

**CCHA Orleans Branch  
General Meeting Minutes  
May 6, 2025**

The meeting was called to order by Peg Jemison at the Federated Church of Orleans with approximately 34 members in attendance.

**Auxiliary Prayer:** Read by Peg Jemison

**New Members:** Meg Mahoney joined us at the meeting and Peach Button joined our group. WELCOME!

**Thoughts and Prayers:** Please keep the following people in your thoughts and prayers: Sue Silver, Judy Zimmerman, Sally Hoblitzell, Joan Kirkby, Kathy Sullivan's husband, Tom and Sissy Olsen's brother-in-law.

**Minutes:** Motion to accept the April minutes by Linda Wander and was seconded by Marcy Ericson.

**Treasurer's report:** Rose Gadbois and Linda Wander – Rose presented a summary of the 5/4/25 email. The Game-day was very successful and enjoyable. Thank you, Deb Setterlund and Pam Santas!

**Announcements from the Co-Chair:** **OUR NEW EMAIL: [cchauxiliary.orleans@gmail.com](mailto:cchauxiliary.orleans@gmail.com)**

The Hospital has opened up a new Urgent Care at Pine Hills in Plymouth.

There is only \$35,000 left on our \$1,000,000. pledge with several fundraisers left for the fiscal year! The new pledge will be announced at the October Luncheon.

**The June luncheon will be at Encore Bistro on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Don't forget to sign up as the cut off date is May 19<sup>th</sup>!**

The draft for our updated Policies and Procedures has gone out for approval. Thank you, Dianne Greaney and Linda Wander.

**Committee Reports:**

**Ways & Means** – Arlene Thompson, Paula Brady, Cathy Cardamone – We need YOU and your ideas for some future fundraisers. All ideas are welcome. **Do you have an idea for a fundraiser for our hospital?** Contact Arlene Thompson, Cathy Cardamone or Paula Brady.

**Card Party/Game Day:** Debbie Setterlund, Pam Santas- The card party was a great success, making \$2,418. Thank you to all of the volunteers who helped out!!

**Hydrangea Festival:** Nancy Johnson - **WE HAVE GARDENS!!** We have 4 gardens located in Provincetown for July 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>. Nancy had sign-up sheets at the meeting, but if you can volunteer, please contact Nancy at [ncjohnson9@comcast.net](mailto:ncjohnson9@comcast.net). Please remember to Car Pool!! A big thank you to Arlene Thompson, who's brother helped us tremendously in obtaining these gardens! Thank you

**Fashion Show:** Sue Mandel - The Orleans and Chatham/Harwich branches will be putting on a Fashion Show on September 25<sup>th</sup> at St. Christopher's Episcopal Church in Chatham from 2-5. We currently have 6 stores participating, including our own thrift shop! The stores have agreed to give a 20% discount. **We will need many volunteers to assist with this event. Please join us on May 13th, 1:00 PM, at St. Christopher's for our next meeting! We want YOU!!** Volunteers do not have to pay for a ticket unless they are planning to sit and enjoy the show. Please contact Sue Mandel @ [suephone.sm@gmail.com](mailto:suephone.sm@gmail.com) if you have any questions or want to help.

**Corresponding Secretary:** Marcy Ericson- sent out a card for Sally Hoblitzell.

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**Historian:** Nancy Johnson – Nancy added an article about the new Edwin Barbey Patient Care Pavillion.

**Hospitality-** Lynn Brennan needs bakers for September. Please contact her at [lynnbrennan4@gmail.com](mailto:lynnbrennan4@gmail.com).

**Membership:** Lynn Nelson, Linda Bohlen, Diane Forester and Kathy Sullivan – there were 34 members at the meeting. All events will have us trying to get new members.

**Nominating:** Arlene Thompson, Sue McFarlane and Mary Walsh – Arlene read the nominees for next year. Please see the attached list, so you will be ready to vote. Please consider stepping up and know that you will have all of the assistance you need. We need YOU!

**Publicity:** Robin Berlanti and Ann Caplicki – We are starting to get ready for the Hydrangea Festival.

**Puppets:** Dianne Greaney – We donated 4 dozen puppets to the hospital this month.

**Programs:** Nancy Ciccia, Benva Grogan, Sissy Olsen- Mike Herman, member of the Select Board discussed Affordable Housing and requirements for Orleans. Next month is the luncheon on June 3<sup>rd</sup>. Come join us and sign up before May 19<sup>th</sup>.

**No report:** Dollars for Scholars, Marketing/Communication, & Property

**Old Business:** none                      **New Business:** none

Sissy Olsen won the lanyard raffle                      Motion to Adjourn –Jeanne Morcone, seconded – Pam Santas

**2025/26 CCHA-ORLEANS SLATE OF OFFICERS:**

**Co-Chairs:** Teri Babetski and Jeanne Morcone                      **Member Communication:** Cathy Cardamone

**Recording Secretary:** Sue Mandel                      **Corresponding Secretary:** Marcy Ericson

**Treasurers:** Rose Gadbois and Linda Wander

**Committee Chairs:**

**Dollars for Scholars:** Sue Mangan                      **Historian:** Nancy Johnson

**Hospitality:** Lynn Brennan, Sue Mangan, Susan Michaud                      **Marketing/Communication:** Deb Setterlund

**Membership:** Linda Bohlen, Diane Forester, Lynn Nelson and Kathy Sullivan

**Nominating:** Arlene Thompson, Mary Walsh and Maggie West                      **Puppets:** Dianne Greaney

**Programs:** Nancy Ciccia, Benva Grogan, and Sissy Olsen                      **Property:** Nancy Ciccia and Linda Wander

**Publicity:** Robin Berlanti and Ann Caplicki                      **Ways and Means:** Paula Brady, Cathy Cardamone and Arlene Thompson

**Holly Berry Bazaar:** \_\_\_\_\_ **(We need you!)** \_\_\_\_\_

Respectfully submitted: Sue Mandel, Recording Secretary

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