



# May-June 2023

## PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE:

Our Monday, April 17, 2023 general meeting was an outstanding success. **Eva Monroe** was the chair of this event, “*Sargent and Spain*”, and it was presented by FAMSF docent **Carol Porter**. It was a very interesting and informative presentation about the life of **John Singer Sargent** and his time in Spain. A follow up visit to the Legion of Honor to see the paintings, is called for.

The beautiful floral arrangements gracing our clubhouse, were made by Eva. The tea table was definitely set for a high tea, thank you **Eva Monroe, Anna Bolechowski** and **Nancy Hagosian**. Many thanks go to the supporting refreshment team of **Kathleen Fong, Amy Quirk, Ann Rieger-Matthews, Claudia Belshaw, Kimberley Kruse** and **Eva Monroe**. The setting-up of the clubhouse was done by **Anna Bolechowski, Nancy Hagosian** and **Mike Monroe**. Mike was again engaged with the removal of the chairs at the end of the program with help from **Eve Wertsch, Zaia Vera, Anna Bolechowski** and **Nancy Hagosian**. Thank you all.

A short business meeting preceded the program. **Yen Bachmeier**, financial secretary, reported two more new members joined the garden club. Chair of the Nominating Committee, **Zaia Vera**, gave us a list of the new slate of board members and directors for the coming year. A great job was done by the committee and our thanks go to all of you who intend to serve the garden club next year.

The horticulture chair **Ingeborg McGlynn**, gave a gardening report for April/May and in expectation of partaking in the bounty displayed on the tea table, we knew we had a way to work off at least a few calories.

Our May program will be the traditional Strawberry Social, followed by the election and installation of the new board and directors. Don't forget to wear your favorite tea party hat!

Looking forward to seeing you in May, stay safe and healthy,

-Ingeborg McGlynn

### Meetings at the Clubhouse

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| Monday, May 1 –  | Board Meeting   |
| 11:00 AM         | Board Meeting & Standing Committee Chairs - Hosted by <b>Zaia Vera</b>              |
| 12:00 PM         | <b>President's Luncheon</b> , hosted by <b>Ingeborg McGlynn</b>                     |
| Monday, May 15 – | General Meeting   |
| 1:00 PM          | <b>STRAWBERRY SOCIAL</b>  |
|                  | Officers Election & Installation  |
|                  | Chaired by <b>Kathleen Fong</b>   |
|                  | <b>RSVP: Kathleen at 415-465-2601 or email her at Kathleen@DesBld.com by May 8.</b> |
| Monday, June 5 – | New Board Meeting   |
| 11:00 AM         | Planning Workshop for FY 2023-2024  |
|                  | Hosted by <b>Ann Rieger-Matthews</b>  |