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Bob Woodward at the Press Club for ANWC's 90th

ANWC celebrated its 90th Anniversary and honored the legendary **Bob Woodward** for Excellence in Journalism at the Press Club May 12, 2022. It was a spectacular evening reflecting on Woodward's accomplishments and the impact he has made over the past five decades. This year is particularly special because it is the 50th anniversary of Watergate. His focus was on the women who have helped support his career.



Bob Woodward, ANWC Excellence in Journalism (ANWC-EJ) Award Winner 2022, flanked by **Claire Swift**, Exec. Chair, ANWC President, **Mary Catherine Andrews (MC)**, and **Norah O'Donnell**, emcee and ANWC-EJ Award Winner 2015 at the National Press Club podium.

CBS News' **Norah O'Donnell** and EJU recipient 2015 did a fantastic job emceeding the evening. Washington Posts, **Sally Buzbee**, Sally Quinn, and John Feinstein along with CBS News' Robert Costa all gave both touching and hilarious speeches about their individual relationships with Woodward.



All-Star Lineup for ANWC's Benefit Dinner Honoring **Bob Woodward** for Excellence in Journalism includes, (l-r) **Sally Buzbee**, **Sally Quinn**, **Bob Woodward**, **Norah O'Donnell**, **John Feinstein** and **Robert Costa**.



Bob Woodward and **Norah O'Donnell**.

ANWC Membership Renewals due Sept. 1, 2022

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Claire Swift and ANWC EU honoree '22 **Bob Woodward** pose with ANWC EU Award

Claire Swift Remarks: Greetings, everyone! I'm **Claire Sanders Swift**, ANWC past president and Exec. Chair of this epic evening celebrating feats in journalism and the 90th year of the American News Women's Club.

Yes, and **Bob Woodward**, our honoree, is in the room. (I am pinching myself). To me **Bob Woodward** has been setting the highest standards for all future journalists and now holds the title, as one of our most gracious awardees ---**Walter Cronkite**, **Barbara Walters**, move over, **Bob Woodward** is here. It's our privilege to honor him and the excellence he has dedicated to our field for more than 50 years. You'll hear all about **Bob Woodward**, the legend, tonight after dinner...

We are honored to have you all here. It is you who make this evening special. 90 years ago, in 1932 - the 4th year of a global depression - the American Newspaper Women's Club forged off on its own with founding members from *Washington Herald*, *Washington Star*, *Washington Times* and the *Washington Post*. In fact, you'll be happy to know that ANWC's first president in 1932 was **Kate Brooks** from the *Washington Post*. (cont. page 2)

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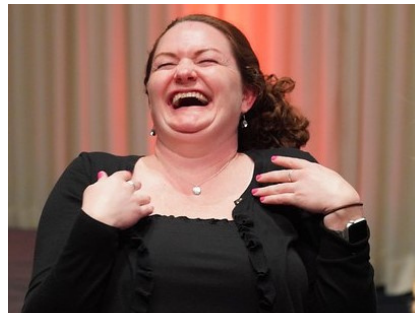
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Remembering Marion Mattingly (1932-2021)



Eleanor Clift, EIJ recipient 2010, shares Marion Mattingly's story at the podium. You could hear a pin drop.



Kathleen Steinfels, granddaughter to Marion Mattingly, wins Watergate raffle.

It was wonderful to see the family of Marion Mattingly show up in her support after so many years of her service to the ANWC.

American News Women's Club Name Address Email Phone	Raffle Ticket: One Night Stay at the Watergate Hotel \$29 - 1 raffle ticket, \$50 - 2 raffle tickets	THE WATERGATE HOTEL 
	Chance to win a special evening at the Watergate Hotel includes drinks at the Top of the Gate, luxury overnight accommodations (Superior King Room) and tour of the "Scandal Suite." (Subject to availability, 3 week advance booking required. Guest is responsible for any tax, fees, and any incidentals.)	

This year's raffle was one to remember! There was a chance to win a special evening at the Watergate Hotel including drinks at the Top of the Gate, luxury overnight accommodations and tour of the "Scandal Suite."

More Fabulous Gala Photos...



Bob Woodward, EIJ Awardee '22, and CBS News' **Norah O'Donnell** enjoy the festivities at the Press Club.



Kimberly S. Adams and **Karen James Cody**.



John Greco and **Janina Roncevic**.

Annual Meeting - "State of the Media" June 8, 2022



Hal Matson, **Claire Swift**, **Jean White**, **Jan Du Plain**, **MC Andrews**.



Jan Du Plain hands gift to **MC Andrews** to thank her for her time as President of ANWC.



Jean White, **MC Andrews**, Post Pres, **Margaret Ryan**, **Pam Ginsbach**, **Marie Guidry**, **Pam Stuart**, **Pauline Thompson**, **Jan Du Plain**, and **Olivia Cusick**.

30 Years of Scholarship Winners

Since 1993, we have awarded over 50 scholarships to talented journalism students in the Washington, DC area for almost 30 years. This year we presented our scholarship awards to **Nzinga Temu**, (Howard '22), **Hannah Loder** (GWU '23), and **Daniella Jimenez** (AU '23). **Nzinga**, who graduated this spring, wrote for a national wire service and is passionate about writing. **Hannah**, a rising senior, hopes to work in magazine journalism and write feature stories for a major magazine publication. **Daniella**, a rising junior, will continue developing her reporting skills as an intern for CNBC in Spanish this summer.



Scholarship Committee member **Kimberly S. Adams** at the podium.



Nzinga Temu, Howard '22 (left), **Hannah Loder** GWU '23 (center), and **Daniella Jimenez** (AU '23)

President's Message: "Saving History"

Dear Members and Friends of the ANWC,

I am thrilled to be returning as president of the ANWC once more to manage a new year of "Saving History" on the heels of our epic 90th Anniversary Gala Honoring **Bob Woodward**, also the 50th year of Watergate. It was a successful evening in many ways, and we have shared some wonderful photos in this issue of Shop Talk. We are particularly thankful to our sponsors and those who supported us large and small.

I'm honored to be working with you in every capacity this year to remember, revive and restore our Club's illuminating history through the decades. In that order, we will be holding historical (in person) programs

and we will be planning a special day at the Club where people bring in, mail in or share something saved. **Hal Matson** has joined the Board again, this year, as head of the History Committee.

Please *renew your membership*, answer a few fun survey questions on the renewal invoice and sign up for a committee or two. We need your expertise and support now more than ever. I look forward to hearing from you and seeing you at the Club this year.

Respectfully,
Jean White

Helen R. White (Jean)
Past President, 1994-96, 2015-17



Helen R. White, ANWC President.

Claire Swift Remarks cont. from p.1

In 2022, special thanks and gratitude are in order to the **Washington Post** for sponsorship as well as the **Marion Mattingly Family** and **Peraton**. I also want to extend a special thanks to longtime Member **Pauline Thompson** for bringing a huge crew this evening...Through global pandemics, world wars and depressions, the ANWC still stands. 52 ANWC presidents later, through hundreds of distinguished speakers and thousands of accomplished members. Through 16 U.S. presidencies...

with every first lady a member (in the day...) our members have been very active, asking the right questions - and making progress in our quest for knowledge, truth, accuracy and getting the story right. We've earned our place and hope to do so for 90 more years. I turn over the podium to our ANWC President, **M.C. Andrews**. MC has held the torch high for the ANWC for the past several years...we are eternally grateful, lucky to have you and can't wait to hear from you.



Bob Woodward addresses the ANWC with a focus on the great women in his career who have supported him beginning with Katharine Graham.



ANWC's 90th Anniversary celebration cookie and program with cartoon by **Anne Ganz**.



Pauline Thompson, revered ANWC Member, and **Bob Woodward**.

Meet Olivia Cusick



Olivia Cusick

Meet **Olivia Cusick**, ANWC's Admin/Marketing Coordinator. She joined the ANWC during our Bob Woodward Gala prepping.

She is a fifth generation Washingtonian who attended high school locally and graduated from Elon University with a B.A. in marketing. She has a background in both communications and marketing.

Olivia will be overseeing Cranford House activities, Membership and Shop Talk. You can reach her with any Club-related questions at anwclubecomcast.net or call 202-332-6770.

Club office hours are Mon., Wed., Fri., 9:30 am-1:30 pm. (scheduled meetings avail.)



Key ANWC Dates

2022

- Sept. 28** - ANWC Program
- Nov. 15** - Post Election Analysis
- Dec. 7** - Holiday Party

2023

- Feb. 28** - ANWC Program
- April 5** - ANWC Program
- May** - ANWC Day of History - TBD
- June 21** - Annual Meeting



For more Gala photos visit anwc.org "photo galleries."

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