

The Niners

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We extend a warm welcome to our newest member



Happy New Year to all Niners! We are so pleased with the returning members and new members that have signed up.

If you have a friend who would like to sign up, get the application in the Club Room and/

or online via the Niners website. Save the Date for our New Member Orientation Tuesday, March 29.

We have a new member, Cherie Conway. She and her husband Tom, Charbonneau Mens Club, are from Hartford, Conn. They have lived in Charbonneau for 26 years. The Conway's have three sons and the eldest (Chris) is a golf pro living in Livermore, Calif. He has their 25-year-old granddaughter. He now travels the country planning golf tournaments and raising millions of dollars for the fight against prostate cancer. We will invite him to Pink Ball! His middle son (Travis) lives in Beaverton and has their 8-year-old grandson. His youngest son, Spencer, lives in Newport Beach, Calif. Cherie is looking forward to playing golf again after both a hip and knee replacement! Cherie is an accomplished watercolor abstract artist



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Maureen Larson, Brenda Gardiner, Cheryl Barnum, Lindy Anderson, Carlos Salazar, Joanna Sawyer, Joanne Stuvick, Cathy Loffink, and Mary Fieweger. The Niners raised \$1,346 for Wilsonville Community Sharing.

and has already promised a painting for Pink Ball. She and Tom also have two rescue dogs. Mac is a Russian Bolonka and Cal is a Pompa Poo. They're always out walking them, rain or shine! They have coats! Welcome, Cherie!

Good news! With our four-day Christmas Gift Wrapping program, the Niners raised \$1,346 to support Wilsonville Community Sharing. We received a Thank You Card from the WCS team. We offer a special thanks and acknowledgement to Charbonneau residents, Jan and Al Landis, for their generous support in our effort!

FYI, in 2021, WCS helped 843 families and 1,833 individuals with food and care, and gave out 53,411 pounds of food!

See the photo where we presented Carlos Salazar, president WCS, with our check. This will be an annual

event. Thank you to Shirley Hoem for her donation of her mother's Christmas wrapping, bows, bags, name-tags, tissue and ribbons. Many of us also donated our Christmas gift-wrapping items. It seems we are all doing gift cards! We can wrap for the next few years! This will be a new committee next year. Like to wrap?

Committees are already starting to meet. Vice President Cathy Loffink will be the chair this year. Have a special talent or interest? Also, let us know the time you have available and we can make a match! Cathy can talk with you to help find you a committee and invite you to a meeting.

Save the date — Welcome Back Coffee is scheduled for Tuesday, April 5.

Thanks to all of you. We look forward to seeing you April 5!

Let's make this our best year ever! Let's all stay healthy. ☺