



Power of the Purse Women's Giving Circle

"Connecting Women Who Care With Causes That Matter."

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2010 Meeting Dates

April 20th

September 14th

November 30th

Next Event...

Grantee

Presentations

Join us at Patti Alderson's home on September 14th for dinner, wine and to cast your vote for the 2010 POP Grant Recipient!

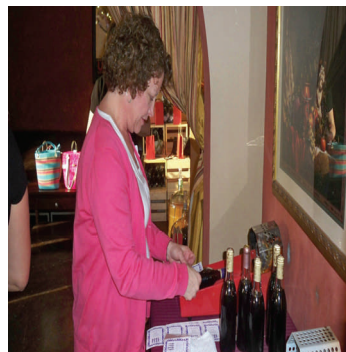
The evening will begin at 5:30 p.m. The cost per guest is \$20 but is **FREE** for those that pay their 2011 membership dues that evening!

This event will also have a special treat featuring Yelton Jewelers!

You will not want to miss this unique event.



Bottling wine at Tino Vino's in April. Come taste the fruits of your labor on Sept. 14th



EVENT SPECIFICS

DATE

September 14, 2010

TIME

5:30 p.m.

LOCATION

8222 Lesourdsville
West Chester Rd
West Chester OH

COST

FREE for women paying 2011 dues on or before Sept 14th
Otherwise \$20 per person
(Write POP on all checks)

REGISTER BY:

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2011 Membership Drive

2011 dues are \$100. We hope to increase our membership by lowering dues and offering a split payment option. Because fundraising for local charities is our main goal, only 2011 members will be allowed to attend 2011 functions. By paying your 2011 dues on or before Sept 14th, you will receive a \$20 Yelton Jewelers gift certificate, dinner and 5 raffle tickets to the infamous purse raffle on Sept. 14 .

Membership dues are 100% tax deductible.

WE ARE STILL ACCEPTING 2010 MEMBERSHIP DUES!

POP is still accepting \$150 for 2010 membership. Join by Sept 14th so you can vote for this year's grant recipient.

IT'S TIME TO VOTE!

The final round of voting will happen during the September meeting. (Article on pg 2)

If you aren't able to attend the meeting, you can vote online at: www.wclfoundation.com.

Contact Melissa Benedict with any questions or concerns that you may have.

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**OUR
MISSION
STATEMENT**

The Power of the Purse educates, inspires and increases the number of women committed to philanthropy in order to strengthen our community by providing funds and assistance to women and girls.

Look for POP on facebook!



OUR 2010 FINALISTS!

Vote for one of the following extraordinary organizations at our meeting on September 14.

PARTNERS IN PRIME WEST CHESTER

Partners In Prime is dedicated to enhancing the lives of people 55 and better to reach their personal best – their prime. Partners In Prime has executed a long-term lease with West Chester Township to operate an activity center at the old library site on Cox Road. This almost 16,000 square foot building will be named the West Chester Activity Center, emphasizing prime club activities during the day and including activities for the entire community. Community residents will also be able to rent rooms in the Center for meetings and events. The building will feature a large meet-and-greet lobby and four rooms for programming a variety of fitness, educational, social and recreational activities.



CITIZENS AGAINST DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Jim and Elsa founded Citizens Against Domestic Violence in 1996 after their youngest daughter Tina was murdered December 21, 1992 at age 18, by an ex-boyfriend. Citizens Against Domestic Violence is a program that acts to promote an awareness of domestic violence and the damage it does to individuals, and to family, church and business relationships. Citizens Against Domestic Violence seeks to educate through information and to implement services to those who desire freedom from violence/abuse. They are requesting funds to administer a Teen Dating Violence Prevention Program called "Dating Violence 101." The program is presented at no cost to local schools to educate teens on the warning signs of abuse and how to seek help and break free.



HEALTHY VISIONS

Healthy Visions guides people to better choices, for stronger relationships, in sexuality, marriage and parenting. By cultivating healthier families through these challenging phases of life, Healthy Visions is ultimately cultivating a healthier society. They are requesting funds for their Safe Teen and Tech Effect programs for Kings and Lakota students. The programs are aimed at teaching teens the dangers of the internet and educates them on how to avoid risky behaviors and how to develop social skills and assess students need to grow into self sufficient, productive and community involved adults.



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