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President's Message

As we move toward the holiday season, please remember that BWA is now a non-profit foundation able to accept tax deductible donations for our scholarship fund.

Perhaps your business or a business owner you work with might welcome an opportunity to support women's higher education in Broward County.



Our December meeting features a visit with our own Melissa Milroy and many elegant gift ideas from Galleria Mall. Melissa brings an incredible selection of items from many of her retail partners at the mall. I know I always head to Galleria after our meeting to pick up some of her suggestions for holiday gifts.

Another important fundraiser at the December meeting is our Chinese Auction. Gift cards from restaurants and donations

Events Calendar

December 9th

January 13th

February 10th

March 9th

April 13th

May 11th

June 8th

*Speakers and topic's subject to
change without notice

of items from a store or business you frequently shop at is the easiest to ask for and the most popular in the auction. Between now and the December meeting when you have lunch or dinner at one of your favorite restaurants, ask for the manager at the end of your meal and request a gift certificate. The answer is almost always "yes." [Click here](#) to list a gift you have successfully solicited for the auction.

There are no words to express my gratitude for the work of our volunteer board and members who work tirelessly to raise dollars for Broward women's scholarships. Thank you!!

Happy Thanksgiving.

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Meeting Information

Regular registration ends November 8th. Sign up now, seating may be limited!

If you must cancel after Friday, November 8th or, if you have questions about registration you must contact **Debbi Hartman at Browardwomensalliance@gmail.com or 954-483-3060.**



Mary C. Owens, MSW, CDC, CTACC

Our November program speaker will answer the question “Are Your Relationships in Sync?” Her mission in life is to support women who are experiencing a significant life transition, and to identify the tools women may use to build successful relationships in our lives. She holds a Master’s in Social Work, is a Certified Life Transitions Coach, a Clinical Social Worker, and a Certified Divorce Coach.

Her presentation for BWA focuses on relationships, which she defines as a “life’s dance...a fluid interaction between you and the people around you that moves you through life... the turns, the dips, the pauses.” In this insightful and uplifting presentation, she will explore strategies to create more meaningful and lasting relationships in our lives.

[Register](#)



AN EVENING WITH BWA

**BROWARD WOMEN'S ALLIANCE INVITES
YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS TO ENJOY
WINE & CHEESE AS YOU PREPARE
FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON!
ANN TAYLOR IS OFFERING SPECIAL
DISCOUNTS AND A CHANCE
TO WIN RAFFLE ITEMS
And so much more!**

**DECEMBER 4TH, 2019, 5:30PM - 7:30PM
ANN TAYLOR STORE - GALLERIA MALL
RSVP by December 3rd - walk-ins welcome**

[Register](#)



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Member News

On Thursday, November 7th Maureen Dinnen moderated a panel discussion for the Tower Forum at the Tower Club that considered the question “How Well are Charter Schools Balancing the Public Trust with Entrepreneurship?” Seated on the panel were Leslie Brown, Chief Portfolio Services Officer for Broward County Schools, the Honorable Josh Levy Mayor of Hollywood, Florida, and Henry Rose, Director, Florida Consortium of Public Charter Schools and Chair of Parents for Charter Schools.

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SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 29, 2020 6 P.M. – 10 P.M.

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Young At Art Museum hosts the 14th Annual Recycled Fashion Show Friday, November 15 from 7 - 11 p.m. Talented teen designers will showcase their original couture fashions made from sustainable, recycled materials in a New-York-style fashion show titled *Artists Restyled*. Each teen has chosen a ground-breaking artist on which to base her designs. Participants in YAA's fashion fundraiser are teens in YAA's Volunteer Program and YAA's Girls N' Power Program at PACE Center Broward: 100 percent of the net proceeds from the fashion show benefit YAA's community

initiatives serving low-income children, families and at-risk teen girls.

On October 11th, the Broward County Women Lawyers' Association (BCWLA), the Broward County School Board, Hispanic Vote and members of the judiciary of the 17th Judicial Circuit, hosted more than 80 students at the courthouse for an Informed Voters Workshop. BCWLA Vice-President and BWA President-Elect Vivian Fazio, made a presentation to the students on the role of judges in the court system, what attributes to look for, and how essential it is to our democracy that judges be fair and impartial.

Last month Barbara Lynes took her daughter on a two-week trip to India, which they both found was astonishing. They stopped in Delhi, Agra, Ranthambore National Park, and Jaipur. Barbara says: "It was such a thrill for me and my daughter to have a window opened on that part of the world, and to experience a culture so different from our own."

Henderson Behavioral Health and Suzanne Higgins invite the membership of BWA to the groundbreaking for the new Crisis Stabilization Unit on Friday November 22nd. For close to 20 years, Henderson Behavioral Health has operated a Crisis Stabilization Unit. Thanks to the CSU Special Gifts Campaign, they will be breaking ground for a contemporary, state-of-the-art facility that will help to meet the ever-increasing need for accessible and high-quality behavioral health services in our community. Please RSVP to Suzanne at 954-777-1624 by November 18th. The groundbreaking will take place at 330 SW 27th Avenue in Fort Lauderdale at 8:30 a.m.

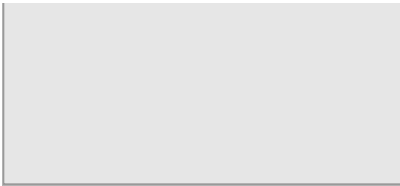


**Art and Culture
Center/Hollywood**

The current exhibition, entitled *Artists Draw Their Studios*, is a unique one. Invited by artist/guest curator, Michelle Weinberg, 60 artists contributed drawings of their workplaces. The exhibit illustrates the diverse way in which artists perceive their work and lives.

Two new exhibitions will open November 9th, with an evening reception at the center. The first, entitled *The Allure of Unfathomable Industry*, features work by Latin contemporary artist, Rafael Vargas. The second, entitled *Informed by Institution*, will feature works loaned from gallery-owner Mindy Solomon's and husband Michael Solomon's personal ceramics collection

On November 16th the 11th annual Golf for Art tournament will take place at the championship, Par 70 Hollywood Beach Golf Club to benefit the Art and Culture Center/Hollywood. Following play, there will be a sit-down awards barbecue cookout. For more information call 954-921-3274.



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