

## HISTORY

In the spring of 1977, Carolyn Lefevre, president of the senior Women's Club of Oakland Park, came to Rose Booth with the suggestion that she organize a Junior Club. Rose accepted the idea and, after much prepatation, the first meeting of the Junior Women's Club of Oakland Park was held on July 13, 1977, with nine women in attendance. Rose was elected temporary chairman, working under the guidance of Nancy White, District 13 Junior Director.

At the next meeting, a bylaws committee was formed, and at the September meeting the bylaws were adopted. In October regular officers were elected. It was later decided to have a Tupperware party as the club's first money-raising project. In addition, members began to discuss the possibility of putting on a puppet show, to be presented at local schools and hospitals, as a project for Christmas. Both of these plans were ultimately carried out quite successfully. At another meeting, the Oakland Park paramedics gave a demonstration of cardiopulmonary resuscitation and showed a film on heart disease.

With the advent of the New Year, 1978, club members felt that it was most important to begin strengthening the membership. With this in mind, a membership tea was planned for February, using the theme of "Reaching Out for Friendship." This idea was chosen because the club is reaching out for new friends to become members, then the group as a whole will be able to effectively reach out to its friends in the community as a dynamic service organization.

The name of this club shall be "The Junior Women's Club of Oakland Park."

ARTICLE II - OBJECT

The object of this organization shall be to work hazmoniously towards community involvement within the community as a whole.

ARIICIE III - SPONSOR
This organization shall be sponsored by the Senior Women's Club of Oakland Park.

ARZICLE IV - MEMBERS
Section I
The zembership of this club shall consist of young women not less than 18 or more than 40 years of age and who are interested in the club's objectives. Applicants for membership must attenc one meeting and at this time fill out an information sheet. Upon $2 / 3^{\prime}$ s ballot vote of the Board, the Membership Chairman will notify the new member that upon payment of dues by the next regular meeting, she will be enrolled as a new member.

Section II
It is expected that membexs pay their dues, attend 8 of 10 meetings, and are interested and willing to promote the objectives of this club.

Section III
If it happens that a club member misses more than 2 meetings or fails to pay her dues, this club nember is subject to the Board's review.

Section IV
A member wishing to resign must submit a letter of resignation to the Board.

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## Section I

The officers of this prganization shall be President, Vice President, Membership Chairman, Secretary and Treasurer. Officers shall be elected to serve one year.

SECTION II - DUTIES OF OFFICERS
A. PRESIDENT - Shall preside at all general and Board meetings of the club.
B. VICE PRESIDENT - Shail assist the President and shall preside in her absence.
C. MEHBERSHTP CHATRNAN - Shall be responsibie for membership duties and shall preside in the absence of the President and Vice President. D. SECRETARY - Shall keep correct records of all meetings of the club and the Board. She shall prepare for the President from the minutes of each meeting a memorandum of unfinished business. She shall call the roll at cach meeting. E. TREASURER - Shall handle all monies of the club, keeping a correct record of all receipts and disbursements and of the amount on hand.

APIICLE VI - BOARD OF DIRECTORS
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Section II
The immediate past president shall serve as Chajman of the nominating committee, serve as chairman for installation of officers, and serve as chaimman of the bylaws committee.

ARTICLE VII - ELECTIONS

## Section I

Nominations for officers shall be made by a committee of five. The immediate past president shall be chaimman, and the other four members shall be elected by the ciub at the meeting in Maこcin.

The Nomination Committee shall read and post at the business meeting in April the names of nominees for each office. Nominations from the floor may be made at this time.

## Section III

Officers shall be elected at the business meeting in May. Nominations from the floor may be made at this time, providing the consent of the nominee has been obtained. A majority vote of the membership present shall be required to elect officers.

## Section IV

Officers shall be installed in May and take office the first business meeting in June. .

## ARTICLE VIII - MEETINGS

## Section I

Regular meetings of the club shall be held on the first Monday of the month, except July and August, unless otherwise ordered by the Board of Directors. If a meeting falls on a holiday, it will be held the following Monday. The Board of Directors shall meet on the fourth Monday of each month, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

## ARTICLE IX - DUES

## Section I

A. The fiscal year begins on June 1. The annual dues shall be $\$ 10.00$, payable on June 1 .
B. An initiation fee of $\$ 3.00$ shall be paid by each new member. When new members are enrolled after January 1, only one-half of the annual dues are payable.

## ARTICLE X - DEPARTMENTS AND COMMITTEES

## Section I

The President shall have the authority to appoint chairman for any department or special committees for which the need may arise.

## Section I

One-half plus one of the active membership shall constitute a quorum for all regular and special meetings of the club. Three members shall constitute a quorum for the Board of Director's. meeting.

ARTICLE XII - PARLIAMENTARY AUTHORITY
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ARTICLE XIII - AMENDMENTS
These bylaws may be amended by prior written notification to each member before the next regular meeting. At the regular meeting a $2 / 3^{\prime}$ s vote of the recorded membership is needed to change a bylaw.

PRESIDENT: Billie Fogle

VICE PRESIDENT: Sue Campbell

MEMBERSHIP CHATRMAN: Rose Booth

SECRETARY: Eileen Dunlap
TREASURER: Lou Hendrix

COMMITTEE CHATRMEN
DEVOTIONAL: Barbara Melrose
HOSPITAIITY: Loretta Davis

PROGRAM: Imma Doerfier

RROJECT: Barbara Melrose

SOCIAL: Kathy Cicchese


[^0]:    Dues for the club are $\$ 10.00$ annually, with a $\$ 3.00$ initiation fee for new members.

