess Shirley Hart and her committee: Susan Bruening and Lana Buchek for the wonderful goodies they provided. We always enjoy Judy Dillen from the New Cumberland Library as our speaker. She is so enjoyable.

I hope you have some signs of spring around your homes. We have certainly had enough rain to get things growing! We have a few names for prospective new members, but they are unable to join at this time. If you know of any new Chapter members, let us know so we can contact their wives.

I am looking forward to seeing you at the (Camp Hill) Coffee House for our April 28th Meeting. Everything sounds delicious! Hope you enjoy your spring activities.

Karen Bradshaw, President



SURVEY REPORT

Thank you to the 24 members who returned the Auxiliary survey. There are still a lot of surveys (and stamped addressed envelopes) to be sent!!

Our dwindling attendance at general meetings may make some of the suggestions difficult to make happen, such as those requesting a tour or trip. Anyone who belongs to another

organization that plans to have a trip or tour may be able to include the Auxiliary – which would make trips and tours a possibility. Please contact me if you are part of such an organization.

Daytime meetings were requested by many of you. We do have the November Allenberry luncheon and play as a day event. Another day meeting may be scheduled for next year. However, we do have several active members who work – including me, watching my grandson every day 7-3:30. Transportation can be provided for those who do not wish to drive in the evening, call me and a ride will be arranged.

The program committee has some interesting information to study; return your survey if you haven't. Maybe we will be able to provide programs that will have everyone wanting to attend!! Wouldn't that be GREAT!

Joan Waldner
737-0620

COMMITTEE / PROJECT NEWS

Education

The scholarship committee has enjoyed great success in drawing many candidates for our scholarships this year! On April 12 the committee of Riet Jongsma, Susan Bruening, and Michele Stager will be interviewing 8 finalist candidates. Next month we will report who the recipients will be!

Program

Only one more meeting after this month! In May we'll conclude our year with a salad supper and the installation of our 2005-06 officers at the Baker offices. Please reserve the evening of May 26 and plan to attend.

Science Fair

The Auxiliary presented two \$100 awards to students participating in the Capital Area Science and Engineering Fair. In the Senior division we selected Matthew Doncheski of Greenwood H.S. for his project Effect of Added Rake on Turning Radius. In the Junior division our winner was Glenn Stouffer of Swatara Middle School for Mother Nature vs. Construction Technology. Both students thoroughly impressed our judges with their knowledge and the obvious hard work applied to their projects.

Ways & Means

To all who helped and donated to the fashion show:

"It's not the price that sets the value on the gift we send...it's how much love goes with it. That's what matters in the end – the spirit o the giving, the affection that we feel, the selfless thought behind the act that makes it good and real. A little simple thing can bring great happiness to you. If given in sincerity with wishes kind and true. The gift we give without our love is worthless and cold. While gifts we gift from our heart are worth their weight in gold."

--Patience Strong

Thank you for all your gifts of time, talent, money and effort to help to make our Fashion Show-Luncheon a success. According to our treasurer, Nancy Flint, we realized a profit of \$7,017.35. Thank you all for the gifts from your heart.

Betty Lou

SPECIAL NOTE TO ALL WHO ATTENDED THE FASHION SHOW: We just found out that Café on Market in Camp Hill will be closing May 24. One of our prizes at was a gift certificate from Café on Market – if you won, or know who won, this prize, please be sure to notify the winner of this prize of the restaurant's closing so the prize may be redeemed in time. Thank you!



NOMINATIONS FOR 2005-2006 AUXILIARY OFFICERS

The following persons have been nominated for our 2005-06 Auxiliary offices. Our election will be held at this month's meeting on April 28.

President	Joan Waldner
Vice President	Lori Dixon
Recording Secretary	Shirley Hart
Treasurer	Nancy Flint
Corresponding Secretary	Karen Miller
Directors 2 yrs	Lana Buchek
	Betty Lou Waldner
Directors 1 yr	Helen Stallknecht
	Mary Lynn Morrison

Thank you to the following members of the Nominating Committee for putting together the slate: Gladys Ciarrocca, Chair (in place of Gloria Minnich); Charlotte Lazarchik; Lois Lewis; Suann Gouhin; and Linda Grubb

STATE NEWS

You heard it here first!! Our own John Bradshaw, PE has been selected as the state Engineer of the Year. Our heartiest congratulations to John! Please attend the state conference to support John, Karen and their family as John receives this well-deserved honor. The PSPE Annual Conference will be held May 19-21, 2005 at The Chateau at Camelback in Tannersville.

MEMBER NEWS

Happy Birthday to the following Auxiliary members:

Joan Waldner	April 19
Jean Rhinehart	April 21
Lois Lewis	May 6
Suann Gouhin	May 15
Virgean Knight	May 17
Miriam Dedyo	May 18



Ports of call for **Gladys and Pete Ciarrocca** were Fort Lauderdale, Limon, Panama Canal, Colon, Grand Cayman, Cozumel, and Belize as they celebrated Gladys' retirement from Penn State University on the Princess Cruise Lines. Gladys completed ten years supervising student teachers for Penn State. The captain recognized Gladys' retirement at a formal dinner with a retirement cake, champagne, and the appropriate decorative balloons. Family members and friends accompanied them on the Panama cruise. Land excursions had diversified interests from learning different cultures, habitats, to observing contours of the land, and seeing beautiful seas/beaches. More pleasing to Gladys was *shopping* and *bargaining* at different ports.

Pete Ciarrocca was nominated for Volunteer of the Year Award for his contributions to Meals on Wheels in Mechanicsburg as their cook for about 15 years, and for other community contributions by WGAL-TV and United Way.

In early March, **Lois Lewis** went to Colorado to visit her sister, Danelle. Eleven days and 1700 miles on the road took them through the Land of Enchantment --- New Mexico--to see the sights of Taos, Albuquerque with old Route 66, Alamogordo and the White Sands National Monument, the town of Lincoln with Billy the Kid history and Capitan, the home of Smokey the bear, mission churches, ancient petroglyphs and a hike a snowy mountain trail to a cave for exploration.

They stopped in Artesia, NM for a few days to enjoy a four sister reunion, once again. On the way back to Denver, they traveled on the El Camino Real, and Turquoise Trail to Sante Fe to see the old town plaza and old churches, the paintings of Georgia O'Keeffe, the Sante Fe Trail, also the famous staircase in the church of Loretto, and ate a delicious chimichunga at Tomasita's in the old train station in Sante Fe. They

enjoyed the unique cultures of American Indians, Hispanics and vintage Americans and the history of the area. They liked it so much, they will return to see more!

Suann Gouhin and her daughter, Nancy, are going to Florida the last week of April to visit Suann's sister who lives in Palm Beach Gardens. They plan on a week of talking, shopping, and lunching!

It was time for **Karen Bradshaw** to make her annual pilgrimage to Texas to check on her daughter and family. The children had school off for the week, so they got to play the same game of Monopoly every day. The weather was great, and they planted tomatoes, peppers and summer flowers. Then John picked her up at BWI and drove to Long Island to have Easter with their other daughter and family. They still had snow in their yard and the temperature was chilling. What a difference a few hours away makes on the weather!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mark your calendar!

April 28	Auxiliary meeting at the Cornerstone Culinary Kitchen (reservations required)
May 4	Board Dinner & Meeting (outgoing and incoming members) at the home of Karen Bradshaw
May 26	Auxiliary Salad Supper and Installation of 2005-06 Officers at Baker Engineers

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