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Newsletter of the Alice Mayo Friendship Club

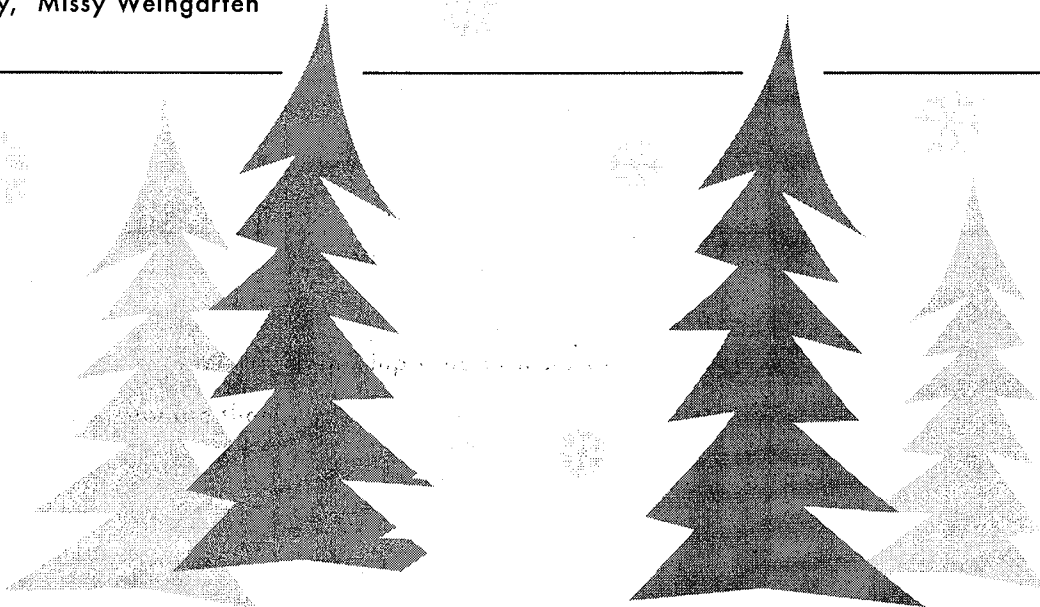
Serving the voting/consulting staff employed by Mayo for less than 5 years and their families

Greetings and Happy New Year to everyone. Did you know that the Alice Mayo Society started as the "Magazine Club" in 1911? The wives of the staff Physicians held monthly meeting to discuss current articles and stories printed in the current magazines, similar to their husband's journal clubs. The club had several activities, including sewing, reading, music and drama. In 1970, the Alice Mayo Society started the Friendship Club for new staff members and their spouses, and has grown every year.

Although the name has changed, the Friendship Club's founding principle of welcoming new families to town is still the society's primary actions such as chef night, game night and a cookie exchange. The Friendship Club is always looking for new exiting activities and I encourage everyone to let the Friendship Club officers know what your interests are, and we will do our best to accommodate them.

As your president, I hope to bring more awareness of the Friendship Club's activities to all of the Friendship Club's members. Whether or not you have participated in the past Friendship Club's activities, please join us in 2008. We hope to make the 38th year a memorable one.

Sincerely, Missy Weingarten



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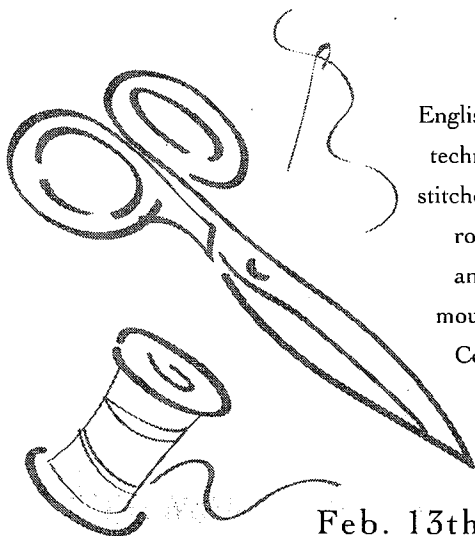
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English Smocking

English smocking is a centuries-old embroidery technique in which decorative, colored thread is stitched in patterns, pictures, or other designs over rolled pleats in fabric. This is typically done as an art form on clothing or on fabric which is mounted in picture frames for hanging on the wall. Come join us and learn a fun, new activity with the help of new & old friends. Maribeth Peller will be hosting.

Feb. 13th • 7 p.m. • \$5 for materials
RSVP by Monday, Feb. 4th • 281.0450 • mbpeller@mac.com

Winter Playgroups

Moms, Dads and kids are welcome at our playgroups.

We would love to meet you and your little ones at the upcoming playgroups:

Jan. 10 at 9:30 am--Mary McBride

Jan. 25 at 4:00 pm--Eileen Kennedy-Warrington

Feb. 5 at 3:30 pm--Sara Gettman

Feb. 20 at 3:30 pm--Donna Dozois

March 6 at 9:30 am--Becky Sperling

March 19 at 4:00 pm--Nancy Radakovic

Reminder emails will be sent out ahead of time, along with directions.

If you would like to be included on the email list, please contact

Mary McBride at 286-9024 or rudymcbride@yahoo.com.

Mark your calendars!

Some upcoming events to look forward to:

April 9, 2008 Brunch at the Foundation House

August 13, 2008 Garden Party at the Foundation House

December 15, 2008 Medical Update Luncheon in Phillips Hall

