

THE WRIGHT WORD

THE WRIGHT-PATTERSON OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB

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WPOSC PRESENTS
DENIM
 and
Diamonds
SILENT AUCTION

**MAKE IT
 BAKE IT
 FAKE IT
 SILENT AUCTION**

APRIL 11th, 2024
6pm Doors Open | 6:30pm Dinner & Auction
\$25 Members | \$30 Guests

At the Walnut Grove Country Club
 5050 Linden Avenue, Dayton

Allure | Semi-Formal with Denim, Diamonds, or both!

RSVP by April 3rd, 2024
www.wrightpattersonosc.org | 937-315-1550

DINNER MENU:

- Chicken breast with sun dried tomato vodka sauce
- Roasted pork loin
- Roasted potatoes
- Seasonal vegetables
- Salad and rolls
- Assorted pies
- Coffee, iced tea, & water
- Cash bar available

Vegetarian and gluten free options available (note at RSVP)

Please help us by providing donations!

If you would like to "Make," "Bake," or "Fake" a donation,
 please visit www.wrightpattersonosc.org to sign up

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HOW DO I... ?

Change my activity group sign-ups?

Make a reservation?
Scan code at the bottom!



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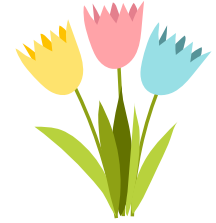
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PRESIDENT'S PEN



Let it go...

When I volunteer at the Thrift Shop, it's fun to see what people donate or consign. The donors are happy to get things out of their house and most of the consignors don't ask to redeem their items. They are happy to let it go. To "let it go" sounds easier to do than it actually is, though. Personally, I have a rule that in order to get a new purse, I have to give one away. I may have a purse problem...I love them all. Letting go is hard. It's even harder when it's not a purse, but a friend moving away or accepting the fact that your kids are no longer little.



I've been a military spouse for 20 years (has it been THAT long?) and have had to let go of a lot, but what I've gained over time is perspective. Over these 20 years, I've been on many OSC boards, made great friends, and gained experience I wouldn't trade for anything. Of course, when it comes to spouse clubs, our perspectives will vary. The dynamic has changed. I know we have some who have been members of this club for decades and have seen it change over time. Gone are the days of formal teas with 200+ people. I'm sure that was impressive! It's changed over time, but we are still going strong in 2024.

The WPOSC continues to be a club that has a little something for everyone. We have our monthly programs and of course, the smaller activity groups. I'm sure some will agree that these groups are where you truly get to know some of your fellow members. You share the same passions and build comradery. We're a group of amazing spouses who only want the best for one another. That's a fantastic, shared perspective.



The end of our 2023-2024 board year is slowly approaching and I wanted to encourage you to consider serving on the 2024-2025 WPOSC Board of Governors. Floor nominations for the Executive Committee are now open and will continue through April 8. We have so many smart and skilled members and could use your talents! Don't forget to RSVP for the Make It, Bake It, Fake It Silent Auction by April 3. You don't want to miss it!!



Suzanne Davis

Suzanne Davis
WPOSC President
2023-2024



MARCH MEET-UPS!



Lunch Bunch celebrated good times and laughs at Asian Sky and Venecia.

Rubber Stamp Club continued to make beautiful projects!



Spouses Night Out crew had a blast at On Par duck pin bowling and creating glass dishes



Mah Jongg Players spent time together and really got into the game!



MEMBERSHIP NEWS

Donation Procedures

Please include the following when you sign up to bring a donation:

"MAKE" OR "FAKE" IT

- Description of the item(s), i.e. quantity, color, size, brand, etc.
- Full RETAIL price of the item(s), NOT the price you paid if on sale or if you used coupons or discounts. The starting bid price will be based on full retail price.

PLEASE DROP OFF YOUR DONATION TO THE THRIFT SHOP DURING BUSINESS HOURS BY APRIL 9TH

"BAKE" IT

- Description of the item(s) and ingredients.
- Cost estimate so we can use it as a guide for creating the starting bid price. Please DO factor in the value of your labor.

DROP OFF YOUR DONATION AT THE "BAKED GOODS" TABLE AT THE EVENT ON APRIL 11th

General Bake Sale Practices

Please follow the Cottage Foods Law of Ohio and note that everyone must adhere to these additional guidelines from the base Public Health Office:

- All bake sale items shall be individually wrapped at the original point of preparation.
- Preparation may be completed in a home-type kitchen with the reminder that only the bake sale items shall be prepared at this time. Food for individual consumption should not be prepared at the same time as bake sale items are prepared.
- Individuals conducting the baking and/or wrapping or sale of food shall thoroughly wash their hands before handling the product.

Ohio Cottage Foods

Everyone must follow Ohio Cottage Foods requirements <https://agri.ohio.gov/divisions/food-safety/resources/cottage-food>
Some examples of items not allowed:

- Any item that requires refrigeration to keep it from spoiling, including fresh fruit garnishes or fillings
- Candy covered fresh fruit
- Freezer jam and/or sugar-free jams/jellies/fruit butters
- Cheesecake, cream pie, pumpkin pie, or cream cheese icing
- Popping corn
- Acidified foods (ex: pickles, relishes, salsas)
- Hot pepper butter, pumpkin butter, nut butter

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Join the Wright-Patterson Officers' Spouses' Club!



Why Join?

New* Member Dues are \$30 as of Jan 1st

Volunteer Opportunities Benefitting Our Members, Military Families, and the Local Community

Monthly Social Programs for all Members

Over 20 Activity Groups for Members with Common Interests

Meet other spouses, explore the area, build a support network, and make an Impact!

BECOME A MEMBER TODAY!

www.wrightpattersonosc.org

*Dues are \$60 for returning members

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SEND US YOUR SNAPS!

If you have photos from this year's programs, activity groups, or volunteer events, please send them to Publicity Chair:

publicity@wrightpattersonosc.org



Hospitality & Information

HELLO!

Submit news about your fellow members and their accomplishments!

- *Milestone Birthdays
- *Graduations
- *New Jobs
- *Volunteering
- *New Babies
- *Newcomers
- *Farewells
- *Retirements



How to submit:

1. Online form:
 - A) Go to www.wrightpattersonosc.org
 - B) Click on "Share Your News"
2. Via Email: hospitality@wrightpattersonosc.org

Hospitality chair
Leigh Ann Yerrick



MEMBERSHIP

WPOSC Members and friends learn about the history of tea, create a special unique blend, and share a delicious lunch together during the monthly social!



ELECTION NEWS

WRIGHT-PATTERSON OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB

ELECTION 2024



A voting link will be emailed to our membership on APRIL 15, 2024
members will have 72 HOURS to cast their votes.

Members without emails on file will be mailed paper ballots

INTRODUCING THE 2024-2025 SLATE OF NOMINEES FOR ELECTED OFFICERS

OPEN

PRESIDENT - OPEN

Floor nominations are open April 1 - 8, 2024. Nominee must be a regular member of the WPOSC and nominated by another member in good standing. If you are interested in nominating someone to run for President, contact our parliamentarian, Aleks Harkavy, at parliamentarianewrightpattersonosc.org.



1ST VICE PRESIDENT - BRENDON MYERS

Brendon Myers was born in Central New York and raised in the Metro Orlando area. He grew up literally (and figuratively) at Disney World. He currently serves as the Reservations chair of the WPOSC. Growing up, he spent many Easter Sundays at Patrick SFB and MacDill AFB, since his grandpa is a retired member of the Army Reserves. His mom died from cancer when he was 18 years old. Brendon met his wife 10 years ago at her best friend's wedding (who sadly also died of cancer), and they have been married 9 years this Christmas. He enjoys doing all sorts of arts & crafts, watching movies, hiking, reading, and hanging out with his friends and loved ones. Brendon also recently started a new job at Cracker Barrel in Centerville.



2ND VICE PRESIDENT - DESIREE DE GARMO

Desiree grew up in California near Vandenberg AFB and met her husband while he was working there during his first duty station. They were married during Covid and moved to Wright Patt shortly thereafter. Desiree has a B.S. In Mathematics and spent 10 years teaching; 2 years as a volunteer and 8 years as a High School Algebra teacher. She currently has served on the HOA for her home in California for 5 years as VP, Secretary and Member at Large. This is her third year as member in WPOSC. She had served as Member at Large on the Admin Budget committee, last year as Membership Chair and this year as Administrative Treasurer. The last two years she has enjoyed volunteering at the base Thrift Store and being part of the TS Wednesday and Friday crews. She looks forward to continuing to serve and use her experiences as a teacher. Serving as 2nd Vice President will allow her to give back to WPOSC and the community.

ELECTION NEWS



SECRETARY - NANCY DELORY

Nancy is a 30 year Air Force active duty spouse. She has held many positions in spouses' clubs over the years, including Thrift Shop liaison, magazine editor, parliamentarian, first vice president, and president. She has three children: a 22 year old, a 19 year old, and a 16 year old. They have been stationed at Wright-Patterson AFB for almost 2 years now. Nancy was born in Miami, FL and attended University of Florida. She strives to help anywhere she lands. Nancy enjoys working (and shopping) at the Thrift Shop, playing Bunco, stamping, working on photo albums, knitting, learning to sew, baking, cooking, and gardening (when she have a yard big enough).



ADMINISTRATIVE TREASURER - ASHLEY ZELINSKI

Ashley's journey is woven with the threads of military life, from her beginning as a military dependent, to her own military service. Her tenure as an EMT included invaluable experience in the Intensive Care unit here at the 88th Medical Group. After the military, she pursued her passion for education, earning a degree in Elementary Education from Wright State. She served as a reading specialist and educator in Dayton Public Schools for 17 years, leaving an indelible mark on countless young minds before "retiring" last May. Ashley and Greg have been blessed with 2 wonderful daughters, a 3-year-old granddaughter, and another granddaughter due in July. She cherishes every moment spent as "Nana". If elected, she looks forward to working with the one of the most successful spouses' clubs in the military and to help continue making a positive impact in the surrounding community.



WELFARE TREASURER - TRACEY TOMME

After following her husband through his 21 years in the Air Force, they have now moved for her career instead of his. They moved 17 times during his service and now two times for her since he retired. They absolutely love living in Dayton! Tracey works as the CEO of the Dayton Society of Natural History where she gets to run the Boonshoft Museum and SunWatch Indian Village. They are starting their sixth year here, which for them, is a LOT. But it has gone fast and Tracey doesn't want to move again (yet). Their son is active duty, serving in the Marines as an F-18 pilot. Tracey loves that she now has the time and can be in one place long enough to also serve her community. As the current Welfare Treasurer, Tracey feels it is her privilege to get to meet so many military families and to help the WPSOC raise funds and distribute them to the many wonderful nonprofits of the area.



FLOOR NOMINATIONS FOR ALL EXECUTIVE POSITIONS ARE OPEN FROM APRIL 1-8, 2024.
NOMINEES FOR PRESIDENT, 1ST VICE AND 2ND VICE MUST BE REGULAR MEMBERS OF THE WPOSC.
ALL OTHER POSITIONS MAY BE FILLED BY ASSOCIATE MEMBERS.

A VOTING LINK WILL BE EMAILED TO YOU ON APRIL 15, 2024. VOTING WILL BE OPEN FOR 72 HOURS.
MEMBERS WITHOUT EMAILS ON FILE WILL BE MAILED PAPER BALLOTS.
YOUR VOTE IS CRUCIAL FOR HELPING US GET THE 2024-25 BOARD YEAR OFF TO A GREAT START!

QUESTIONS OR NOMINATIONS? CONTACT ALEKS HARKAVY:
parliamentarian@wrightpattersonosc.org

THANK YOU TO OUR NOMINATING COMMITTEE FOR THEIR HARD WORK AND TO OUR NOMINEES FOR THEIR WILLINGNESS TO LEAD US INTO A SUCCESSFUL NEW YEAR.

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THRIFT SHOP



WALK-IN CONSIGNMENTS!

- Please refer to *Consignment Rules & Procedures* and *Permanent No Take List* under "Thrift Shop Forms".
- Please call or check Facebook for the Weekly No Take List.



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	CLOSED

CONSIGNMENT HOURS

9:30 - 11:30 AM: Tues, Wed, Fri



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

thriftshop@wrightpattersonosc.org

****WE ACCEPT DONATIONS ANYTIME WE ARE OPEN!****

THE WRIGHT-PATTERSON
OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB



THRIFT SHOP CUSTODIAN

NOW HIRING

THIS IS A PAID POSITION

The custodian is responsible for all janitorial functions of the Thrift Shop.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Authorized to work in the United States
- Able to obtain base access
- Have reliable transportation
- Able to speak English
- Able to lift 25lbs
- Able to push & pull as needed for cleaning

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE
CONTACT THE THRIFT SHOP CHAIR:

thriftshop@wrightpattersonosc.org

APPLICATIONS
ACCEPTED UNTIL
11 APRIL

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Thrift Shop Treasures



Take a look at some of these great finds at the Thrift Shop!

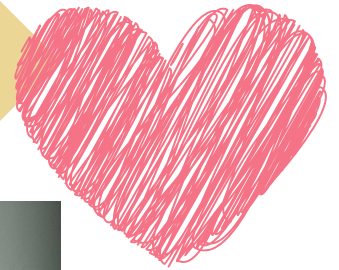
Visit the **WPOSC Thrift Shop** Facebook page each week to see the latest arrivals and weekly no take list for consignors.

SEEKING NEW VOLUNTEERS!

We always welcome new volunteers. There is a place for everyone to fit in.
Please contact the Thrift Shop Chair for more information:
thriftshop@wrightpattersonosc.org

CLUB NEWS EXTRAS

Notes from activity group leads...



Photography Club

Spring is here, the flowers are blooming and the trees are unfurling their new leaves. Let's take advantage of the weather by venturing to historic Lebanon. The town was founded in 1802 and named after biblical Lebanon due to the abundance of juniper or Eastern Red cedar trees in the area. The town is also known for the state's oldest continually operated establishment, the Golden Lamb. The gathering place opened in 1803, and has hosted many travelers, statesmen and presidents.



Wright Ringers



We are working hard on our spring playlist. It's not too late to join us. No experience is needed to play bells. For more information please contact Heidi C or Cathy G.

Antiques Soci  t  

Elizabeth C



Antiques Soci  t   members recently celebrated all things GREEN!

The next meeting is scheduled for April 25th.

Details coming soon!



CLUB NEWS EXTRAS

Rubber Stamp Club

Lori E



RSVP by: Tues, 9 Apr

Rubber stamp artists, greeting card makers, paper crafters, and paper-crafting wannabes...this is the group of friends you're looking for!!! Come join us as we get inky and make things!

We have been collecting handmade birthday cards from our members and will be donating a basket of these cards for the Make It, Bake It, Fake It silent auction this month. We hope you'll all stop by to see our handiwork and are inspired to bid BIG!

Our March meeting was a combination of calm and chaos! Evelyn's demo was calm and well planned out with easy-to-follow directions. Lori's demo was chaotic without so much as a finished project to use for visual guidance. Instead, she talked us through the idea in her head until we all finished successfully with an interactive card to show for it! April's projects will be designed by Cathy and Michele, and we can't wait to see what they have in store for us!

In the meantime, watch for upcoming meeting details, stamping and product discussions, reports from an upcoming stamp show and a paper crafting yard sale, information on upcoming stamp conventions, sign-ups for between-meeting activities, and more over at our Facebook group - WPOSC Rubber Stamp Club.

Book Club

Doriann C

Kris M



We will be reading the book *The Guest List* by Lucy Foley.

A wedding celebration turns dark and deadly in this deliciously wicked and atmospheric thriller.

On an island off the coast of Ireland, guests gather to celebrate two people joining their lives together as one. The groom: handsome and charming, a rising television star. The bride: smart and ambitious, a magazine publisher. It's a wedding for a magazine.

But perfection is for plans, and people are all too human. As the champagne is popped and the festivities begin, resentments and petty jealousies begin to mingle with the reminiscences and well wishes.

And then someone turns up dead. Who didn't wish the happy couple well? And perhaps more importantly, why?

WHAT'S COOKIN'?

"I have been making this salad the last couple of months and each time I make it I feel like it's a great choose your own adventure lunch. I can use deli items in my fridge or pantry. Use veggies that might need to be eaten soon and it is quick and easy to make. Try it out and add what you love from a sub shop in your salad. Sometimes it's more veggies than beans or even lentil pasta instead of beans. Enjoy!"

• *Des D*

- 1 - 15oz can of Cannellini beans (drained & rinsed)
- 1 - 15 oz can of garbanzo beans (drained & rinsed)
- 4 -6 oz of salami - diced
- 4 -6 oz of turkey breast deli slices - diced.
- 1 red bell pepper - sliced
- 2 pickles or ½ a cucumber - diced
- 10 cherry tomatoes cut in half or 5 sundried tomatoes diced
- ½ a jar of Italian giardiniera pickled veggies drained and diced or banana peppers
- 8 oz of cheese in cubes or shredded (I like mozzarella or pepper jack)
- Half a bunch of parsley - finely minced
- ¼ cup olive oil
- 3 tbsp red wine vinegar
- 1 tbsp of Mustard
- 2 tsp each: oregano, garlic powder & salt
- Juice of half a lemon



LUNCH
TIME

In a bowl whisk the olive oil, vinegar, mustard, seasonings and lemon juice to make the dressing for the salad. Add in the beans, veggies, deli meat and cheeses. Mix well to dress everything, and refrigerate before serving. This lasts a week for quick protein packed lunches.



Live
HEALTHY

GROUPS & ACTIVITIES

ANTIQUES SOCIÉTÉ

Elizabeth C

Check Club News Extras for info.

BOOK CLUB

Kris M.....

Doriann C.....

Book Club meets monthly on the 3rd Thursday of the month to discuss each month's selected novel.

BRUSH & PALETTE

Carrie P.....

Love to paint but can never find the time? The Brush and Palette is an Artist's Studio where we all work on our own projects and help each other with suggestions and encouragement. We welcome both beginner and experienced artists and everyone in between. Bring a project and your painting or drawing supplies to our meetings. We are looking forward to seeing you there!

BUNCO

Judy T.....

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Bunco

Bunco is a fun and easy dice game. We usually meet the first Tuesday of the month at someone's house. Social begins at 6pm with dice rolling at 7pm. Rather than bringing cash and only having a few winners,

we have been playing a different version where everyone brings an unwrapped \$7-\$10 gift and everyone leaves with something. Everyone also brings a potluck dish to share. We use Evite for all details and RSVPs as space can be limited. Upcoming dates: Feb 6, Mar 5, Apr 9, May 7

GAME NIGHT

Brenden M.....

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Game Night

KIDDOS & ME

Alexa V.....

Natasha R.....

We are a monthly playgroup for children of WPOSC Members. 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

LUNCH BUNCH

Marie A.....

Lunch Bunch typically meets once a month for a casual lunch at restaurants in and around Dayton. Join our FB group for updates.

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Lunch Bunch

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

Adriana E.....

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Photography Club

MAH JONGG

Cathy G.....
Sarah S.....

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 Cathy or Sarah or join our Facebook group if you are interested in joining!

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Mah Jongg

RETIRED OFFICERS' SPOUSES

Position open.....
ros@wrightpattersonosc.org

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Retired Officer Spouses

SPOUSES' NIGHT OUT

Nova O.....

SNO meets each month at different spots in the Dayton area for various activities like happy hour, dinner, bowling, etc. Outings typically take place near the end of the month. Dates change from month to month, so join our Facebook group for updates.

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Spouses Night Out

WINE CLUB

Mandy D.....
Elisa R.....

We are a group of wine connoisseurs who get together once a month to enjoy and explore the world of wine. We meet for both casual gatherings at each other's homes as well as local wine venues in the Dayton area.

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Wine Club

SKYLARKS

Open Position.....

Rehearsals not currently scheduled.

TAKE THEM A MEAL

Natasha R.....

No meetings currently scheduled
Group meets on an as-needed basis

This group serves members of the WPOSC by signing up to bring meals to fellow members in times of need. Did you just have a baby? Suffer a death in the family? Spouse deployed? Reach out to let us know and this group will mobilize to help you through life's transitions. Are you someone who is willing to sign up to occasionally bring a meal? Make sure you join this group!

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Take Them a Meal

TEA GROUP

Looking for group lead.....

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Tea Group

THE WRIGHT RINGERS

Heidi C.....

We welcome new members to our group, no experience required. Please contact Heidi Cahoon for more information.

WRIGHT WALKERS

Robin S.....

Facebook Group:
WPOSC Wright Walkers

Welcome to our 23-24 club year. Wright Walkers (WW) will be enjoying the outdoors while generating great conversations, exploring new areas of the Miami Valley/WPAFB, and encouraging new friendships, and healthy habits with you and your family or furbabies. The plan is to meet on the first and third Wednesday of each month at 10:30 am at various locations in Greene and Montgomery County. We will be open to suggested walking locations to be fair to those who live in the various communities that support WPAFB. -You will be responsible for any drinks or snacks you may need. Wear comfortable clothes and shoes for walking. We will walk for about an hour or more, which will equal about 1.5 miles at a casual pace. There are lots of opportunities to visit and meet new people. I will carry a first aid kit. -As the weather changes, either fog or snow, there may be a need to cancel our walk. I will try to do my best to email or text the group and post on Facebook if this becomes necessary. Looking forward to seeing our regulars and many new faces.

RUBBER STAMP CLUB

Lori E.....

WPOSC Rubber Stamp Club | Facebook

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 share crafting tips and techniques, plus where to find the best bargains, stamp conventions, and stamping websites!

CREATIVE CORNER

Carrie P.....

WRIGHT-FIT

Michelle Cain.....
grooveycain@yahoo.com

NEED TO UPDATE YOUR ACTIVITY SIGN-UPS?

Do you see a fun group you'd like to join that you didn't originally sign up for? Not a problem!

- Go to wrightpattersonosc.org.
- Hover over "Activities" on the top bar
- Select "Activities Form" from the drop-down menu.
- Fill out the form and click submit!



2023-2024 WPOSC LEADERSHIP

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NOMINATING.....	Aleks Harkavy
NOMINATING.....	Melissa Troxel
SCHOLARSHIP.....	Katie Hoffman
WELFARE.....	Candice Waldroup
WELFARE BUDGET.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER

Service Activity Leaders

MOBILE FOOD PANTRY.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
SKYLARKS.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
Co-Lead.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
TAKE THEM A MEAL.....	Natasha Ravak
WRIGHT RINGERS.....	Heidi Cahoon
Co-Lead.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER

Social Activity Leaders

ANTIQUES SOCIÉTÉ.....	Elizabeth Clark
Co-Lead.....	
BOOK CLUB.....	Kris Mangold
Co-Lead.....	Doriann Council
BRUSH & PALETTE.....	Carrie Panches..
Co-Lead.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
BUNCO.....	Judy Taylor
Co-Lead.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
GAME NIGHT.....	Brenden Myers
KIDDOS & ME.....	Alexa Vincie
Co-Lead.....	Natasha Ravak
LUNCH BUNCH.....	Marie Albright
Co-Lead.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
MAH JONGG PLAYERS.....	Cathy Gagnon
PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB.....	Adriana Eden
RUBBER STAMP CLUB.....	Lori Enochian
SPOUSES' NIGHT OUT.....	Nova Otte
TEA GROUP.....	SEEKING VOLUNTEER
WINE CLUB.....	Mandy Duncan
Co-Lead.....	Elisa Rickard
WRIGHT WALKERS.....	Robin Sowder
CREATIVE CORNER.....	Carrie Panches
WRIGHT-FIT.....	Michelle Cain

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN AN OPEN POSITION? WOULD YOU LIKE MORE INFORMATION? Contact the President, Suzanne Davis, at president@wrightpattersonosc.org

DO YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT ANY OF OUR ACTIVITY GROUPS? Contact: service_activities@wrightpattersonosc.org OR social_activities@wrightpattersonosc.org

LEADERSHIP MEETING SCHEDULE

WPOSC 2023-2024 Board of Governors' Calendar

Curious to know when the Board meets?
Needing to bring up an issue?
Know when decisions are being discussed so you
can make your voice heard prior to the meeting!
All times and dates subject to change as needed

APRIL

4/4 Board of Governors 7:00 PM TBD
4/11 Make It, Bake It, Fake It Silent Auction 6:00 PM TBD
4/18 Scholarship Committee 6:30 PM Zoom
4/25 Welfare Committee 1:00 PM Zoom

MAY

5/3 Executive Committee 1:00 PM Zoom
5/5 Board Reports Due 11:59 PM Email to Secretary
5/8 Board of Governors 1:00 PM TBD
5/9 Scholarship Reception 6:00 PM TBD
5/26 Board Reports Due 11:59 PM Email to Secretary
5/30 Changeover Meeting 7:00 PM TBD

THE WRIGHT WORD

THE WRIGHT-PATTERSON OFFICERS' SPOUSES' CLUB
P.O. BOX 67
FAIRBORN, OH 45324

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Website: www.wrightpattersonosc.org

WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE FREQUENTLY CALLED NUMBERS

GENERAL

Base Operator..... (937) 257-1110
Directory Assistance..... 113
Military & Family Readiness Center..... (937) 257-3592

SAFETY & LEGAL

Security Police/Fire Dept..... 911
Security Desk (Bldg. 295)..... (937) 257-6516
Pass/Registration (Bldg. 286)..... (937) 257-6506
Legal Assistance (Bldg. 10)..... (937) 257-6142
Military IDs (Bldg. 2)..... (937) 257-2547

MEDICAL (Hospital & Clinics are on Area A)

Medical Appointments..... (937) 522-2778
Emergency Room..... (937) 257-2274
Pediatrics..... (937) 257-6991
Women's Health..... (937) 257-1160
Mental Health..... (937) 257-6877
Veterinarian..... (937) 257-6853

SHOPPING

Base Exchange
Main Store (Bldg. 1250)..... (937) 879-5730
Home & Garden/Class VI..... (937) 878-8831
Commissary..... (937) 257-2060
Military Clothing Sales..... (937) 257-2800

HOBBY COMPLEX

Arts & Crafts..... (937) 257-7025
Framing Shop..... (937) 257-7183
Information, Tickets, & Travel..... (937) 257-7670

FITNESS & RECREATION

Dodge Fitness Center (Bldg. 849)..... (937) 257-4225
Jarvis Fitness Center (Bldg. 1245)..... (937) 257-4469
Wright Field Fitness Center (Bldg. 571)..... (937) 257-1961
Base Theater (Bldg. 1239)..... (937) 257-4697
Bowling Alley (Bldg. 1221) (937) 257-7796
Outdoor Recreation (Bldg. 95)..... (937) 257-9889
Wright-Patterson Club (Bldg. 800)..... (937) 257-9762

** For a more complete WPAFB phone directory, visit www.wpaafb.af.mil & click on "Phone Directory" in the upper right hand corner**

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!

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-  **Email:** Emails sent out monthly with calendar and reminders