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*Traysie Amick, Principal Teaching Artist
From the SC Children's Theatre*

SC Children's Theatre (SCCT) Principal Teaching Artist, Traysie Amick, was our guest speaker on February 15, 2021. As the SCCT Principal Teaching Artist, she is introducing hundreds of Greenville-area children to the world of theatre. Since 1999, Traysie has taught a number of classes at SCCT for 6th-12th grade students, and contributed many hours as a teacher, program developer, playwright, director, and performer. The organizations/centers she works with that are close to her heart are: Marshall Pickens, The Wonder Center, Camp Courage, Title I Schools, Washington Center, and the Meyers Center.

Traysie invited us to tour the new center on Augusta Street during off hours when students are not present. The center, called the Forever Home, showcases the accessibility and seating for all students.



President Sam Bennett
presents a gift to guest
speaker Traysie Amick

Meetings are held on the first and third
Monday of each month at 1:00 p.m.
unless otherwise stated.

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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT...

Attention to ALL Civitans!! I trust and encourage as many of you who can to attend our 12 noon **BOARD MEETING** on March 15th. Our tax attorney, Mr. Phillip Martin, will be giving our Club an update on where he is in solving our tax situation with the IRS. He will ***ONLY*** be speaking at the 12 noon Board Meeting. I encourage as many of you who can to attend.

Our April meetings are two important meetings to attend. Our first meeting is the Servant's Heart meeting on April 5th, moderated by Ruth Richburg and Ann Lavelly. Our second meeting will be our Silent Auction on April 19th, with Gale Garner, Sharon Thomas, and Judy Graham in charge of this. If you have any questions on what to bring to the Silent Auction, please contact one of these three ladies.

Our 1:00 pm meeting this coming Monday, March 15th will be our Business Meeting, and I hope to see many of you participating!

Thank you,

Sam Bennett
President

Health and Wellness

Please remember to keep Dick Crain in your prayers.

Do You Participate in Our 50/ 50 Drawing?

Sam Bennett won \$20.00

Will you be next?



Silent Auction



April 19, 2021

Yay! Our Silent Auction Civitan Meeting is back! On April 19th at our 1:00 meeting at the Hilton Hotel, we will have fun shopping for birthday gifts, Christmas gifts (never too early), and even for yourselves!

Be sure to make your reservation for lunch and bring 2 or 3 items for auction. Please bring your items early (by 12:30) so we can price them and arrange them on the tables. Auction sheets will be available at the April 5th meeting, so you can fill out item name and price ahead of time, if you would like.

We ask that you bring your own pen so you can make your bids safely.

Thanks!

Gale Garner and Judy Graham

Meetings & Events

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March 15 12:00 - Lunch Meeting
Blue Ridge Room
Hilton Hotel
Phillip J. Martin,
Tax Attorney

April 5 1:00 - Lunch Meeting
Servant's Heart
Hilton Hotel

April 19 1:00 - Lunch Meeting
Silent Auction
Hilton Hotel

**Please be sure and let Deborah Pearson know by Thursday, if you will be attending the meeting in person.

Civitan Mission Statement

The worldwide mission of Civitan International is to build good citizenship by providing a volunteer organization of clubs dedicated to serving individual and community needs, with an emphasis on helping people with developmental disabilities.