



Denver Metro Women's Auxiliary

Newsletter

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The Salvation Army
Metro Denver Women's Auxiliary

Invites you to our 48th Annual

Holiday Boutique

Date: Friday & Saturday 4-5 November, 2022
Time: 9:00am to 4:00pm each day

Admission: \$3.00
children 5 and under are free

Location: Quebec Place at Fairmount
430 S. Quebec Street,
Denver, CO 80247

From the heart of the Advisor: Major Cindy Dickinson

Dear Ladies,

As I look out my office windows, I am enjoying the beauty of the gold dome of our State Capitol beaming with the brightness of the Sun's reflection. I also see the trees in downtown with their leaves full of beautiful Fall colors. Seeing the Capitol and the trees shining with such brightness my thoughts turn toward the word of God. Matthew 15: 14-16 says, "You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden. Nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a stand, and it gives light to all in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in heaven." As we near time for our Holiday Boutique I am also reminded of another light that shined brightly through our sister Tina Grimmer. She reflected God's love just as the Capitol dome brightly reflects the sun. She loved life. She loved teaching, she loved serving, she loved The Salvation Army, she loved the Women's Auxiliary, and most of all she loved God. The Holiday Boutique was not only a way to raise money to help those in need, but it was another wonderful opportunity to shine for Jesus while giving all glory to God. In this season of Fall I hope you look at the golden leaves and be reminded of the beauty that comes from shining brightly for Jesus.



From the heart of the President: Mary Whitehurst

We had a great Fall General Meeting at High Peak Camp in September. There is just something really nice about being in the mountains, away from the city. It's a nice break whether for a few hours or a day or two.

We are just days away from the Holiday Boutique! While we miss Tina she has guided us over the years and we have all stepped up and we are ready. As always we need cookies for the Tea Table and all kinds of baked and canned goods for Mother Hubbard's Cupboard. More information is on the Holiday Boutique page in this newsletter.

I know we will have another great event and I look forward to seeing you all there.

I wish everyone Happy Thanksgiving and a Blessed and Merry Christmas!

Mary





Holiday Boutique

November 4-5, 2022

2022 HOLIDAY BOUTIQUE

Welcome to our 48th year for the biggest Fundraising Event "The Holiday Boutique". This will be the first year without our beloved Tina, so please have patience.

November 3rd is set-up day for the 2022 Holiday Boutique, hopefully the trucks will be there at 8:00 and unloaded as time permits. But as you all might recall traffic is not always predictable so be patient with delivery of tables and set up furniture, items, boxes etc. We have help from some of the men residents to help with lifting, etc. We have till 4:30 to complete our set-up.

We will be open for the public both November 4th Friday & November 5th Saturday 9:00 to 4:00.

We have many helpers coming besides members, their families, Salvation Army officers, and some retired officers. And if you are able to entice more help that would be great. As always, the more baked goods for Mother Hubbard's Cupboard the better and the BEST is having lots of home-made Christmas cookies for the Tea Table.

Currently we need help with Mother Hubbard's Cupboard on Wednesday with pricing and laying out of baked and canned goods, please call Kathy Tedrick if you are able to help on Wednesday. Once you are finished with your area please circulate and see if others could use your expertise in setting up.

Tickets have been mailed. Please invite as many new people as possible. We need to get the word out for new buyers. Thank you everyone for your personal effort and dedication.

God Bless You all,
Betty Faubion and Mary Whitehurst

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard

Auxiliary members have been so very appreciated year after year for their contributions to Mother Hubbard's Cupboard at the Doll Tea. At the Cupboard, we sell freshly baked goods such as cakes, bars, cookies, candies, pies, and breads, or sealed quality canned items such as salsa, jams, jellies, beets, and pickles. Your donations for this year's Doll Tea would be an invaluable contribution again.

The following are things to know about donating items:

For sanitary reasons please have fresh donated food items on a plate or in a container sealed with clear wrap, so it is ready to be priced upon arrival.

Please make note of any item containing nuts.

Make note of any items that are gluten-free.

Items may be delivered each morning of Nov. 3rd, 4th or 5th.

You can also call me to arrange for Kathy to pick up your items: Her number is 303-906-6440.

It would be appreciated very much if you could include a list of each of the item(s) you bring. The list should include your name, each item you are donating, and your suggested price. Having the suggested price would help us to know your expenses and time. If you bring any items from someone who is not a member, please include their address. We will have forms to fill out when you bring your items, if that is easier for you.

Thank you again for your wonderful generosity!

Kathy Tedrick

Mother Hubbard's Cupboard, Chair

Fall General Meeting

We had good attendance at the Fall General Meeting at High Peak Camp! It was wonderful to spend a few hours at this beautiful place in the mountains. We learned about the Grants that were allocated from last year's Holiday Boutique. It's so inspiring to see how we are able to bless the Corps and Programs with extra funds to purchase such a variety of items that are outside their budgets. We viewed a slideshow of some of the items. We met the current woman Camp officer, Captain Becky Helms, and the new Camp Director, James Johnson. What a team! They are inspiring and motivating! Every session of this summers children's camp has been full and successful in every way. We were blessed to have a guest from the Centennial Corps Board and a guest from the Broomfield Corps Board. After the meeting and lunch several Auxiliary ladies explored Camp. Being at High Peak Camp is restful, peaceful, inspiring and feeds the soul.

Pictures below are a small sampling of our day. Please go to our webpage to see all of the pictures of our day at Camp.

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Capt Becky and Camp Director James Johnson



Pictures of the meeting

Betty enjoying the Col George Church Memorial Bench



Jane, Chris and Sue at the new climbing wall



Doing the most good.....

Denver Metro Women's Auxiliary Grants for 2022 - Approved

Amount	Corps/Program	Descriptions
\$ 3,500	Aurora Corps	Furniture, décor, and games for new Teen Room; basketball hoop; kitchen: mixing bowls, sheet pans, frying pans
\$ 3,500	Broomfield Corps	Ice machine, cotton candy machine, wagon carts, wobble stools & cushions, library books; Cricut equipment
\$ 3,500	Centennial Corps	TV, costumes, fog machine, stage props, bubble machine, snow cone machine, tents; ukuleles; couches for teen room; heat press
\$ 3,500	Denver Citadel	A stage piano, music equipment, and live streaming equipment; PA system; Cricut equipment
\$ 3,500	Denver Red Shield	Draft tables, work benches, tools, heat guns, power strips, paint brushes for their new Create Night program; \$1,000 toward sound panels
\$ 3,500	High Peak Camp	Portable soccer nets; paddles and life jackets for their donated canoes; inflatable bunkers for donated archery game
\$ 3,500	Housing Now	125 Ten-ticket bus ticket booklets
\$ 3,500	Lambuth	Activities and events for the children in their program
\$28,000	2022 Grants Total	



Please go to the Auxiliary webpage to see more pictures of the Grants.

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