Croatan Women's Club Meeting January 9, 2023

The January 2023 Croatan Women's Club Meeting **"How to Host a Mermaid Happy Hour"** took place at the beautiful home of Jen Alex on Monday January 9, 2023.

Meeting began with the Women's Club celebrated Mixologist Anne Kubick, demonstrating how to make various Cosmopolitan Recipes . Anne gave us many tips on ways to make our own infused ingredients . Anne also gave us tips on what is needed to stock a good home bar.

SPIRITS

Vodka Gin Light Rum White Tequila Bourbon Whiskey Blended Scotch Single Malt Scotch Brandy

VERMOUTH

Dry Sweet Campari Angostura Bitters Orange Bitters

SPARKLING WINE

Champagne Prosecco Cava

LIQUEURS

Triple Sec/ Cointreau Curacao Maraschino Cherries Luxardo Cherries Kahlua Crème de Cassis Irish Cream Amaretto

<u>OTHER</u>

SUGAR SYRUP OR GOMME GRENADINE LIMES AND LEMONS SALT AND PEPPER SUGAR

GLASSES

Old Fashion or Rocks Cocktail- Martini or Coupe Highball Flute Red/ White Wine Several Hors d'oeuvres were also served. – as examples: Beautiful Charcuterie board Blanched Asparagus with Wasabi, mayo, soy sauce and lemon juice dressing, Meatball Sliders Ham and Cheese Sliders

Jo Called Meeting to order: Thanked everyone for their generous donations to Toys for Tots given at CWC Christmas Meeting

We have a new Memorial Flag for June Price McLaughlin Strader former Croatan Women's Club Member . Placement date to be determined at our memorial bridge.

Board- minus 1 will have photo taken for article for Croatan Stroll Magazine. Jo also requested photos for Halloween and Christmas Meetings so they can be in article

New members introduced

Treasurer Report- We have 53 paying members. We have approximately \$1500. for the remaining 5 meetings.

Member Directory discussed. Previously we did one with Members photos included. Some people do not want to be included and can opt out.

New members introduced and present current members went around the room introducing themselves.

Upcoming meetings

February 13- GALantine Party- Home of Jo Anne Burke Kerry Lane – Sweets and Champagne. Parking on street available.

March 13- Craft Night

April 10- Green Day

May 8 - Croatan Met Gala

June 12- Beach Bash Party

Jen Alex announced she's moving out of Croatan so this was her last meeting.

Meeting adjourned and members continued to enjoy the fellowship that is the Croatan Women's Club.

Respectfully submitted,

Debbie Kurtz, Vice President