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President's Message

Members and Guests,

I wanted to share the highlights from our November 10th Annual Meeting:

◆Brenda Gagnon resigned her position as Secretary prior to our meeting but accepted the position of Member-At-Large. Connie Roussin was nominated by the board and accepted the Secretary position.

♦ Treasurer/Financial Advisor Terry Mike gave us the Financials, Bylaw updates and Nonprofit clarifications.

◆Dance attendance is holding at least thirty (30) members & guests. The question was put to continue with two dances, or change to one dance each month until construction? Hand votes were taken, and two dances a month prevailed. Connie encouraged everyone that we need continued support; encourage your friends to come, purchase raffle tickets and make those new faces feel welcome.

You

- Suggestions: we advertise more about our dances, to our churches and various groups to increase our attendance.
- 50/50 raffles will continue no-matter the number of attendees at each dance.
- ♦ Card and game night suggestion was raised in lieu of a dance? The suggestion was voted down. Card & game night would work only if we used another evening or venue.
- ♦ Hall committee was formed. Leading the way: Gary Orzechowski, Dave Reinke, Helen Wei & Sal Bellestri. Their duty is locating another dance location prior to Community House construction.
- ◆December 22 Christmas Dance will be our potluck or Hors d' Oeuvres night. Bring a dish to share. Doors open 7 pm.
- ◆Dance admission: a motion was raised to increase admission for all attending. Majority voted in favor: \$10.00 member, \$13.00 guests. New membership remains at \$38.00. Renewals remains at \$30.00 and \$45.00 for couples.
- ♦ Regarding Breakfast with Santa at the Community House, the Knights of Columbus will be taking care of serving the families.

Your ideas and suggestions are always welcome. Please email me at dkozlowski1951@att.net.

May the light of love shine upon you, and may your life be filled with blessings in this Christmas season.

# December Birthday's

- 10 David Kozlowski
- 12 Susan O'Connell
- 13 Darlene Janulis
- 19 Pat Pircer





## Mark your Calendar

December 8 - Winter Dance 8:00 pm - 10:45 pm Lesson at 7:45pm

December 22 - Christmas Dance & Pot Luck Doors open at 7pm, Lesson at 7:45pm, Dance 8:00 pm - 10 :45 pm

December 25 - Merry Christmas

January 1 - Happy New Year

January 12 - Dance 8:00 pm - 10:45 pm Lesson at 7:45pm

January 26 - Dance 8:00 pm - 10:45pm Lesson at 7:45pm





### Weather Advisory

If in doubt: Contact any board member or Rochester Community House (248-651-0622) regarding dance cancellations due to road

conditions. All members & guests will be contacted either by phone or e-mail if cancellation is imminent. Your safety is our main concern!

Our mission is to provide support and enrichment necessary to promote a healthy, social and educational environment for single parents, families, single adults, and married couples. We are structured to create an atmosphere where these needs can be addressed and individuals flourish. As a diverse organization, we strive to enrich the community where we live work and play. Five Star Connection, Inc. is a non-profit Corporation that is exempted from Federal Income Tax under Section 501c4 of The Internal Revenue Code.

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