Pen and Palette

Boca Raton NLAPW www.bocapenwomen.org September/October 2022



MUSIC...ART...LETTERS

In the Loop: Your Board at Work

To the lovely Pen Women of the Boca Raton Branch.

Our first luncheon of the year will be here sooner than you think. So, make sure you get your luncheon checks in before the deadline. Believe me, you don't want to miss Angela Page's informative and exciting presentation.

Who knows. You may discover that there's a Screenwriter, Producer, or Director locked deep inside waiting to escape. Angela Page may be the one to help you crack that creative lock and set your screenwriting and movie-making ideas free!

Can't wait to see you all.

Best always,

Michelle Putnik President

> PLEASE SEE PAGE 4 For Luncheon information And please send your check in well before the deadline OCTOBER 1, 2022

MEMBER NEWS

Louise Parente will present her book *Parting Is Such Sweet Sorrow, Saying Goodbye to an Eating Problem,* at the two venues below. She will discuss challenges with eating disorders, their connection in grief and loss, communication, and relationship with food:

On September 12th, 11:30 a.m. at The Hunterdon County Division of Senior, Disabilities & Veterans' Services Flemington, New Jersey

On October 17th, 6:00 p.m. at the Raritan Library, in Raritan, New Jersey.

The following libraries have accepted her book for circulation:

New York University Bobst, Kean University, Raritan Valley Community College, Princeton, Raritan County, Somerset County public libraries North Palm Beach, Boynton Beach public libraries.



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Barbara M. Wolk plans to give book talk on her novel, *Mother In Name Only* to The Book Club of The Reform Temple in Laguna Woods Village, Ca., on September 13th. Barbara was interviewed by The Publishing Club of Laguna Woods on YouTube on August 17th. To purchase book, click here: <u>https://tinyurl.com/yck5nzwu</u>



ALL ABOUT ART (Continued on next page)

Fran Mann Goodman will have a presentation, "Painting a Picture of Abstract Expressionism" on September 15th. Please come and bring your friends for a lively discussion. Fran welcomes all questions, thoughts, and opinions. Please see information on the next page.

PAINTING A PICTURE OF ABSTRACT EXPRESSIONISM SEPTEMBER 15, 5:30—6:30 PM



JOIN AWARD-WINNING VISUAL ARTIST FRAN MANN GOODMAN AS SHE EXPLORES THE NATURE OF ABSTRACT EXPRESSIONISM

VIEW JAW-DROPPING PAINTINGS FROM HER BEGINNER STUDENTS EXPLORE FRAN'S TECHNIQUES FOR "MAKING OVER" HER PAINTINGS

LEARN HOW LEE KRASNER, WIFE OF JACKSON POLLACK, MADE OVER HER PAINTINGS

www.franmanngoodman.com franspaintbox@yahoo.com

This is a Free Workshop. It is a gift from the Library and Fran, currently exhibiting in the Wild + Color Exhibit at the Highland Beach Library until September 28th.

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MUSIC NOTES

On Saturday April 30, 2022, at 2-3:30 p.m., The Music Performance and Music Awards took place at the Pen Arts Building in Washington, D.C. The 2020 and 2022 winners were announced. **Sheila Firestone** presented *The Forest Primeval*, her first-place 2020 award and the *Lakeside Walk with Joe* her third-place piece, as well as a newly written song called "Bridges of Love" sung by Matt Butterfield. Grace Joy Reid played her second-place prize-winning work. Each performed and discussed several of their works including their winning selections.

Pictured below is Sheila with Dawna Hammers who won the 2022 first place Vinnie Ream Music Award for *Deep Inside*, and Grace Joy Reid who won Second Place for her *Rhapsody in E minor for Piano and Cello*.



Sheila Firestons (L) Dawna Hammers (C) Grace Joy Reid (R)



Here's Sheila discussing her music.

Boca Raton Branch National League of American Pen Women Opening Luncheon Featuring Film Producer Angela Page Wednesday, October 12, 2022 12:00 NOON

Indian Spring Country Club – 11501 EL Clair Ranch Rd – Boynton Beach, FL 33437 **For Directions: 561-737-5544**

Angela Page left a successful career as a finance executive to follow her heart and her talent. Learn how she became an author and award-winning playwright and filmmaker. See video clips of Angela's films and hear her inspiring personal story.



Enjoy a lavish buffet luncheon, including salad, grilled salmon, sliced sirloin, fresh vegetables, rolls, fresh fruit and pastry, and beverages. Bid on fabulous items at our Chinese raffle. Cash or check only for raffle tickets.

Parking: Our luncheons will be held in the downstairs men's card room. Drive into the main entrance and make a left turn toward the tennis courts. There's lots of regular and handicapped parking. Take the short walk to the lower clubhouse entrance. Card room is a few feet away on the left side.

PLEASE SIGN UP TODAY!

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DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF CHECKS: October 1, 2022

Boca Raton NLAPW 2022-23 Luncheon Dates – Wednesdays at the Indian Spring Country Club

- 2022: October 12 November 9 December 14
- 2023: January 11 February 8 March 8 April 12



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