



## January 2004 Newsletter

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In this brand new year, we're getting started right away to rebuild the momentum the Club had in years past, and everyone's participation is needed. At the upcoming business meeting on Tuesday, January 13th, we'll be discussing some modifications to the Bylaws that can help to increase our membership and generate some new activities.

The proposed changes to the Bylaws are enclosed with this newsletter. The rules require that they be presented at one meeting, and voted upon at the next, so the actual vote on these changes will take place at the February 10th business meeting. Please plan to be there if you can.

The interim board that will be leading the Club during the four months until the next regular election in April is headed by Jana Haehl and includes former boardmembers Helen Otero, Bernice Stager and Bertha Kopf, in addition to new boardmembers Joan Vaughan and Kitty Prosser. Others are currently being recruited to chair standing committees.

As announced in the December newsletter, plans for increasing the Club's membership and generating more active participation by members will be on the agenda at the business meeting on January 13th at 10:30 a.m. in the Recreation Center. The goal is to organize a lively and interesting series of activities that are meaningful, productive, and rewarding to women in Corte Madera. Some will be focused on involving older women, some on younger women, and new members of all ages will be warmly welcomed.



About thirty members of the Club gathered at Noonan's Bar & Grill in Larkspur Landing on December 9 for a fun and festive holiday luncheon. If you were there, you know what a good time everyone was having!



**Club dues are payable at this time. Please send your check for \$15 to P.O. Box 486, Corte Madera CA 94976, or bring it to the January 13th business meeting.**

● The Corte Madera Women's Improvement Club was founded in 1907 when 36 women decided to unite to improve community conditions in the small, unincorporated town of Corte Madera, population then about 300. Their first major project was to have 32 electric street lights installed. Within just a few months, the cost of \$500 in gold was collected, in time to have the lights turned on at Christmas Eve. ●