

KWN Community

A Monthly Newsletter for members of Kenosha Women's Network

August 2022

Kenosha
Women's
Network



Growing Together, Rooted in the Community

A Note from our President

Hello KWN Members and Friends,

Guida and her committee have been diligently adding people to our newsletter list with an "Opt-In" feature. We have always welcomed friends to our lunch meetings and events. I hope more great women will join us when they get to know us online.

Summer seems to be flying by. Five of us attended the free Tuesday night outdoor jazz concert on the lake. It was my first this year. I liked it so much, I am going back Tuesday, August 9, on my birthday. "Yesterday's Children" will be performed. Feel free to join me after 6:00 PM at Anderson Arts Center on the south side of the building. Bring a chair or a blanket, snack and beverages are available.

Three months ago, 5 KWN members took a ride to The Red Oak Restaurant, in Bristol, for dinner and drinks. It's owned by KWN member Adeline Carney. The menu changes every two months and it's farm to table. Join me Wednesday, August 17, and check it out. We may be able to sit on the patio. I'll be there from 5:00- 7:00ish. Let me know if you want to join me.

Try new things, be spontaneous, make memories, enjoy the great weather. One day, you're going to wake up and wonder, "how can I be old enough for Medicare?"

See you in August!

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Our Mission:

To promote and encourage the professional and personal growth of our members in a supportive environment, where women's efforts are recognized and encouraged.

August meeting

KWN's August meeting will be held on August 12th, 2022 at The Woman's Club,

6028 8th Ave, Kenosha

11:30am networking,

12:00pm lunch

We'll be enjoying a delicious summer lunch from Morelli's Deli & catering:

Choices are:

Chef's Salad with fresh fruit, cookie & water

Or

Italian Beef sandwich, fresh fruit, cookie & water

Lunch costs \$15. Please RSVP with your choice of entrée by end of day on the 9th.

[Click here](#) to buy your ticket.

The link is also on the website.



Join KWN at the ballpark for the last game of the season!



All our pre-purchased tickets for the Kingfish season finalé on August 11th are sold, but if you would still like to join us, contact a member of the Events committee and they will check with the box office.



**Partisan Primary
Election,
August 9th, 2022**

Gallery updates:

We want all our members to be featured on the KWN website member gallery! People do business with those they know, like and trust and the first step is recognizing your fellow KWN members! If you don't have a picture currently on the gallery, please [click this link](#). You can submit your own headshot or arrange to have one taken at the next meeting.

KWN Welcomes:

Kitt Stephenson

We're Glad You're Here!

[Member Directory.](#)

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August's Wise Women Read Choice: *Verity*

KWN's Wise Women Read Book Discussion Group is at 6:30 p.m. on August 9 at Blue House Books, 5915 6th Ave. A, Kenosha, and we'll be discussing *Verity* by Colleen Hoover. The *EveryGirl* says this about the book: "It created quite the chain reaction, and now, those who have not yet read it are in the minority. Obviously, this means it is a great book, but the real reason we can't stop talking about it is because of the story – it is truly the most shocking book I have ever read. It also started a huge internet book debate about what really happened, so you'll be wrapped up in this world even after you finish reading."

The book has also received high praise from our own club members, too! Amanda Blommel read it in ONE DAY, so you, too, can get it, read it, and join us on August 9. We'd love to have you, and you would love to join us! Book club is one of the best nights of the month for the members!

And don't forget to mark your calendar for the meeting on September 13 when we'll be discussing "The Personal Librarian". This book has been hailed as "Historical fiction at its best!" by *Good Morning America*.

"A remarkable novel about J. P. Morgan's personal librarian, Belle da Costa Greene, the Black American woman who was forced to hide her true identity and pass as white in order to leave a lasting legacy that enriched our nation, from *New York Times* bestselling authors Marie Benedict and Victoria Christopher Murray."

Fun in the Summertime for Members and Friends!

On Tuesday, July 26, a group of KWN members had so much fun at Twilight Jazz that we're doing it again...this time at Peanut Butter and Jam! Join us on Thursday, August 18, to see Jonny Lyons and the Pride! Peanut Butter and Jam is at 54th Street and 6th Avenue, and the music starts at 6 p.m. The Membership Committee will be there, and they want to be sure that we can all sit together, so they have set up a GoogleDoc for you to RSVP: <https://forms.gle/7qymW8tZb69kFxF48> no later than noon on Thursday, August 18, to let them know how many will be joining!

Bring a lawn chair or blanket to enjoy the music, and there's food and beverages onsite to purchase or you can bring your own! Or, make it a completely fun and free event! Just join us!

Here are a couple of pictures from Twilight Jazz in July!



August Speaker

Our August speaker is Jeff Kersten, Agency Liaison, Division of Trade & Consumer Protection, from the Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection's (DATCP). The agency's goal is to educate the public about identity theft, privacy protection, and other consumer protection topics. We're forcing Jeff to give a truncated version of his talk, so bring your questions; this information is going to be good!

We hope to have the candidates for Kenosha County Sheriff speak at lunch in September, but we have to wait until after the primary on August 9 to book the Republican candidate.



THANK YOU TO OUR MEMBERS WHO DONATED RAFFLE PRIZES IN JULY

The list has gone AWOL but we know you are awesome.

Make a donation (valued at \$10 or more) to our monthly raffle and get your name and business mentioned in our monthly newsletter!

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Mini grant recipients 2022

If you missed the July meeting, video of all the grant recipients is posted on the web site. Click [here](#) to view. As you can see, we have already received a “thank you” letter from one of our nonprofits!

You can help!

Have you liked our Facebook Page? One of the best ways to get our organization in front of new people, is to share our posts with your family and friends! The picture of the mini grant recipients has reached 1,141 people so far, with 121 engagements and 6 shares. If you share pictures of a KWN event, tag us! Commenting on our posts helps boost our reach too!

Show your KWN pride! Let all your “Facebook Friends” know what a great organization we are!



FREE
Lunch & Learn Workshops
for High-Achieving Women

Wednesdays in August from 12:00 - 12:30 pm C'T

8/3:	POWERFUL THOUGHTS TO GET ANY RESULT
8/10:	WHY SELF-DOUBT IS STRESSING YOU OUT
8/17:	GET YOUR LIFE OFF AUTO-PILOT
8/24:	PERMISSION TO DREAM (WHAT DO YOU REALLY WANT?)
8/31:	WHY DISCOMFORT IS A GOOD THING

Jen Laffin Coaching

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Scan to register



July 14, 2022

Kenosha Women's Network
7832 23rd Ave.
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Dear KWN,

Thank you so much for your recent donation of \$1000 to the Westosha Senior Community Center! Seniors will enjoy the safety and updated look of the dining chairs this funding makes possible.

Also, it was an honor to be included in the luncheon with all the wonderful organizations you were recognizing. Their work in the community touching so many lives in so many positive ways was truly inspiring and reinforcing.

Your donation truly promotes our mission to help seniors live longer, stronger, healthier lives.

Again, thank you for thinking of seniors with your continued support of the Westosha Senior Community Center, and thank you for your philanthropic work supporting the community.

Sandy K Jacoby
Administrative Director
Westosha Senior Community Center

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Kenosha's
Bridal
Expo

At The Vault
625 57th St.
August 14th 10-3

Planning a wedding?
Stop in and meet
photographers, florists, DJ's,
and much more!