

"Friendship and service are to The Links, Incorporated, what water and sunshine are to plants."

- author unknown

President's Report – November 2023 Tacoma (WA) Chapter The Links, Incorporated

Hello, my dear Sister,

November is a busy month. In addition to celebrating our founders and our friendships and engaging in a Day of Service, November is also the time when we recognize the everyday service and extraordinary acts of courage and sacrifices our veterans and their families have made for the cause of peace and freedom. We are truly grateful.

Our organization embraces service. There are numerous opportunities for you to relish in friendship and service in the days and months ahead.

Call To Action

Ethics Workshop - The encore broadcast of "Still Keeping Friendship First" is Thursday, November 16, at 6 pm Pacific. Western Area Director Link Karen expects 100% participation. I've included more information below.

New Member Sponsorship - Per the report from the Membership Committee, submissions are due November 15, 2023. Contact Link Kay Wilson Kirby (360-742-4041) for more details.

Friendship Ceremony – Just before the start of the November 18 chapter meeting, we will embrace and reaffirm one of the founding tenets of The Links, Incorporated: friendship. There are no specific attire requirements for this short, in-person ceremony.

Chapter Business Meeting: Saturday, November 18 | 10:10 am - noon | University of Puget Sound, Wheelock Student Center - The Murray Boardroom noon | Breakfast & Morning Chat: 9:30 am

Green & White Friendship Social – Join me for cocktails after the chapter meeting and later on, a night of [American Fusion](#) at the Pantages Theater.

HBCU Giving Campaign – Each member is asked to donate a minimum of \$61.00 to this campaign by Sunday, November 19. Please scan the QR Code on the flyer that was sent earlier and consider a designation to Charles Drew University (CDU). CDU was inadvertently left off the initial list and should be an option on Friday. Checks will also be collected at the November meeting.

December Holiday Social – Hostesses Link Barbara Wesley, Link Pamela Hadley, Link Christina Abby, and Link Mary Green invite you and your family to the LaQuinta Hotel on Saturday, December 17, from 4 – 7 pm.

New Year, Healthier You Health & Wellness Fair – All hands on deck, Saturday, January 6, 2024, 10 am – 2:00 pm.

Thank you for reading this report and the related attachments and taking action.

In friendship and service,
Link Mentha