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2014-16 Officers
(l-r) Barbara Bixon, Treasurer; Etta Schaeffer, 2nd Vice Pres.; Elaine Bossick, 1st Vice Pres.; Cora Lee Palma, President; Sheila Firestone, Recording Secretary and JoJo Harder, Corresponding Secretary.

(l-r) Newly elected president, Cora Lee Palma poses with installing officer, Chaplain Barbara Lunde.



Outgoing president Mary Twitty (left) presents Carol White with the Boca Raton Branch's "Pen Woman of the Year" award. Carol has worn many hats, serving as Recording Secretary, Publicity Chair, and as Letters Chair, arranging for many Book Talks and writing contests.

ACCOLADES to Our New Prez, Cora Lee Palma, who made arrangements for a fabulous Fashion Show, presented and narrated by Pam Wunderlich, manager of Patchington, Delray Beach.

A colorful preview, of this seasons' spring and summer items, were modeled by the following Pen-Women: Roberta Melman, Joni Sack, Carol White, Etta Schaeffer, Dara Viane and her daughter, Alexine.

The Patchington Boutique donated a \$25.00 gift certificate for the monthly raffle, which was won by prospective member, Michelle Putnik.

For a second look at the fabulous fashions and our lovely pen women, visit to our Boca Branch's website: www.bocapenwomen.org and click on: **EVENTS.**

NEW PATRONS ARE WELCOMED!



Outgoing Membership Vice President, Mary Unterbrink (center) presents Patron Certificates to Estelle Harriet (l) and Myrna Seif (r).

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Planning to Enter the Boca Branch's Show & Sale at the Armory Art Center?

This coming fall, the Armory Art Center in West Palm Beach is giving our branch a wonderful opportunity for exposure. They will host an exhibit of our Boca Pen Women's art works from Saturday, October 18 to Monday, November 10.

Those planning to participate, need to contact Joni Sack, right away, for an application, which you need to fill out and return to her, along with your entry fee. A reception is planned for Friday, Oct. 14, from 6-8 p.m. The Art Center will do all the hanging of the artworks, as well as handle promotions, invitations, post cards, signage, and P.R. services. Sold work will have a 30% commission to the Armory and 70% to the artist.

Contact Joni by calling 561-391-9938 or emailing her @ heresjoni@bellsouth.net.

DO IT TODAY! Don't be left out!



Mystery Winner ??

The mystery gal, whose name we didn't have in last month's newsletter, is **Marcia Braff**. She is a special friend of Sheila Firestone and Elisa Eisenman. All three of them won our art raffle drawings!

Lucky Friends, indeed!

Dropped Members

The following have been dropped from our membership roster, due to illness, non-payment of dues, moving out of the area/state/country, or at a personal request:

Diane Diamantis
Pirjo Friedman
Shirlee J. Madden
Arlene Rodman
Toby Rosenstrauch
Judith Slater

Please adjust your yearbooks to reflect these changes.

From Your Editor . .

Dear Pen Women Sisters,

Just a note to say what a pleasure it has been to serve the Boca Raton Branch as, not only your treasurer for the past six years, but also as your Pen & Palette editor.

I have attempted to bring you timely information and photographs concerning the branch and its members, while attempting to whet your interest to serve the branch in some capacity.

I have been a Pen Woman for 36 years, and it has been an integral part of my life and that of my family. (You all saw my daughter dance for you at April's National Dance Month program.)

Don't hesitate to step forward and add your talents in assisting the newly elected officers.

Bless you all as the Boca Branch goes forward in achieving good works in Art—Letters—and Music.

Sincerely,
Pat Wilson