

CWA began our 2023-24 season with a fashion show on Monday Sept. 18 chaired by Kathy Fisher and Robin Gowdy. The room was festive for fall. The plated luncheon was served by It's Party Time. Chico's clothing was modeled by Charbonneau ladies, Mary Tillery, Carol McHugh, Claudia de Vries, Leesa Gango, Janie Olson, and Debbie Stonebraker.

Our October 9, 2023 program was Safety Awareness. Our Mediterranean lunch was prepared by the Market Café. Neal Kennedy, our new Charbonneau Security Manager and our new Corporate Crime Patrol spoke of the enhancements being made for security in Charbonneau. Jim Teague spoke about internet security. Very insightful. Hopefully, there will be some security fireside chats in the near future for us to learn more about how to keep ourselves safe while traveling or at home.

Are you ready for a stress-free holiday season? Monday, November 13, 2023 we will meet Annette Mulligan, as she shares ways to set goals and get organized as the busy season approaches. Cost for the buffet luncheon is \$32 for members and \$37 for non-members. You can sign up for the luncheon in the Activity Center coat room until noon Thursday Nov. 9<sup>th</sup>.

Mark your calendar for our wonderful holiday event, "I'm Dreaming of a Pink Christmas". This will be held on Monday December 11, 2023 and you will not want to miss this lovely day. Co-chairs Judi Hickman and April Marcell are planning a wonderful brunch event with entertainment from the Innovative Dance Studio. Table Reservation forms and the RSVP book for individuals is available until seats are sold out in the Activity Center coat room. Cost is \$40. for members, \$45. for non-members. All reservations must be made by noon on Tuesday December 5.

If you have not already joined, membership applications are available on line at [CWACHarbonneau.com](http://CWACHarbonneau.com) or you can pick up an application in the Activity Center Coat Room next to the library. The CWA book is located there. That is also where you can make a reservation for the next luncheon. You then deposit the check in the CCC drop box at the door to the building or give it to Claudia at the front desk.

CWA board would like to get your thoughts on our luncheons and programs. Please take the time to submit a survey for current and non-members. The surveys are available on our web site @[CWACHarbonneau.com](http://CWACHarbonneau.com) or in our current RSVP book in the coat room of the activity center. We would love to hear from you so that we can continue to provide value to our members.