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Make a Reservation
Our first general membership program is coming up on Sep. 8!

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Kicking Off the Year

The WPOSC is in full swing! It was a joy to see the energy of our activity leads at last month’s Welcome and Information Fair as they embraced new members. I am blown away at the number of connections being fostered by their efforts. Friendships are growing, support systems are forming, and a lot of exciting activities are happening each week. In fact, the WPOSC calendar is overflowing with opportunities for you to connect with other spouses nearly every weekday this month. Members are gathering to hike, dance, eat, drink, sing, paint, play games, perform, create cards, discuss books, enjoy antiques, take photos, and serve others. With 18 activity groups, there is a lot to choose from!

If you’ve not yet plugged in, I encourage you to try a new group and/or reconnect with an old one. Don’t miss out on the opportunity to engage with other members – our activity groups are truly the heart of our club!

As we continue in the progression of our club’s history, this month we look back to where it all began, 1944. Our feature story captures the very beginning of what we know now as the Wright-Patterson Officers’ Spouses’ Club. I think you will find that the purpose of our organization today is still very similar to the original goals of the Patterson Field Woman’s Club. Although the club has adapted and changed in many ways, we have timelessly supported spouses and their service members throughout the decades.

I hope you enjoy this issue’s feature story, as we dance through 1944!

Sincerely,

Melissa Troxel
22-23 WPOSC President

Call for Contributions

We are searching for contributors for future issues in the following categories:
- Memorable OWC/OSC stories prior to 2000
- Spouse stories during wartime/deployment
- Veteran stories of all time periods
- Stories of OWCs/OSC during Christmastime

Are you a military veteran? Let us know so we can recognize you in a future issue!

Please send your:
- Name
- Rank
- Branch of service
- Years of service

Have another idea for an article our membership would enjoy reading? Contact the Newsletter Editor at the following email to contribute in any of these categories.
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DANCING THROUGH THE DECADES

This month is all about the 1940s and the founding of the WPOSC! Read on to find out about our history. Don’t miss next issue where we will dig deep into the 1950s military spouse life at WPAFB.
OUR HERITAGE

BY VIOLET NAUSEEF
Photographer, A Word to the Wives, 1981

June 6, 1944 - D-Day in Europe, conception day for the OWC. For on that historic day, a letter from Col. Lewis S. Webster, A.C. for Col. C.H. Welch, Air Corps, went out to the wives of Patterson Field Officers inviting them to a meeting June 9, 1944 at 2:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the Headquarters Air Service Command. The purpose - to form a women's club at Patterson Field.

At that first organizational meeting, Maj. General Walter H. Frank, Commander ASC and Brigadier General E.E. Adler, Chief, Personnel & Training Division, were the key speakers. They noted the vital need for an active women's organization; offered their full support and cooperation; outlined the purpose for the would-be club; and added after establishment, the club would be run by and for the women.

The idea for a Patterson Field women's club was first broached by Mrs. H.H. Arnold, wife of Commanding General, Army Air Forces. At that time women's clubs were being formed at AAF Stations throughout the United States.

The purpose for the women's club was to develop women's activities at Patterson Field, collect and disseminate information to its members, and to foster, protect, and preserve the ideals of good fellowship and esprit [sic] de corps among the wives.

On the 16th of June, the first slate of officers was elected consisting of

FROM THE ARCHIVES

This article was originally published in the November 1981 issue of the Wright-Patterson Officers' Wives' Club newsletter, A Word to the Wives. At the time, members of OWCs nationwide were engaged in discussions about their purpose, roles, and futures.

This discourse began in response to a somewhat provocative article published in the August 3, 1981 issue of Air Force Times Magazine, which explored various OWC issues. The editorial staff of A Word to the Wives chose to take a look back at our heritage in order to gain clarity on what the club's future could be.

This article is re-published in its entirety, courtesy of the custodians of the WPOSC archives.
President - Mary H. Honan, Secretary - Nancy Brooks, Treasurer - Ruby E. White, and Honorary President - Hazel Frank.

The four special committees were geared to the needs of the times. The Spotters Committee welcomed new arrivals, helping them adjust to military life and located properly in the area. The Service Committee provided opportunity to take part in service and volunteer groups. During those war years, prime on everyone's minds was the war effort. Toward that end, the Red Cross Auxiliary was hard at work making bandages, surgical dressings, and providing 24-hour canteen service for transient airmen. The Information Committee set up and maintained information for the use of the other committees. And the Social Committee planned and supervised get-togethers.

Membership was open to wives, mothers, widows, and daughters of personnel stationed at Patterson or Wright Field. Dues were an unbelievable $2.50 a year and luncheons a mere 50¢ per member, 50¢ for non-members.¹

The first constitution was adopted on June 30 and a weekly information bulletin called “A Word to the Wives” was prepared and distributed by the Special Services Officer and sent to the wives via their husbands.

As babysitting was as much a problem then as it is now, and in order to free young wives to attend the luncheons, the club established a nursery service on July 28, 1944, known then as “Park-your-child-service.” Held in the Girl Scout House near the Officers’ Quarters, the nursery was run by a qualified nursery school instructor with assistance from volunteer [sic] nurseriesmaids (members donating one meeting day a year to the nursery). It was limited to youngsters between and including 19 months to 5 years of age. However, it was closed the following two months because of a polio epidemic.

The weekly bulletin, WTTW, became a four-page monthly publication and was mailed instead of being sent through the husbands to “eliminated the factor of husband-mailman who ‘never bring mail home.’” (Some problems never change!)

The Patterson Field Women’s Club became affiliated with the National Association of Air Forces Women headquartered in Washington, D.C. on July 28, 1944. A month later, Aug. 25, the PFWC voted to dissolve, as did the Wright Field Women’s Club, and merged as one organization to be known as the Wilbur Wright Women’s Club, taking its name from the Wilbur Wright Officers’ Club. The women took over from the men on alternate months, the Wilbur Wright Officers’ Club (north branch) and the south branch (hilltop) club. On the days the women met, the men were asked to take themselves elsewhere for lunch or brown bag it! (a resourceful lot, our antecedent sisters).

The new club was governed by the dual boards until the new election was held, December 1, 1944. The WTTW was retained as the official club publication with 2500 copies mailed to potential members.

The name underwent several modifications (Wright-Patterson Field Women’s Club in 1945, Wright-Patterson AFB Women’s Club in 1952) before finally settling on the current appellation in 1959.

Whatever the changes, the ideals have remained high, the dedication unwavering, and the fellowship all-embracing.

¹$29.93, $5.05, $8.42 in 2022, adjusted for inflation.

MRS. ELEANOR ROOSEVELT addressing the women at Patterson Field during a recent visit.
The photograph was taken in the workrooms of the Red Cross auxiliary while Patterson Field officers’ wives were engaged in making surgical dressings. In the background are: Mrs. E.E. Adler, wife of General Adler, who is chairman of the Red Cross auxiliary, and Mrs. L.H. Ross, women’s club president, in the Gray Lady uniform of the American Red Cross.
**MEET THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

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<td>Melissa Troxel</td>
<td>President</td>
<td>Wawaka, IN</td>
<td>What is your favorite way to unwind? I am actually horrible at unwinding. I am a task driven person and tend to go 100 miles per hour until bedtime. I am great at sleeping though! I almost always get at least 8 hours of sleep each night. Does that count for unwinding?</td>
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<td>Aleks Harkavy</td>
<td>1st Vice</td>
<td>Buffalo Grove, IL</td>
<td>What was the best vacation you took and why? South Africa! I instantly fell in love with the country and it’s people. There was just something magical about it, especially when you are in what feels like a “corner” of the world. Seeing all the majestic animals on the reserves was also a truly humbling experience.</td>
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<td>Suzanne Davis</td>
<td>2nd Vice</td>
<td>Hardinsburg, KY</td>
<td>How many bases have you been stationed to? 7 bases! My favorite has been RAF Lakenheath, England.</td>
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<td>Leigh Ann Yerrick</td>
<td>Admin Treasurer</td>
<td>Ft. Washington, MD</td>
<td>What is on your bucket list? The one I talk about the most is to see the Northern Lights with as close to no light pollution as possible. I have visions of a roaring fire, a glass roof and warm blankets.</td>
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<td>Twinkle Kurian</td>
<td>Welfare Treasurer</td>
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<td>What is one thing that can instantly make your day better? I love Krabby Patties gummi candy. Hand me a Krabby Pattie, and I am one happy gal!</td>
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<td>Elisa Rickard</td>
<td>Secretary</td>
<td>Elba, AL</td>
<td>What is your favorite way to spend a day off? I like to spend my days off outdoors hiking, camping, or being on or near the water or reading a good book.</td>
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<td>Brittany Garcia</td>
<td>Parliamentarian</td>
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<td>How many bases have you been stationed to? I’ve been at three bases, Maxwell in Montgomery, AL, Hill in Layton, UT, and Wright Patt in Fairborn, OH. My favorite base was Hill because I absolutely fell in love with the scenery in Utah and we hope to move back eventually.</td>
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<td>Kaylynn Meeker</td>
<td>Advisor</td>
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<td>Kaylynn Meeker is our new Advisor for the Wright-Patterson Officers’ Spouses’ Club and the spouse of Colonel Christopher B. Meeker, commander of the 88th Air Base Wing at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. The Meeker Family recently moved to WPAFB this summer after Col. Meeker took command of the 88th ABW. Mrs. Meeker is excited to serve on the Board of Governors as advisor and is looking forward to a great year.</td>
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<td>Heather Cropsey</td>
<td>Honorary Advisor</td>
<td>Ann Arbor, MI</td>
<td>How many bases have you been to? This is our 14th assignment, however, we’ve repeated some bases, and this is our 3rd time at WPAFB.</td>
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<td>Mel Parada</td>
<td>Honorary Advisor</td>
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<td>What is your favorite thing to do on a day off? A day date with my husband. We like to take Federal holidays that our kids are still in school on, and spend them hiking, biking, or having lunch in new to us places.</td>
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<td>Kelly Watts</td>
<td>Hospitality</td>
<td>Delavan, IL</td>
<td>How many bases have you been to and which one was your favorite? 12 bases in 24 years. Places are what you make of them, and we’ve always loved aspects of each...however, Goodfellow was our favorite!</td>
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<td>Amy Jo Jones</td>
<td>Mah Jongg Book Sales</td>
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<td>What do you like best about living in Dayton? What I like best is when the tornado sirens are not going off.</td>
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**MEET THE BOARD OF GOVERNORS**

**DESIREE DE GARMO**
Membership
Hometown: Santa Maria, CA

What is one thing that can instantly make your day better? A good cup of coffee or a hot bubble bath.

Do you have any unique family traditions? My grandparents gave us ornaments each year with the date on them from each year. It made Christmas extra fun to decorate the tree with my own ornaments growing up. When I moved out on my own I was able to decorate my tree with these memories because I had my own collection. Now they send décor or an ornament to my husband and I.

**NEWSLETTER EDITOR**
POSITION OPEN

Do you enjoy reading each month’s newsletter and consider yourself someone with a creative eye? If so, you might be our next Newsletter Editor! Responsibilities include:
- producing & publishing the monthly newsletter
- Organizing content, including copy, photos, illustrations, etc., using knowledge of layout principles.
- Collaborating closely with President, 1st VP, and other Chairs
- Attending monthly BOG meetings

Please contact the President if interested in this position!

**RESERVATIONS**
POSITION OPEN

Do you enjoy attending our monthly programs? If so, maybe you are our new Reservations Chair! We are searching for a dynamic individual to help us manage our reservations before and at our monthly programs.

Responsibilities include:
- Managing online & phone RSVPs
- Checking in attendees at events and collecting payments
- Ensuring members have name tags to wear at events
- Updating the reservations phone line with accurate event info
- Reconciling finances after events
- Attending monthly BOG meetings

Please contact the President if you are interested in this position!

**ROBIN SOWDER**
Retired Officers’ Spouses
Hometown: Gothenburg, NE

Robin’s military adventure actually began with her own military service in the Army as an MP. While overseas, she met her husband, who was also an MP. After her time in the Army, she attended college, became a school library media specialist, and eventually retired to Dayton. Robin has been an active member of our club, previously serving as Historian, and continuing in her positions as Retired Officers’ Spouses Chair and Wright Walkers activity lead. She is excited to plan the upcoming ROS events and to have a fantastic year.

**TRACEY TOMME**
Scholarship
Hometown: Colorado Springs & Dayton

What do you like best about living in the Dayton area? Dayton is friendly, supportive, plenty of things to do – indoors and out, and of course, I am in love with all the arts and cultural activities. To have ballet, opera, orchestra, Metroparks, the Boonshoft, SunWatch, DAI, and the Schuster Center is pretty amazing. And then there’s the food…craft brews…and festivals galore!

How many bases have you been to? 10 bases! My favorite was USAFA, but they all had their interesting aspects.

**DORI SPAULDING**
Programs
Hometown: Longest in Dayton

The best part of military life? The incredible people we have met over the past 20 years.

What have you had to learn “the hard way”? It is okay to let people who care about you know that you need help. My spouse deployed the 1st time we moved here, and it was the hardest winter of my life. We made it through only because our community supported us. I arrived home one day to find a Vietnam Veteran mowing our lawn and he did so every week until my spouse returned.

**LAURA STREMMEL**
Publicity
Hometown: Santa Maria, CA

How did you meet your spouse? We met in 2000 at a concert in Denver right before he graduated from the USAF Academy. We started dating soon after. 22 years later, we still love going to concerts together!

What is one thing that can instantly make your day better? In those rare moments when I can get some quiet time with one of my 4 busy kids and have a good heart-to-heart conversation…that’s all it takes to fill my bucket. Time with them is fleeting and so precious to me.

**NICOLA HOLLENBECK**
Service Activities
Hometown: Medway, MA

How did you meet your spouse? My husband and I met freshman year of college. He spent 10 yrs at Lakenheath as a military kid, but wondered why he had no British accent. I have never known the military life until I got married.

What would be the first thing you’d do if you won the lottery? I gave this quite some thought when I thought I bought July’s winning ticket! Get myself a financial advisor team, protect myself, and invest. Fun, right?! Money makes money. But I’d probably upgrade to the suite life on my next cruise with family.

**DENISE NOLT**
Social Activities
Hometown: Lancaster, PA

What is on your bucket list? My bucket list is always full. Everywhere we live, I literally make a list of places I want to visit. We are intentional about crossing things off the list. I never want to move away from an area and wish I had done something there before we moved away but didn’t.

What do you like most about Dayton? It’s only been 5 months, but so far we love the area. It reminds us very much like our hometown and there are so many things that we plan to see and do here.

**MARSHA HUDSON**
Thrift Shop
Hometown: Flora, IN

How many bases have you been to? We have moved 27 times. My two favorite moves were Newport, RI and Bentwaters, England.

How did you meet your spouse? What was your first impression? I met my husband, Jack at Purdue, where he was getting his Masters. We met at a friend’s birthday party and he was so funny.

What makes you happiest? I am happiest when I’m with my family.

**CHRISTI BRENDLINGER**
Webmaster
Hometown: Dayton, OH…for now

How many bases have you been stationed to? 14 bases! Favorite was Aviano for every romantic reason you can think of. Skiing in the morning and the beach in the afternoon. Life there was just simpler. What’s not to love?

Do you have any unique family traditions? Christmas is my birthday, so we spend the entire day in pajamas and I do not cook. Our big meal is Christmas Eve and we always have “Roast Beast and Who Pudding.” I make enough so that there are leftovers for Christmas day.

**PAM PASKEWITZ**
Welfare
Hometown: Baker, FL

How many bases were you stationed to and which one was your favorite? 8 bases – Eglin AFB 5 times, RAF Welford, RAF Upper Heyford, Incirlik Air Base, Davis-Mothan AFB, Maxwell AFB. Favorite? I especially enjoyed our overseas assignments. If I have to choose one – RAF Upper Heyford.

Do you have advice for any other military couples? Communicate!!! And make time for one another!!!

**Laurie Holm**
Finance
Hometown: Dayton, OH

How did you meet your spouse? We met at a concert in Denver, and we graduated from the USAF Academy. We started dating soon after. 22 years later, we still love going to concerts together!

What is one thing that can instantly make your day better? In those rare moments when I can get some quiet time with one of my 4 busy kids and have a good heart-to-heart conversation…that’s all it takes to fill my bucket. Time with them is fleeting and so precious to me.

**September 2022**
HOSPITALITY CORNER
The 2022-2023 WPOSC year is now in full swing, so let’s give a warm welcome to our new members and previous members who have recently returned – we’re glad you’re here!

Leah B.  CiCi L.  Liz S.
Nancy D.  Kelsey L.  Dori S.
Mandy D.  Deandra M.  Katie S.
Kristi H.  KayLynn M.  Emma U.
Katie H.  Denise N.  Angela V.
Dawn I.  Mel P.  Alexa V.
Lynne J.  Natasha R.  Candice W.
Amy K.  Chelsea S.  Jason W.
Heather S.

Elisa R. welcomed her baby girl on August 9! Mom, Dad, and Baby are settling in well at home with their furbabies and enjoying this time all together. They would like to thank all of the WPOSC members who took the time and effort to join their meal train!

Calling all new graduates! Did you recently graduate this spring? Send us the news of your degree and school so we can celebrate your achievement with you.

Dori S. recently started a new job as Event Coordinator for Catholic Social Services. We wish you the best of luck in your new role! Have you recently started a new job or earned a promotion? Let us know!

Aleks H. turned the big *3*0* on August 10 and celebrated not only one, but two milestone birthdays, as it was also her daughter’s 1st birthday!

We love to hear your news - Keep sharing it!

Kelly Watts
Hospitality Chair

Share Your News
Get to know your fellow OSC members and celebrate their accomplishments!

You can submit news in 2 ways:
1. Via online form -
   a. Go to www.wrightpattersonosc.org
   b. Click on “Share Your News” in the right hand column
2. Via Email - hospitality@wrightpattersonosc.org

Please submit your news by September 15 for inclusion in the October issue!

As always, we would love to extend to our members get-well wishes (illness or surgery), thinking of you notes, condolences, messages of congratulations, and more. Please keep us in the loop and contact us when they are in order - for yourself or for an OSC friend!

Happy Birthday
Heidi C.
CiCi L.
Nicola H.
Dawn I.
Diane K.
Catherine K.
Misty P.
Pauline S.
Joy K.
Lynne J.
Dorene M.
The WPOSC was established to serve military members and families on base, locally, and around the world. Through your willingness to volunteer, you advance our mission.

**BOARD OF GOVERNORS**
Work together in the administration of the club’s social and charitable endeavors.
Contact: President

**MEMBER-AT-LARGE**
Vote and participate in committee meetings; act as a liaison between the general membership and the BOG.
Contact: President

**ACTIVITY LEADS**
Lead one of our activity groups or start a new one!
Contact: Service Activities Chair
Contact: Social Activities Chair

**PROGRAMS TEAM**
Help the programs team with tasks necessary to execute a successful event such as shopping, set up, clean up, transportation, etc.
Contact: Programs Chair

**BASE THRIFT SHOP**
Our Thrift Shop is staffed almost entirely by volunteers! There is always work to be done.
Contact: Thrift Shop Chair

**COMMUNITY SERVICE**
Join us as we serve our community at events such as the Air Force Marathon and Dayton Food Bank Mobile Markets.
Contact: Service Activities Chair

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**CONSIDER BEING A MEMBER-AT-LARGE ON ONE OF THE FOLLOWING COMMITTEES:**

- **ADMIN BUDGET**
- **SCHOLARSHIP WELFARE**
- **GOVERNING DOCS NOMINATING**
- **WELFARE BUDGET**

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**IF INTERESTED, CONTACT MELISSA TROXEL AT president@wrightpattersonosc.org**

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**Rubber Stamp Club** members Kim and Jean designed these 3 beautiful cards last month and Lori hosted a make and take project at the Welcome & Information Fair.

**Wright Walkers** had a great 2.5 mile walk at Medlar Conservation Area where they even made a new friend.

Members of **Lunch Bunch** enjoyed gathering at First Watch and/or Cooper’s Hawk since they had such a great turnout! Lunch was followed with an impromptu wine tasting at Cooper’s Hawk.

**Spouses’ Night Out** met up for dinner at Pies & Pints and then enjoyed some dessert (pastries and a chocolate-covered wine bottle!) and some great conversation.
Thank you to our volunteers and attendees!

Laura (Publicity), Misty (Mah Jongg Players Lead), and Melissa (President) showing off their decades wear for “Dancing Through the Decades”
**UPCOMING GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS**

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**BUNCO NIGHT**

**OCTOBER 13, 2022**

**6:30 PM**

**WRIGHT-PATTERSON CLUB**

**ROCKERS LOUNGE**

**DETAILS TO FOLLOW**

**PLEASE CONTACT THE PROGRAMS CHAIR WITH ANY QUESTIONS:**

PROGRAMS@WRIGHTPATTERSONOSC.ORG

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**Hails & Farewells**

A unique part of military life is that hellos and goodbyes come along more frequently in our community than most others. It is both a sad and beautiful part of our lifestyle and one that should be celebrated!

**Are you new to Wright-Patterson and to the WPOSC?**

From where did you move? Is this your first assignment? Let us know by going to our website at www.wrightpattersonosc.org and clicking on “Share Your News” so we can recognize you at our next general membership meeting!

**Are you leaving Wright-Patterson and the WPOSC?**

Where are you going and when do you leave? Are you and/or your spouse retiring? We want to give you a proper goodbye and wish you well on your way! Let us know by going to our website at www.wrightpattersonosc.org and clicking on “Share Your News” so we can recognize you at our next general membership meeting.

You can also let us know when a hail or farewell is in order by emailing the Hospitality Chair at hospitality@wrightpattersonosc.org

**Make a Reservation**

**RSVP online or by phone:**

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Questions? Contact the Reservations Chair.

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**JOIN THE PROGRAMS TEAM**

Some of the best parts of WPOSC membership are our monthly programs at our general membership meetings! Our Programs Chair works hard to plan these amazing opportunities for us to connect and learn, but she can’t do it all alone - that’s where the Programs Team comes in!

If you enjoy our monthly programs, please consider joining the Programs Team. This is a group of people interested in short-term, flexible volunteering such as:

- pickup/drop off of items
- light shopping
- setting up/tearing down
- and other small tasks

Do you have a spare hour the week of a program? If you are interested, please contact the Service Activities Chair.
REGULAR HOURS

SUNDAY        CLOSED
MONDAY        CLOSED
TUESDAY 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
WEDNESDAY 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
THURSDAY CLOSED
FRIDAY 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
SATURDAY **TBD**

Consignments by Appt Only
9:30 AM - 11:30 AM
TUES, WED, FRI

SEASONAL INFO

SEP-OCT Fall clothing accepted
SEP 6 Accepting Halloween items
OCT 4 Accepting Thanksgiving items
NOV-JAN Winter clothing accepted
NOV 1 Accepting Christmas items
NOV 21-25 CLOSED for Thanksgiving
DEC 17 - JAN 2 CLOSED for Winter Break

LOCATION & CONTACT INFO

5265 WRIGHT AVE, WPAFB, OH 45433
AREA A, BLDG. 95 NEXT TO OUTDOOR REC

(937) 879-5630
Ext 1: Directions and hours
Ext 2: Weekly No Take list for consignors
Ext 3: Office, to make a consignment appt or to speak with our volunteers

WPOSC Thrift Shop
thriftshopwrightpattersonosc.org

SCAN FOR CONSIGNMENT INFO:
- Consignments are currently by appointment only.
- Please refer to Consignment Rules & Procedures and Permanent No Take List under “Thrift Shop Forms”.
- Please call or check FaceBook for Weekly No Take List.

Thrift Shop Treasures

Take a look at some of these great finds at the Thrift Shop!
Visit the WPOSC Thrift Shop Facebook page each week to see the latest arrivals and weekly no take list for consignors.

Silk flower decor
5 piece tea set by William Rogers and Son
Graco stroller, 2 occupants

PRICE REDUCED! Frozen Castle

WE ACCEPT DONATIONS ANY TIME WE ARE OPEN!
**NEW ACTIVITY GROUPS!**

**GAME NIGHT**

This group meets once a month or more for a casual night of board games, parlor games, and more!

To join, contact: Lori Enochian, Game Night Lead

[wposc game night]

**Kiddos & Me**

Play and learn together!

Meets once a month for a child-focused activity

Contact Alexa Vincie or Natasha Ravak for info

[wposc kiddos & me]

**WPOSC Take Them a Meal**

A group of WPOSC volunteers ready and willing to bring meals to members in need.

For more info, contact: Natasha Ravak

[wposc take them a meal]

**WPOSC Wine Club**

Meets once a month

For more info, contact: Marina Faulkner, Emma Upton

[wposc wine club]
ANTICHES SOCIÉTÉ

Elizabeth Clark
Kathy Cohrs

Friday Sep. 23rd at 11:00 AM
The Woods of Beavercreek Clubhouse
2161 Hidden Woods Blvd
Beavercreek, OH
Cost: $5
RSVP to Janet by Sep. 19th

We will meet for the first time this school year for our annual Show and Tell meeting and luncheon.

There is no official program or speaker planned, but we hope you can bring an item to show the group; perhaps an antique you bought this summer, something you inherited, or an item you’ve had but want to know more about. We all learn from each other!

We are asking you to bring your own lunch. Drinks and dessert will be provided by Nancy Aubel in remembrance of her mother Connie Klarer, long time Antiques member, who died recently at 101. We will also remember two of our favorite seniors Marie Ciano and Hellen Mullenix.

The cost is $5 ($2 towards the clubhouse rental, $2 towards door prizes and $1 towards a special holiday luncheon on Wednesday December 7th). Door prizes are antiques and friendships are inevitable.

RSVP to Janet Lee by September 19th.

BOOK CLUB

Kris Mangold
Doriann Council

Thurs., Sept. 15th, 10:30-11:30 AM
Barnes & Noble/Starbucks
Across from Fairfield Mall
Beavercreek

This month, we will be reading The One Hundred Years of Lenni & Margot by Marianne Cronin.

An extraordinary friendship. A lifetime of stories. Their last one begins here.

Life is short. No one knows that better than seventeen year old Lenni living on the terminal ward. But as she is about to learn, it’s not only what you make of life that matters, but who you share it with. We hope you will join us as we kick-off our new year and discuss this novel.

BUNCO

Nova Otto
Judy Taylor

Tuesday, Sep. 13th at 6:30 PM
2129 Raceway Trl, Beavercreek
Cost: $7
RSVP to Nova by Sep. 9

Join us! Bunco is fun and easy to play - beginners are welcome! We usually meet at 6:30 PM on the 2nd Tuesday of the month, with play beginning at 7:00.

Please bring a snack or dessert to share and $7 to participate. Prizes will be awarded!

Join our Facebook page, WPOSC Bunco, to stay up-to-date on all the Bunco fun! Please email the leads if you are not on Facebook.

Facebook Group: WPOSC Bunco

GAME NIGHT

Lori Enochian

Fri, Sep. 30th, 7:00-10:00 PM
Lori’s House – See invite for address

Hey everyone! Game Night is starting up again with a “Date Night” option. Yep, you may bring your spouse to this event! If your spouse isn’t into the Game Night scene, leave him/her at home and fly solo! It’s all good!

Bring your beverage of choice. Games and dessert will be provided by the host this time. Depending on the number of people attending, we’ll either all play the same party game or break into two or more groups playing different games. And if the group prefers, we can change the start time to 6:30 and do a potluck next time around.

Please be sure to sign up for Game Night (and other activities you may have missed) on our website and join our Facebook group WPOSC Game Night to keep up with all the details!

And please plan ahead and block out your calendars for the last Friday evening of each month. Friday, 28 October is our next get together!

Facebook Group: WPOSC Game Night
**KIDDOS & ME**

**Alexa Vincie**  
**Natasha Ravak**

**Friday, Sep. 16th at 10:00 AM**  
Contact lead for location

Kiddos & Me is back! We are a monthly playgroup for children of WPOSC Members. Caregivers are welcome to attend. We invite you to join us and enjoy various child friendly activities. All ages are welcome. We hope you will come out and play with us!

**Facebook Group:**  
WPOSC Kiddos & Me

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**LINE DANCING**

**Debbie Minnich**  
**Nova Otte**

**Wednesdays at 1:30 PM**  
WPAFB USO Center  
2221 Birch St, WPAFB  
RSVP to Debbie by Wednesday mornings

Come learn basic steps, old-time favorites, and some newer dances. Remember to wear your dancing shoes: smooth-soled shoes work best!

**Facebook Group:**  
WPOSC Line Dance

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**LUNCH BUNCH**

**Marie Albright**  
**Misty Perry**

**Thursday, Sep. 15th at 11:30 AM**  
Agave & Rye  
2. N Market Street, Troy  
RSVP on Facebook by Sep. 11

Lunch Bunch typically meets once a month for a casual lunch at restaurants in and around Dayton.

We try to alternate Wednesdays and Thursdays each month and visit a variety of locations all around the Dayton Metro Area. Join our FB group for updates and invites.

**Facebook Group:**  
WPOSC Lunch Bunch

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**MAH JONGG**

**Misty Perry**

**Tuesdays at 1:00 PM**  
Location varies – Check Facebook

Mah Jongg is a tile-based game of skill, strategy, and luck. It originated in China and has since gained popularity worldwide. The WPOSC has been the home of the official Wright-Patterson Rules Book for over 50 years! Our group meets regularly on Tuesday afternoons to play this addictive game and continue a long-standing WPOSC tradition. Contact Misty Perry or join our Facebook group if you are interested in joining in on the fun!

**Facebook Group:**  
WPOSC Mah Jongg

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**PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB**

**Adriana Eden**

**Friday, Sep. 16th at 10:00 AM**  
Tecumseh Land Grant, Yellow Springs

Do you love taking pictures? Do you like to explore places in the area? Join us to take pictures and have fun. We usually meet on the second Wednesday of the month. Meeting places are posted on our Facebook page listed below.

Our next outing will be to the Tecumseh Land Grant in Yellow Springs to see the sunflowers bloom. The sunflowers are predicted to bloom the week of Sept 15. Let’s plan on going Friday, Sept 16th. We’ll meet in the parking lot at 10:00am. Afterwards we can have lunch at one of the local eateries. Please wear comfortable shoes and bring a mask.

**Facebook Group:**  
WPOSC Photography Club

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**RETIRED OFFICERS’ SPOUSES**

**Robin Sowder**  
rosewrightpattersonosc.org

**Thurs, Sep. 29th at 11:00 AM**  
The Woods of Beavercreek Clubhouse  
2161 Hidden Woods Blvd.  
Beavercreek, OH  
Cost: $15 at the door

Our first meeting will be September 29th, 11:00 AM at The Woods of Beavercreek. Enjoy fall with your friends, and make new friends, as we gather to celebrate the best of what autumn has to offer. Lunch will be provided by Cherry House Cafe.

**Sandwich Choices (Choose 1):**  
- Chicken Salad on Croissant  
- Roast Beef on Sourdough  
- Turkey Club on Wheat  
- Ham & Swiss on Rye

**Side Choices (Choose 1):**  
- Fresh Fruit  
- Broccoli Cherry Nut  
- Tossed Salad w/ Dressing on side  
- Potato Salad

**Cookie Choices (Choose 1):**  
- Chocolate Chunk  
- Cherry White Chocolate  
- Cherry “House” Cookie  
- Heath Bar Cookie

Please use the QR code to make your menu choices or contact Debbie Minnich directly.

Mark your calendars tentatively for January 26th, 2023, March 30th, 2023, and sometime in May to close out the year. Watch for updates through the
SKYLARKS

Ellen Ratti
Amanda King

No rehearsals currently scheduled
Check back for rehearsal schedule

Come and sing with us! We typically rehearse on Tuesdays from 9:30-11:00 at St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church in Fairborn. Each year, we normally perform first during the Christmas season and then in Spring. Our Christmas performances are usually in early to late December and our Spring performances in late April & early/middle of May. Most are on Tuesdays during the day, with an occasional evening or weekend gig. We usually perform for retirement and care communities, church groups, military retirees, the WPOSC, & more!

RUBBER STAMP CLUB

Lori Enochian

Fri, Sep. 9th, 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Location TBD
RSVP by Sep. 6

Rubber stamp artists, greeting card makers, paper crafters, and papercrafting wannabes...this is the group of friends you’re looking for!!! Come join us as we get inky and make things! All levels of stampers are welcome, even beginners who have never inked up a stamp. We’ll bring you up-to-speed in no time!

We generally have 3-4 volunteers design a card or project of their choice. Ideas can come from anywhere - Pinterest, stamping magazines or catalogs, online stamping communities, vendor websites, or your own imagination. Designers bring all the supplies except scissors and adhesives, which everyone brings.

Our September meeting location is still TBD, as are our project designers. I can assure you, though, that the projects and the company will be enjoyable! Please be sure to sign up for Rubber Stamp Club (and other activities you may have missed) on our website and join our Facebook group WPOSC Rubber Stamp Club to keep up-to-date with all the details!

And please plan ahead and block out your calendars from 10:00am - 12:00pm on the second Friday of each month. Friday, 14 October is our next meeting!

Facebook Group: WPOSC Rubber Stamp Club

TEA GROUP

Pamela Paskewitz

Monday, Sep. 26th at 11:00 AM
The Patterson Homestead
1815 Brown St., Dayton
Cost: $25
RSVP to Pam by Sep. 9

Open to all WPOSC members and adult guests! We can have up to 60 attend!! - For reservations and payment, contact Pam Paskewitz, Tea Group Lead.

Reservations and payment by September 9th. (No refunds after September 9th)

Victorian Teas occur at the storied Patterson Homestead (est. 1816) — former home of Revolutionary War soldier and Lexington, KY founder Colonel Robert Patterson and NCR founder John H. Patterson. While sipping a delicious cup of tea, guests learn about the Patterson family, enjoy a three-course meal (served by costumed interpreters), and tour the Patterson Homestead.

Also, make plans to attend our December 3rd Tea Group event at Remember When Tea Room in
Waynesville. Seating will be limited so reserve your space sooner than later! Contact Pam for further information.

“A cup of tea changes bitter to better.”

Facebook Group: WPOSC Tea Group

WINE CLUB

Marina Faulkner
Emma Upton

Thursday, Sep. 29th, 5:00-8:00 PM
Southern Ohio Brewing
818 Factory Rd, Dayton
Cost: $30
RSVP to Marina by Sep. 6

We are a group of wine connoisseurs who get together once a month to enjoy and explore the world of wine. Ironically, we will be having our first meeting at a brewery! We’ll be meeting at Southern Ohio Brewing for their 1st Annual Wine Festival where we will be able to sample 30+ wines and enjoy food from local food trucks. Hope to see you there!

Facebook Group: WPOSC Wine Club

THE WRIGHT RINGERS

Valerie Slover
Heidi Cahoon

Mondays from 9:30 - 11:00 AM
First rehearsal date announced soon

Do you like making music? Come join us ringing hand bells. No experience required. We are a fun group that meets on Monday from 9:30 to 11:00am. We will be practicing at the First Presbyterian Church located at 1130 Highview Dr in Fairborn. For more information contact Valerie Slover. Our first meeting date will be announced soon.

WE NEED YOUR LEAD!

We have several service activity groups that are in need of leaders! Each of these groups are designed to meet a need in the community that has been identified by our membership. We are primarily seeking coordinators to help connect volunteers with available opportunities. Give them the date, time, and location and they’ll be there!

If you are interested in leading one of these groups, please contact the Service Activities Chair at service_activities@wrightpattersonosc.org.

WRIGHT WALKERS

Robin Sowder

1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month
Sep. 7 - Carriage Hill Metro Park
Sep. 21 - TBD, please check FB

This group is not a speed walking group, but rather one that enjoys the fluid conversation of other spouses new and familiar. We may be counting our steps and setting our goals, but there are no expectations or competitions.

We welcome kids and furbabies as allowed by park rules. Know yourself and your health capabilities and let’s get walking.

Watch for announcements on the Facebook spouses page and our own group page.

Facebook Group: WPOSC Wright Walkers

BASE VOLUNTEERS

Members who enjoy serving in volunteer roles on base! Opportunities include Airman’s Attic, FSS events, and more!

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Service-minded members who enjoy volunteer opportunities in and around the off-base community.

CRAFTING FOR A CAUSE

Crafters who enjoy making projects that give back to the community and help others. A small handmade item can go a long way!

MOBILE FOOD PANTRY

Seeking a coordinator for our popular Mobile Food Pantry volunteer events with the Dayton Food Bank.
THE 2022-2023 WPOSC

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Activity Groups with Unlisted September Dates
Check in with the lead!

Skylarks
Spouses' Night Out
Take Them a Meal
Wright Ringers

Thrift Shop Hours
9:30 AM - 2:30 PM
Tues, Wed, Fri

Consignments
by appointment only
9:30 - 11:30 AM
Tues, Wed, Fri

*Groups in bold have schedules that vary from month to month
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## ACTIVITY ROOM PARKING INFO

During business hours, please leave the parking spots in front of the Thrift Shop and Outdoor Rec. for their respective customers.

Volunteers and OSC members using the Activity Room should park in the lot at the end of the building. And of course, the spots for unloading and handicapped should only be used for those customers.

In the evenings and other times when the businesses are closed, parking in front of Building 95 is available for use!

## STAY CONNECTED!

- **Website:** [www.wrightpattersonosc.org](http://www.wrightpattersonosc.org)
- **Facebook:** [WPOSC Members](https://www.facebook.com/WPOSCMembers)
- **Reservation Line:** (937) 315-1550 (updated weekly)
- **Email:** Emails sent out monthly with calendar and reminders for programs.