

## **General Information**

### **Mission**

To support Beck Center for the Arts in its effort to create a community where everyone can be directly involved in the performing and visual arts.

### **Motto**

*“Work Hard for the Arts  
and Enjoy!”*

### **Board Meetings**

The Women’s Board meets the third Tuesday of the month, August through May, at 12:00 noon. The meetings are held at Beck Center for the Arts located at 17801 Detroit Avenue in Lakewood.

### **Annual Dues**

Active Member.....\$25  
Associate Member.....\$35

## **Beck Center Women’s Board 2012/2013 Officers**

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Marianne Monahan  
*President*

Kate Mott  
*Vice-President*

Jean Thorrat  
*Recording  
Secretary*

Beth Bender Thomas  
*Corresponding  
Secretary*

Georgia Burley  
*Treasurer*

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Women’s Board call:  
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## **Beck Center Women’s Board**

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*Creating Art Experiences*

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## History

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The Women's Board of Beck Center was founded in 1936 under the umbrella of the Lakewood Little Theatre. From the start, the Women's Board was a working organization that was actively involved in the efforts of the theater.



*Beck Center box office circa 1940*

In 1936, the purpose of the Women's Board was two-fold, to provide volunteer opportunities and to organize various fund-raising activities to support Lakewood Little Theatre.

In 1976 Lakewood Little Theatre became known as the Beck Center/Lakewood

Little Theatre and in 1992 was renamed Beck Center for the Cultural Arts.



*Renovated Beck Center marquee*

From its inception, the Women's Board of Beck Center has worked diligently to continue that tradition of supporting and serving the theater community at the Beck Center.

Through the years the Women's Board has raised and contributed over \$200,000 and provided thousands of volunteer hours to support performances, programs, and day-to-day operations at Beck Center.

## Activities

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- Fall Picnic
- Fall fundraiser
- Spring Fundraiser
- (activity varies from year-to-year: Tea Party, Book Review, Musical, Speaker)
- Boutique (located in Daniels Lounge)
- Raffles
- Ushering Performances

And other opportunities as they occur, in an effort to serve and support Beck Center for the Arts.



*Guests at Victorian Tea Party  
Spring 2012*