

# Sedalia Business Women

February/March, 2020 Newsletter

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Meeting Location Sedalia Country Club

Welcome!
We're glad
you're here. If
you are new to
SBW or
considering
joining, we
invite to speak
to our
Membership
Chairman
Amanda
Davis.

# FEBRUARY/MARCH BIRTHDAYS

### FRIENDSHIP LUNCHEONS

All friendship luncheons begin at 11:30 a.m. Bring a friend and/or potential member!

February 12	Country Kitchen
February 19	Fortune Palace
February 26	Little Big Horn
March 4	Perkins
March 10 End	Zone on Tuesday
March 18	Bandanas
March 25	El Tapitio
April 1	Mazios

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS

March 1.....DEADLINE

Local Club President's Annual
Report to State Office
Mentoring Report to State Office
Issues Management Report to IM
Chair
State Foundation Report to BWM
Foundation Treasurer
Legislation Application form to
Legislative Chair
April 1DEADLINE
Individual Growth participants'
names to IG Chair
Generations Taking Charge
participants' names to GTC Chair

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS - Cont'd

TBD	Lobby Day w/Missouri
Women's Network, Missouri State Capital,	
Jefferso	n City
TBD	Northwest Regional Inspirational
Breakfa	st
April 24	Executive Board Meeting
Hilton Garden Inn, Independence	
April 24	Board of Director Meeting
Hilton Garden Inn, Independence	
April 25-26	52020 State Conference
Hilton Garden Inn, Independence	

# **NEW MEMBERS**

We would like to welcome the following new members:

Mary Beegle Angela Boone Katy Kirby Angela Smith Penny Taylor

### **MEMBER NOTES**

Article from Anne Hamilton's Sedalia BPW scrap book dating back to 1927. Below is an excerpt of the article published in the Sedalia Capital dated March 15, 1928.

# B.P.W. OBSERVE FIFTH BIRTHDAY WITH BIG CAKE

The Business and Professional Women's club cut its fifth birthday cake last night when a banquet and program in the Ambassador room of the Hotel Bothwell celebrated the anniversary of the founding of the Sedalia branch.

# MEMBER NOTES - Cont'd

Some eighty members and friends of the club were seated at the banquet tables. The tables were decorated with two beautiful baskets of flowers, one presented the club by the Helen G. Steele Music club, and on the speakers' table was the birthday cake, surmounted by five pink candles. A four-piece orchestra composed of William Hurlbut, Stanley Shaw, William Ramlow and Mrs. Nellie Monegan, played during the dinner.

At the close of the dinner these took part in a candle lighting ceremony: Mrs. N.L. Nelson, retiring president of the club; Mrs. Susan Hurlbut, incoming president; Miss Cecile Tilberry, Miss Cora Roop, state president of the Business and Professional Women's organization; and Miss Mettie Hanks, president of the Higginsville branch.

Mrs. Edwin F. Yancey, a honorary member of the club, then sang a solo and Miss Mila Swearingen, acting as toastmistress, introduced Miss Rosemary Borrowes who recounted the history of the club.

Upon concluding, Miss Burrowes introduced Ira Melton who had been asked to speak in view of his having presented five years ago, in behalf of the Mayor, the key to the city to Miss Pearl Wilson, the first president of the club here.

Mr. Melton praised the progress, enthusiasm, and spirit of cooperation which the club has manifested and spoke of the place of the woman in the business and professional world.

Mrs. Harvey McGugin sang a solos and was accompanied at the piano, by Miss Mabel DeWitt who had also accompanied Mrs. Yancey.

Miss Cora Roop, state president, was next introduced. She spoke of the short-range and long-range vision local and national, which the business and professional woman must strive to maintain and told of the work and progress of the thirty-two clubs in the Missouri Federation of Business and Professional Women. She also called attention to the state convention of the federation to be held at Columbia in the spring.

At the conclusion of the program, Mrs. N.L. Nelson, as the retiring president, addressed the club, thanking the members for their cooperation during her administration, and presented the chairman's gavel to Miss Susan Hurlbut, the incoming president.

In appreciation of Mrs. Nelson's service, Miss Hurlbut presented her a bouquet of roses on behalf of the club.

Miss Hurlbut then closed the celebration with a prospect of the future of the club.

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We would like to extend our sympathy to the following members at the loss of a family member.

Linda Fox – cousin, Unser Brockman

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Debbie Ulmer

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