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the Heart

Gala

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Woman's Club 

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WELCOME

PROGRAM

6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Reception/Cocktail Hour in Flamingo Room
Silent Auction

7:15 PM - 7:45 PM

Dinner in Coral Room

7:45 - 8:30 PM

Lynn Bauer
Champion for Kids Award

Chuck Little
Presidential Heart Award

Phillis Oeters
Trailblazer Award

8:45 PM

Flamingo Room - Dancing, Dessert,
& Silent Auction Opens

10:25 PM

Silent Auction Closes

11:00 PM

Silent Auction Check Out

12:00 AM

Gala Ends



Lynn Bauer

Champion for Kids Award

Lynn Bauer, a native New Yorker and an entrepreneur from early childhood, has a lifetime of serving others, with a special focus on children. A registered Nurse with open heart ICU experience, she attended medical school in Santo Domingo. During that time, she took weekend jaunts to Cap Haitien, Haiti, where she would tend to lepers, young and old who were ostracized by society.

Years later in 2005, Lynn was one of Executive Directors and Co-Founders of Sunil's Home, an orphanage in Samisragudem, India. There, she and fellow philanthropists bought property and built a 6500 square foot home for 64 orphans who lovingly refer to her as Mom Lynn. She and fiance, Dr. Hal Wanless, made numerous trips to India to make sure all went well and after 10 years the orphanage is self-sufficient. While helping Sunil's Home, Lynn and Hal also shared their time, talent and treasure for the last 20 years, with The Dr. Marvin Dunn academy for Community Education (ACE), an Alternative High School. Lynn enlisted help from Kiwanis and others to host events, donate supplies and more.

For 30 years using her Coral Gables, FL. home base at Bauer Financial she has served in countless other ways becoming a Community Advocate and Benefactor to many causes that are close to her heart especially when children are in need. Lynn as she tries to always keep one eye cocked toward helping kids which was easily accomplished in 2017 to 2019 as Chairman of the Board of the Coral Gables Museum and she has since continued to be Board Chair of the Education Dept. working with a talented staff of professionals to have a dynamic and educational Dept.

Only a book would cover this amazing woman's contributions to our community and the world. Lynn Bauer is truly an inspiration to all.



Chuck Little

Presidential Heart Award

Chuck little is a man with a big heart and a love for kids and Basketball. He has taken this passion and combined it to serve his community and to serve our youth. His commitment to the kids in our community is evident in his many years of dedicated volunteer work in youth outreach and community programs. Chuck is currently President of the Miami Kiwanis Club, and simultaneously the Basketball Committee chair and Past President of the Junior Orange Bowl. Chuck has also served in different capacities at several other community youth organizations such as K-land Youth Park, Tamiami Youth Basketball, Sunniland Youth Basketball and The Boys and Girls Club of Miami. His love for our youth and the sport translates to all those that work with him and his relentless drive to elevate his basketball youth programs is evident in the growth of his programs. He continuously strives to find ways to engage the kids who share his love of the sport and to find sponsors that will support him. Chuck inspires those that work with him from coaches to volunteers to sponsors who all share his vision of creating youth programs that keep our kids interested in healthy competition and sportsmanship.

Chuck is an inspiration, and well-loved by all who know him. A gentle man with a big heart, and a positive impact on the youth of our community.



Phillis Oeters Trailblazer Award

Phillis Oeters recently retired from a successful career at Baptist Health South Florida. For over 30 years, Phillis served as Baptist's Corporate Vice President of Government and Community Relations.

Over the years, Phillis has served on many community boards, including the Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce, Beacon Council, United Way, Nat Moore Foundation, and Actors' Playhouse. She was both Chairman of the Orange Bowl Committee and the Greater Miami Chamber of Commerce. She was also Chairman of the Board of the Neurologically Injured Compensation Fund for the State of Florida, a billion-dollar fund responsible for caring for children injured at birth.

A long-time supporter of the American Red Cross, she was Chairman of the Board for Greater Miami and the Keys Chapter for three years. She chaired the Spectrum Awards for Women for more than 20 years. She is a founding member and past Chairman of the President's Council of 100 for Florida International University.

Some of Phillis' community recognitions include Distinguished Alumna from Barry University; American Red Cross Volunteer of the Year Award; Big Brothers, Big Sisters Miami's Miracle Makers Award; the Bill Colson Award for Leadership; South Florida Business Journal Influential Business Women Award; the Nancy Hughes Community Commitment Award for ethics in government, presented by Miami-Dade County Days and the list goes on and on...

Phillis is known by her peers to be a brilliant and dedicated professional, a humanitarian who has served as an inspiration for many women in the community.

Upcoming Events

Join us for our CGWC monthly Gringo Bingo nights hosted by Clutch Burger featuring DJ Germain.



Next event: March 10th, 7-9 pm. to benefit Coral Gables Rotary's efforts with Ecoworks in Haiti.

Visit our tent and taste our chili at Coral Gables Rotary's Chili Cook-off on March 22, 1-5pm. at Fred B. Hartnett Ponce Circle Park in Coral Gables.
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ROTARY CLUB



CORAL GABLES

About

The GFWC Coral Gables Woman's Club is a social and community service organization that represents a diverse population of dynamic women of all: ages, ethnicities, talents, and interests. In existence since 1923, the club is comprised of women who work or reside in Miami-Dade and Broward county areas.

The Coral Gables Woman's Club (CGWC) is part of the General Federation of Women's Clubs (GFWC), which is the oldest and largest women's volunteer service organization in the world. The CGWC is part of District 11 within GFWC Florida. By living the volunteer spirit, GFWC Coral Gables Woman's Club transforms lives each day, not simply with monetary donations, but with hands-on projects that provide immediate impact.

Our common bond is a commitment to serving our community while enhancing and improving the lives of others through our volunteer efforts. Our club often partners with other organizations to make a positive impact. As a member of this club, you will have the opportunity to meet new friends, learn from others and share ideas and experiences with women on an international, state and local level.

We invite women who are looking to become involved in the local, national and international community in service and fellowship to join. It is a great opportunity to meet new friends while giving your time to worthy causes. Members volunteer 10 to 1000 hours, it is up to you how involved you want to be.

The club meets the first and third Wednesday of every month. Check website for updates.

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Kids'
Night
WEDNESDAY'S
4-8 PM

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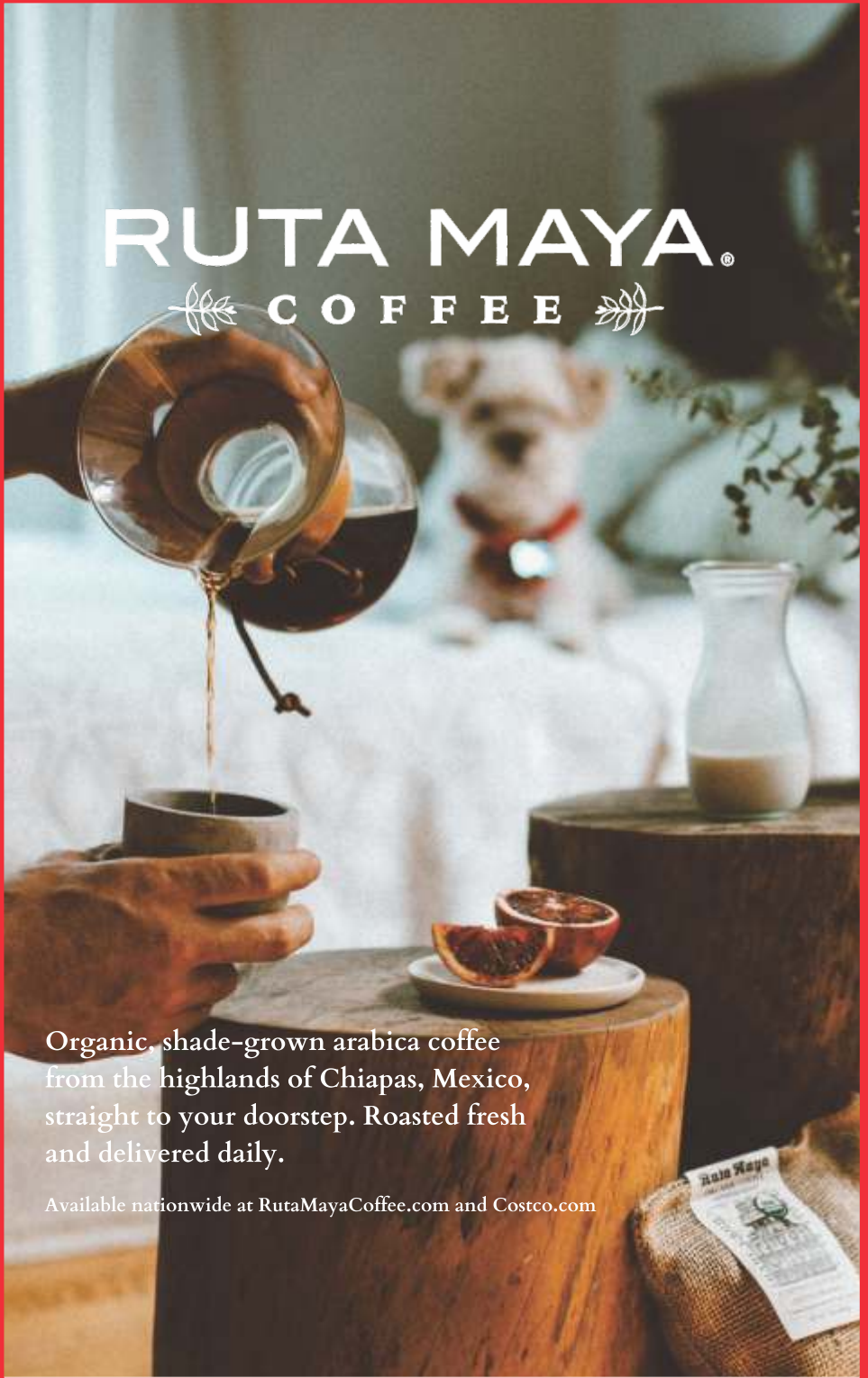
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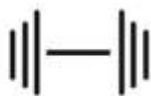
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We are a group of Women supporting Women in becoming the best version of ourselves, while living a healthier lifestyle. We empower and encourage each other to uncover any obstacles blocking us from achieving happiness and fulfilling our life goals and dreams.

By joining our community you will have access to the tools that will support you on your journey such as:



Meal Plan & Snack
Ideas



Weekly Workouts



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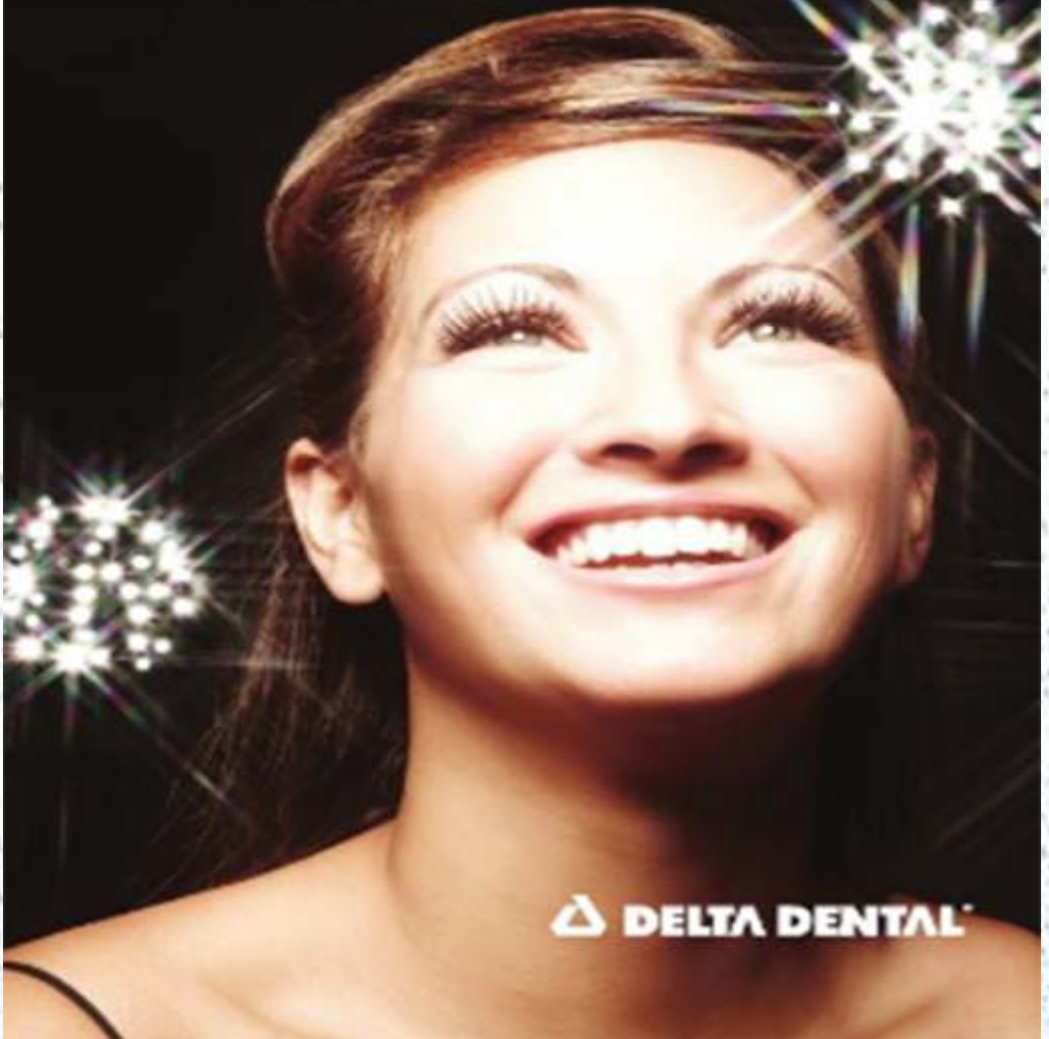
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