## SMITH CLUB OF CHARLOTTESVILLE I 2015-2016

Dear Smithies,

When I moved to Charlottesville in 2009, the first thing I did was look for the local Smith club. Everywhere I've lived, Smith women have been there to help. The same was true in Charlottesville. Although the club was inactive when I arrived, by 2010 several alumnae came together "to get things going" again. Thank you to all of you who helped, attended events, paid dues and responded to our mailings. It's been a real privilege to serve as your president for the past 5 years.

A vital aspect of leadership is finding someone to follow. I'm glad to report that Shea Zwerver, Nancy Hunt and Julia Hayden are continuing club activities. Shea will be our new president and Nancy will be our Treasurer. A big thanks to Julia for staying on as secretary. I'm stepping down as president to take on other volunteer endeavors. My 9 year-old wants to be a Girl Scout and I want to have this experience so I've decided to be a troop leader to 12 girls in Western Albemarle County. It's going to be an adventure!

Of course, I love Smith, deeply appreciate being an alumna, and most of all look forward to seeing you all soon. Please call on me if I can be helpful as a member the Smith Club of Charlottesville.

Camilyn K. Leone '89

**Camilyn Leone** was instrumental in reviving this club into an active, functioning club, and we are grateful for all of her hard work and look forward to seeing her at many Smith functions to come! Thank you, Camilyn.

We also want to thank **Anne Linden** for her service as our Treasurer for the past two years. She brought a probity, process, and structure to managing our budget that we are very grateful for – all while balancing a busy (and exciting) life. We are very grateful.

### HOW THE CLUB WORKS

#### As a resident of the region, you are a member of the Smith Club of Charlottesville.

Our club is entirely self-supporting. We ask that active members who can pay dues choose one of the options on the next page. At the last annual meeting, we voted to simplify dues and to focus on making connections and getting together.

Dues pay for administrative costs of running the Smith club, awarding local Smith Book Awards, and furthering our goals of community. This year we have folded in the costs of doing Book Awards into the Dues structure.

If you wish to continue getting periodic invitations and updates via postal mail, make sure you indicate that in the Mailing Preferences. If Smith has your correct email address, you will continue to get email updates, even if you don't send this form back.

We are doing the **Smith Club of Charlottesville/Central and Western Virginia Directory** again this year. It will be distributed at the end of October. *You do not have to be an active member of the club to participate*. Participation is voluntary; only participants will have access to the directory. Print copies will be available for an additional \$5 for people without Internet access.

### WE'RE ONLINE

Web alumnae.smith.edu/smithcms/charlottesville/

**Facebook** Search for Smith Club of Charlottesville

Email SCCharlottesville@gmail.com

#### CLUB LEADERSHIP

**President: Shea Zwerver '10** sazwerver@gmail.com | 724/986-5681

Secretary: Julia Hayden '94 julia@julen.net | 434/953-2287

**Treasurer: Nancy Hunt '68** 

#### UPCOMING EVENTS

Harrisonburg Lunch Meetup November 7, 2015

Charlottesville Tea
December 2015

**Lynchburg Lunch Meetup** February 6. 2016

Charlottesville Lunch Meetup March 26, 2016

Want a lunch meetup in your area? Let us know!

Would you like to host a tea at your home this spring? We're looking for someplace we can have our annual meeting.

# SIGN UP FOR ACTIVE MEMBERSHIP

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**Your Postal Address:** 

Your Email Address:

**Mailing Preferences** (circle one)

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Dues Schedule	Circle One		
Recent Graduates (Classes of 2009-2014)	\$15.00		
Senior Classes Dues (pre-1970 Classes)	\$5.00		
Standard Dues	\$25.00		
Contributing Member	\$50.00		
Additional Items	Circle to Select		
Print Copy of Directory	\$5.00		
Total Enclosed	\$		

Please make checks payable to:

Smith College Club of Charlottesville

## DIRECTORY SIGNUP

Share as much or as little information as you'd like. If you would rather not participate, leave this form blank.

☐ Please Keep Last Year's Submission

Name and Class:

Address:

Email:

Website:

Phone:

House(s):

Major(s):

Notes:

Send Membership & Directory Forms to:

Julia Hayden

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