

The Women's College Club of Princeton Newsletter

October 2020

President's Message

Well, here we are. Living in the world of Zoom, masks, soap with a whole lot of alcohol in it, and missing getting together in person and up close and personal with friends and families. Our first meeting of the year with Ingrid Reed, however, changed all of that. What a treat! Ingrid was brilliant, fun, informative and it was so great to see 29 or so faces and hear those voices as we learned about the upcoming issue of voting by mail. I managed to exclude Barbara Baran by confusing her with someone else so she never managed to attend the meeting; some of you I could not unmute, and there were a lot of hiccups. We did, however, have a meeting, learn a lot, and saw friends. So onward and upward. If you had a problem that was not addressed, please let me know and I can try to fix it. I am so grateful to Janet Reiche, Bonnie Larson, Helen Ju, Nora Ananos, Connie Loukatos, Barbara Baran, Beverly Kestenis, Elaine Rafferty, Gay Culin, Danuta Buzdygan, and Ruth Eiger for joining me in practice Zoom meetings. The meetings last about an hour or a little more and all are welcome. We try to improve the technique of online meetings and catch up with friends. Lord knows, I need all the help I can get and am so grateful for their support and laughter.

By the time this newsletter is out Bonnie will have gotten rid of the dead mouse in her kitchen; I will have learned how to turn off the camera when unexpected people show up at participants' spaces; and I will have convinced Nora to use her studio as a backdrop for her space. She has a wonderful street scene in the works. And just wait until you see the Panda behind Helen Ju! Just call me so you can join us in this new world of fascinating interiors as we all learn. And because it's a Zoom world, it's easy to invite friends (just forward them the invitation email) to join us on Monday, October 19th to learn about Covid-19 and Women's health issues. No problem parking or getting on the bus.

Kathy Hutchins

PROGRAM FOR OCTOBER Monday, October 19, 1 PM

COVID-19 and Women's Health in 2020



Join us for an interesting presentation by Dr. Cherot on COVID-19 and women's health issues. In the current environment, this is a timely talk. Bring your questions. There will be time at the end to address any issues that you

may have.

Dr. Elizabeth Cherot is an established and highly skilled physician with over 20 years of experience in obstetrics and gynecology. In addition to her expert clinical skills, she is committed to improving OB/GYN care, reducing morbidity and mortality while implementing cost reduction and providing an efficient business model for today's OB/GYN practice.

She completed undergraduate studies at Johns Hopkins University and obtained her medical degree at the University of Rochester in New York. While a resident at the University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry Strong Memorial Hospital, she engaged in several research projects resulting in publications and was honored with membership in the Alpha Omega Alpha Medical Honor Society. Upon completion of her residency, Dr Cherot headed south working as an OB/GYN at Eastside Women's Specialists in Birmingham, Alabama. From there she relocated to New Jersey taking a position at UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School as faculty and clinician. Here her leadership skills were demonstrated as she was instrumental in creating and overseeing a new residency training program at a local community hospital. In this role, she created an award-winning curriculum, established a financially independent business model, recruited faculty and mentored medical students. She is currently Assistant Clinical Professor at this institution.

She completed the Executive MBA at Johns Hopkins University Carey School of Business in 2016. She has been awarded numerous honors throughout her career including several National Excellence in Teaching Awards. She has given numerous

presentations including such topics as “Value Based Specialty Care” and “Enhanced Recovery Program for Cesarean Delivery”. She has been instrumental in launching a midwifery program and newly designed Birthing Center which opened in the 2019 at St. Peters University Hospital.

The general meetings will be held on Zoom.

BEFORE EACH MEETING, KATHY HUTCHINS WILL SEND OUT AN EMAIL WITH INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO DIAL INTO THE MEETINGS.

LUNCHING OUT

Our Lunching Out group has been unable to go out for lunch due to the pandemic. Until we feel comfortable going to restaurants as a group, I will host lunch on my patio, weather permitting. Bring your lunch and something to drink, if you want to bring a chair, do so. I have some chairs, but may not have enough.

Our first lunch will be on Monday, October 12, at noon. My address is 22 Cranbury Neck Rd, Cranbury. My phone number is 609-655-2663 and my email is bonniejlarson63@comcast.net. If you want to join us, please me know by Saturday, October 10.

Bonnie Larson

BOARD MEETING

The October board meeting will be on Tuesday, Oct. 6 at 10 AM on Zoom.

MEMBERSHIP

If you have not paid your dues yet, please do so using the attached form.

If you know of women who would like to join, please contact Membership Chair, Alyce Conlon, alymar@comcast.net or 609-448-7064.

NEW INTEREST GROUPS

Are you interested in starting a new group? Perhaps a walking group, a movie group (watch a movie at home and then discuss it on zoom), a cocktail group on zoom? If any of these ideas are of interest to you, please contact Bonnie Larson, bonniejlarson63@comcast.net. If there is enough interest, we will form new groups.

AMAZON SMILE

A painless way to add money to our scholarship fund is through Amazon Smile. Go to Amazon.com and sign up for this program for free. Then shop on Amazon and donate to the Women’s College Club of Princeton.

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Membership Renewal Application

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(Dues requested by July 31, 2020)

Scholarship Fund \$ _____

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All members who joined after the September 2019 Directory was printed please complete the following Directory information form. Please print legibly.

Members **in** the September 2019 Directory only need to give changes or corrections to your Directory entry.

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(If you are known by another name, or nickname, please give it in parentheses.)

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