

Mount Holyoke Alumnae Club of the Peninsula

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Fall 2004

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ALUMNAE ASSOCIATION of
MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE

Established in 1872, the Alumnae Association of Mount Holyoke College is legally independent from the College, but interdependent in purpose. Its mission is to support Mount Holyoke College in its commitment to excellence by cultivating an active, independent association of alumnae, who are connected, informed and actively involved in the life and work of the College.

Message from Club Co-Presidents

On behalf of the board greetings and salutations to all of our club members. As many of you know, we now do monthly emails to the club membership. We will also be doing at least two mailings this year to the full club membership with a schedule of events for the Fall/Winter months and the Winter/Spring/Summer months for your planning. We would like to thank Anne Raphael and her board for building the club membership and taking our dues paying members to an all time high last year. These dues allow us to send mailings and plan events and we encourage everyone to support the club this year.

Our goals for this year are to continue providing you with a variety of new and exciting programs and to continue building the club. Anyone interested in hosting a meeting or organizing an event please email anyone on the board so we can add it to the calendar. We look forward to seeing all of you this year at our events.

Jerri Barrett & Janet Chang Co-Presidents

Club Events

Saturday October 9, 2004 1:30 to 3:15 pm
Fall Tea at Lisa's Tea Treasures
1875 South Bascom #165 Campbell, CA
Cost \$25.00

Celebrate Fall with the MHC Club of the Peninsula. A traditional Afternoon Tea will be served including scones, sandwiches and desserts. Noted author Kat Meads will speak and do a reading from her new book, SLEEP.

Space is limited!

RSVP with a check for \$25 payable to the Mount Holyoke Club of the Peninsula **by October 5, 2004**. Send your check to Jerri Barrett 2815 Lexford Avenue San Jose, CA 95124. Questions call 408-265-8384 or email jerrib@mindspring.com. For directions or more info on Lisa's Tea Treasures see <http://lisatea.thewavemedia.com>

Saturday December 4, 2004 11:30 am
Holiday Lunch at Allied Arts
75 Arbor Road Menlo Park, CA

Our annual holiday lunch returns to Allied Arts. **Please save the date!** Additional information will follow.

The Palo Alto Auxiliary began providing lunch at Allied Arts in 1932 to benefit the nearby Stanford Home for Convalescent Children, now the Lucile Salter Packard Children's Hospital. Please contact Janet Chang at ChangJ@iconus.com with questions.

Please send any e-mail updates to anne@raphaelconsulting.com.

Club Events (continued)

Saturday September 18th 2-4 pm

Candlemaking Workshop

It's never too early to get ready for dark winter nights. We are all invited to Anne Raphael's house for hand dipping and pouring candles. Wear old clothes and bring along any old candle ends to melt down. RSVP to Anne Raphael at 650-941-0102 or anne@raphaelconsulting.com. Address is 12820 Viscaino Road, Los Altos Hills

Saturday November 13th 4- 6 pm

Book Group Meeting

In celebration of the our country and the advent of Thanksgiving our book group is reading "Founding Mothers" by Cokie Roberts. The meeting will be held at Jerri Barrett's house at 28151 Lexford Avenue San Jose. Please bring along a treat for everyone to share. To RSVP call 408-265-8384 or e-mail jerrib@mindspring.com.

January 15th 2005

Trip to Ano Nuevo to see Elephant seals

We will have details on the date and time in November & December e-mail announcements and our website www.mhccpeninsula.org. If you are interested in attending please contact Gloria Barnes at 831-338-6612 or gbarnes@prodigy.net.

Club Events 2005

February 2005

Decades Event

Details of the Decades Event will appear in the January newsletter. This first event will be for the classes of the 1930's and 1940's. Anyone interested should contact Anne Rapahel at 650-941-0102 or anne@raphaelconsulting.com.

Announcements

We are saddened to announce the passing of Renate Falkenheim Brewster '48 from cancer. Renate was an active member of this club for decades. She sponsored the MHC book award at Palo Alto High School for many years. If you would like to send a note to her husband Stuart Brewster his address is 1451 Arcadia Place, Palo Alto, CA 94303

DUES : We encourage all alums to pay their dues for this year. Our year is July to June and we need your help to keep the club going this year. Please send your dues to Jill Breckenridge at 2505 Coronet Blvd, Belmont, CA 94022. Due are \$10 for member of classes 1999 – 2004 and classes before 1954. For all other members dues are \$10.

Rides: If you need a ride, please let the event coordinator know. She will work with other attendees to make sure you are taken to and from the event.



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