



A recently formed charity group, Women With a Purpose, enjoys a girls night out while helping members of the community. From left are co-presidents Andrea Nami-Wyatt and Stacey Nami [REDACTED]

These are local women who have a purpose

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A recently formed local charity group, Women With a Purpose, has dedicated itself to helping local families and individuals in great need or distress.

WWAP has caught on fast, growing from 23 to 500 members since December.

"We meet once a month for a girls' night out dinner at locally owned restaurants in Princeton, Lawrenceville, Pennington or Hopewell," said Titusville resident Andrea Nami-Wyatt. She and her mother, Stacy Nami, also of Titusville, are co-presidents and founders of the group. Meghan Zajac, of Pennington, is the vice president.

Ms. Nami-Wyatt said,

"We each contribute \$10 in a glass bowl, and every member nominates someone they know or know of that is going through a catastrophic time in their lives. At the end of the evening, we pick from the bowl of nominations and whomever is chosen is gifted the money collected that evening."

"About 50 to 80 women gather for dinner each month. It's really caught on around town, and women absolutely love the idea of combining a fun girls' night out with helping our local community."

Sept. 11, WWAP will hold its first charity gala Dinner Under the Stars at The Chauncey Center, ETS, Princeton.

"It's called The Pink Party, and this gala dinner is open to husbands, boyfriends,

dates, etc.," Ms. Nami-Wyatt said. "Our monthly dinners are just for girls."

For more information, e-mail Ms. Nami-Wyatt at WWAP.NJPA@gmail.com [REDACTED]

The group also has a fan page on Facebook.

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All gifting goes directly to the chosen recipient.