

# PAGUAY CHATTER



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*"Friends together, working, caring and sharing"*

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## MAY MEETING

Please join us in the Porter House Great Room on Tuesday, May 14 for our regular meeting at 10:00 AM, coffee at 9:30 AM.

Our program will be presented by Dorothy Courtney who will share with us just what a "producer" does to help get a play on stage.



Remember to bring your time sheets, cents-off coupons and other items to support our various projects.

Joye will be our hostess for this meeting.

## OLD-FASHIONED FRIENDSHIP TEA

Thank you to those who set tables for our annual Friendship Tea, and to those who came and brought guests. Thanks also to Jan and Keiko's friends who helped set-up, clean up and organize food trays.



Our programs were well received and the young ladies were delightful.

## AT OLD POWAY PARK

Mark your calendar for the annual Pomerado Band Festival which will be held on Saturday, May 18, 9:50 AM to 7:00 PM and Sunday, May 19, 10:50 to 7:00 PM.



Closing out on Saturday will be the Navy Band Southwest and Sunday the Marine Band

San Diego.

Take a blanket or chair and a picnic and enjoy the music performed by bands from near and far. It's a wonderful way to spend time whether you stay for one band or more.

## UPSTAIRS AT POWPAC

*Exit Laughing* by Paul Elliot opens on May 3<sup>rd</sup> and runs through June 2<sup>nd</sup>. Shows are Friday and Saturday at 8:00 PM and Sundays at 2:00 PM.

"When the biggest highlight of your life for the past thirty years has been your weekly card night out

with the girls, what do you do when one of your foursome inconveniently dies? If you're Connie, Leona and Millie, three southern ladies from Birmingham you do the most daring thing you've ever done. You "borrow" the ashes from the funeral home for

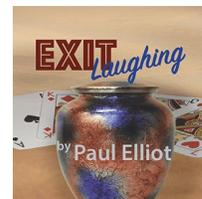
one last card game and the wildest, most exciting night of their lives begins with a police raid, a stripper, laughs and a whole new way of looking at all the fun you can have when you're truly living."

(from powpacwebsite)

Dorothy is the producer for this play and Sherrie helped with the set dressing.

We are really fortunate to have quality live theatre in our community and at an affordable price.

PowPAC's 2019-2020 season "PowPAC Goes to the Movies" will be announced later this month.



Do you remember back in childhood  
How we loved the first day of May?  
When we hung flower-filled baskets  
On doorknobs, then relaxed the dear day away?



Do you remember how the sweetest  
basket

Was for the one we loved the best?

In it went the blossoms and delicious treats  
That were far better than the rest?

Such a beautiful and gracious custom  
Somehow lost along the way  
But the memories still linger  
As we welcome in the Month of May!!!

Author Unkown



### POWAY ONSTAGE

The ever-popular *Capitol Steps* return to Poway Center for the Performing Arts on Friday, May 3 at 8:00 PM.

"The Capitol Steps make it easier to leave public life." —  
Former President George H. W. Bush

*An Evening with Keb Mo* is Saturday, May 18 at 8:00 PM.

### At PCPA

Poway Dance Project Spring Concert, May 4 at 7:00 PM  
and May 5 at 6:00 PM, \$12.00 general admission.

MET2 Presents *Peter Pan*, May 11 at 7:30 and May 12 at  
2:00

Poway Symphony Orchestra presents All Beethoven  
Program, May 19 at 4:00 PM

Twin Peaks and Bernardo Heights Spring Orchestra  
Concert, May 21 at 6:30 PM, free.

PHS Choir Spring Concert, May 30 and May 31 at 7:00  
PM.

### FROM THE FRIENDS

Visit the Friends Book Store for great prices  
on books and mark your calendar for the  
next book sale which will be June 15 and  
16.

### Library Programs:

May 4 @10:00 AM~Coffee painting for  
adults.  
@ 2:00 PM~Poway Library Genealogy  
Group

May 11 @ 10:30 AM~Poway Library Writing  
Group  
@2:00 PM~Acoustic Showcase with  
Lindsay White

May 12 at 1:00 PM~Mother's Day Tea  
Party, first 60 guests

May 18 @ 10:30 PM~Spring Into Action  
Writing Retreat  
@1:00 PM~San Diego Genealogical  
Society with focus on British Isles

May 19 @ 2:00 PM~Jewelry making for  
adults

May 22 @ 6:00 PM~NASA Solar System  
Talk: Mission Juno

May 25 @ 2:00 PM~ Meet local artist  
Romae for a talk about her new exhibition,  
"Lilies Spring to Life" in the library's  
fireplace room. She will share favorite  
poetry and discuss how she used art to help  
her transition to a new way of life. Light  
refreshments will be served.

May 27~Closed

May 28 @ 10:00 AM~Blood pressure  
checks.

*Lilies Spring to Life* art exhibit through May  
31 features garden florals done in  
watercolor and other mediums. created by  
Romae.

Exercise classes continues. Check the  
library calendar for times and other events.

## THE IMAGES OF MOTHER

4 Years of Age:	My Mommy can do anything!
8 Years of Age	My Mom knows a lot! A whole lot!
12 Years of Age	My Mother doesn't really know quite everything.
14 Years of Age:	Naturally, Mother doesn't know that, either.
16 Years of Age:	Mother?
18 Years of Age:	That old woman? She's way out of date!
25 Years of Age:	Well, she might know a little bit about it.
35 Years of Age:	Before we decide, let's get Mom's opinion. :
45 Years of Age:	Wonder what Mom would have thought about it?
65 Years of Age	Wish I could talk it over with Mom.



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## CFWC CONVENTION

The annual CFWC Convention is being held at the Crowne Plaza in Sacramento, May 15 to May 19.



President Barbara will be attending and will bring back lots of up-to-date information to share with club members.

Barbara serves as the CFWC Art Community Service Program Chairman.

## PALOMAR DISTRICT CONVENTION

Barbara, Keiko and Joye attended the Palomar District Convention on April 24 at Cocina del Charro in Escondido.

The founder of Alabaster Jar was the morning speaker and shared her story about the organization that helps sex traffic victims.

The afternoon speaker was CFWC 2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President Membership Chairman who spoke about the benefits of belonging to the Federation.

Poway walked away with a number of first place awards for our narratives.

## THOUGHTS ON MOTHERS

By and large, mothers and housewives are the only workers who do not have regular time off. They are the great vacationless class.

Anne Morrow Lindbergh

**BUT ONLY ONE MOTHER ~**  
Most of all the other beautiful things in life come by twos and threes, by dozens and hundreds. Plenty of roses, stars, sunsets, rainbows, brothers and sisters, aunts and cousins, but only one mother in the whole world.

Kate Douglas Wiggin

## M-O-T-H-E-R

"M" is for the million things she gave me,  
"O" means only that she's growing old,  
"T" is for the tears she shed to save me,  
"H" is for her heart of purest gold;  
"E" is for her eyes, with love-light shining,  
"R" means right, and right she'll always be,  
Put them all together, they spell  
"MOTHER,"  
A word that means the world to me.

Howard Johnson



## MEMBER NEWS

Rachelle will be returning from her motorhome trip next week.



May 3  
May 22

Barbara Lerma  
Cloy Hull

## INTERNATIONAL LUNCH BUNCH

Since Cinco de Mayo is just two days before our lunch we decided to go to Rene's in the Carriage Center.

The center has been sold and the restaurant will be closing, no date has been set. So this may be our last chance to dine there.

Hope to see you there at 12:15 PM.

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## MEMORIAL DAY

Memorial Day has come to mean the beginning of summer, a time for picnics and barbecues, and a holiday to gather around the family. That happiness and freedom, however, is a product of the real cause for the holiday: the sacrifice made by men and women who have fought and died for the freedoms and liberties Americans hold dear. Memorial Day is a time to remember that the American way of life is not cheap but rather has been purchased by the lives and blood of so many who have sacrificed for us to live free and happily now.



(quoted from *familyfriendpoems* website)

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## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

First, many, many thanks to Joye for chairing our recent Old-Fashioned Friendship Tea! It was delightful. And now we know not to cut flower stems straight across and to add water each day to our live floral arrangements. We also enjoyed the performances of Ellie and Katie O'Connell.

We have three fund raising events this year. We just had our Spring Tea, next we have our booth at the Old Fashioned Fourth of July Celebration in Old Poway Park on, yes, your guessed, July 4th! We have sign-ups at our May and June meetings. The event is from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM, with set-up and take-down help needed before and after. Please try to help when you can that day to share the fun work. Yes, it is fun. It's fun to see everyone out and about celebrating our nation's birthday.

Sunday, December 1<sup>st</sup> is our last fund raising event of the year and it's our fun Teddy Bear Holiday Tea. It's a great way to start our holiday

season. Children 10 and under are at a lower ticket price for this tea. When inviting friends and family to support our events, share with them some of the projects we do in the community and organizations we support. Start with the library which we support with our time and money, our scholarships, donations to the PCPA Foundation and PowPAC. We are a very lucky community to have both a professional venue and a wonderful community theater! Check your yearbook to remind yourself of the places we donate to, if you need. Of course, always think of those friends and family too, that you can invite to join us.



Again, just a reminder to keep some time open on July 4th to help at our "Ice Cream Social" booth at Poway's 4<sup>th</sup> of July celebration!

Take care!

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