## Round Town

"The Friends of the Ohio Governor's Residence and Heritage Gardens invites you to join First Lady of Ohio, Frances Strickland and First Lady Emeritus, Hope Taft for a luncheon and discussion on growing Ohio's economic future through sustainable land use and green technologies featured at the Ohio Governor's residence and heritage gardens."

The meeting was held in downtown Dayton's historic Engineer's Club on Monument Ave. DP&L was a sponsor and was represented by Reade Faulkner, Tina Kingle, Steve Lake and Ginny Strausburg. Dayton's Mayor, Rhine McLin sat with the president of 'Friends' -Pam Bennett and Host and MC - Phil Mowry.

Individual Sponsors included Zoe Dell Nutter, Frances Repperger, Steve Williamson, Dewey & Lisa Hollister, and Phyllis Heck. Pam & Allan Schaeffer sat with Irving & Selma Harris of Cincinnati. Their daughter, Lisa Harris Hollister, joined the table with her husband, Dewey, who's Hope Taft's righthand-gardening-designer also from Cincinnati. Lisa's an Equine Lawyer of great pith and moment. Jean Woodhull was at the same table with the Cincinnatians.

Judy Hennessey, former Superintendent of the Oakwood Schools was there. Charlotte Pernik, Jo Anne Reiling, and City Commissioner Nan Whaley, Jay Woodhull, and Joyce Young, Sonnie Kasch were attendees.

When Frances Strickland took 'mike' to introduce former

Governor, Bob Taft and First Lady Emeritus Hope Taft, she said Hope had forbidden her to bring her guitar! "But that's alright cause I'm going to sing a cappella (cq) in spite of her. I've written a little song extolling Hope's contributions as Ohio's leading gardener...." Her song made the 'top-ten-list-of- the-week!

The Dayton Society of Painters & Sculptors on High Street in Queen Ann's Hill district presented paintings by Oakwood's David Smith and Betsy Molinsky of Monroe. Their show was beautifully hung in the gallery of the Society's Queen Ann historic house. A large group of members, guests, fellow artists, and friends gathered last Sunday afternoon for the show.

David showed twenty of his watercolors, monotypes, and acrylic paintings. One guest recalled using one of David's watercolors of the Dayton Country Club on the cover of DCC's one hundredth anniversary

Betsy Mollinsky's acrylic paintings were in stark contrast to David's canvases. Her strong colors of human figures, temples, and monks she'd seen in Bangkok and Bali are memorable.

Jan Driesbach, Director of the Dayton Art Institute, enjoyed the show. Harriet Leland was another attendee. Fellow guests were delighted to see Homer Hacker. Ethel Kiefaber and Joey Thiele were enjoying the show. Ginny Hess, well known Dayton artist and graduate of the DAI School, was there. Diane and Dick DeWall and their neighbor said they loved

the show, the Society's lovely old 'home', the view of Stivers High School of the Arts, and the ambience of Queen Ann's Hill.

Shirley Huber Berry sent a note about the '62nd Anniversary of the Air Force Ball' that was held in early September at the Air Force Museum. "Mom (**Ronnie Huber**) was the only woman that evening to be given the 'Ambassador Award'". (In scanning the program's list of past awardees it was noted that only two other women were listed: Virginia Kettering and **Zoe Dell Nutter.**)

The program read: "...Veronica Huber has been a generous supporter of the Fisher and Nightingale Houses which offer care facilities for WPAFB Medical Center patients and their families. She has co-chaired the campaign to build a badly-needed second Fisher House..."

"...Amanda Shirley added: Wright Lane, Dr. Benjamin Schuster were there and so were John and myself and my sister Julie and her husband Grey Mayeaux of Oakwood."

The Junior League of Dayton's Sustainers Group (that's them whats over forty) will have their fall luncheon at L'Auberge on Tuesday, October 13th. The cost is \$25.90. The ninety cents will be donated to the 90th Anniversary Celebration of the Dayton league. The committee Madonna Allread, Veronica Winwood, Trish Klingensmith, Marge Etson, Mary Hornbeck, Phyllis Thompson, Amy Fish, and Rita Price.

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