

Miami Pioneers / Natives of Dade

celebrating and preserving the local history of Miami-Dade County, Florida

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Next Meeting
Sunday, January 8
at 2:30pm

Central Christian Church
222 Menores Ave, Coral Gables 33134

Enter the door at the south side of the building on Mendoza Ave. Parking in west lot is also available if you enter from Menores Ave. Street parking is also free on Sunday.

Please bring \$1 donation to cover the cost of the room. We very much appreciate those who can provide refreshments such as cookies, crackers, brownies, etc.

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Dues

Please bring your annual \$20 dues to the meeting, or mail your check made to MP/NOD to our Treasurer: Marlene B. Carlin, 14900 SW 71 Ave, Miami, FL 33158. If your envelope is marked, your dues are past. Please help by sending in your payment as soon as possible.

2016-17 Officers

our president is Jim Hartnett
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Happy New Year!

January 8 Sunday Meeting

The next meeting of the Miami Pioneers and Natives of Dade will take place at the usual location at 2:30pm on Sunday, January 8.

History of The Children's Trust

with Chair of the Board Laurie Weiss Nuell

Laurie Weiss Nuell is The Board Chair of The Children's Trust. Serving since October 2012, she brought a wealth of expertise from the health services field. She served for three years as director of the Bascom Palmer Eye Institute of the University of Miami Miller School of Medicine and previously over a decade directed the Public Health Trust, which provides oversight for the Jackson Health System. She simultaneously chaired a number of committees managing both strategic planning and agency oversight. From 2001-2007, Ms. Weiss Nuell directed Florida Healthy Kids Corporation, which provides oversight for Florida's S-Chip insurance program.

Laurie founded and continues to direct the Jay Weiss Center for Social Medicine and Health Equity at University of Miami Miller School of Medicine. She continues as the regional representative of Partners In Health and to teach as an adjunct professor at the University of Miami's School of Architecture.

Ms. Weiss Nuell earned a B.A degree from Newcomb College/Tulane University and a Master's in Social Work from Barry University.

She serves or has served on an array of nonprofit boards including the Network of Sacred Heart Schools, Carrollton School of the Sacred Heart, the Children's Home Society, Southeastern Division, and Best Buddies International.



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Thank You Members

Thank you to all members who bring refreshments which make our social so enjoyable.

And, thanks to everyone who makes a generous donation to the "Money Jar" which goes to paying for the room. We recently increased our donation to the church to \$125 per meeting so the extra donations are greatly appreciated.

Save The Date: February 5

On the first Sunday in February we'll meet again to enjoy a wonderful program.