

WCDB WHISPERINGS

GFWC Woman's Club of Deerfield Beach

NOVEMBER 2018



Marti's Message,

Seasons are a-changing! With a **Fall Back in Time, we Charge Ahead** with many club activities.

MEMBERSHIP: Growing by leaps and bounds. A warm welcome to our **new** members who bring many talents that will ensure the club's success in future projects. The GFWC Spirit of Volunteerism grows stronger with your dedicated participation and much-needed help you shall provide. Kudos to the efforts of our Social Director, Sally Brinkworth, and help from Corresponding Secretary, Claire Riccardi, for their recruiting efforts.

CLUBHOUSE IMPROVEMENTS: Our back door is now looking like our front door with a beautiful scalloped awning. Thank your Building Committee, Denise Bogner, Pam Militello, Katy Freitag, Ellyse Plotkin, and chaired by LyAnn Mannella. Our flat roof will be finished November 6. Parking lot repaving is on the horizon. We are blessed that funds for these much-needed improvements are in the bank! Keep talking up how great it is to have an event at our clubhouse! Families, organizations and businesses love our club house! Contact: Marti, 954-421-4700.

OPERATION SMILE: We partnered with Coral Springs WC at Painting with a Twist, to make it happen! our Melissa Armstrong, her hubby, daughter, my sister and I contributed to the total \$500 raised. This was so much fun; our club might want to sponsor our own fundraiser; little work with lots of profit.

DUFFY'S DINNER FUNDRAISER: Thanks for participating. \$254.00 plus \$106 from the basket donations was raised for Op Smile. Member, Arleen Grassi, took the prize. Claire Riccardi and Gerry Covitz worked the table, making sure all restaurant patrons had their donation slips in hand. The club has purchased enough fabric to complete 100 blankets, one for each of our anniversary years.

GOOD TIME AT CITY'S PARK AND REC EVENTS: Two Events: Pioneer Park: Giving Out Treats to all the kiddies and Villages of Hillsboro Park, Halloween Hoedown. We put on brightly colored aprons that Denise Bogner made with our logo to make **SMORES**. I had great fun judging the kid's costumes with our member, Judy Stanich, and former Mayor, Peggy Noland. We took in \$177.00.

PUBLIC ISSUES: 1920, the women of our club fought for the Right to Vote! Honor them and cast your vote on Nov. 6! Some of our members were able to attend the State of the City meeting and some are committed to attend Commission meetings.

UPCOMING: 100 YEAR ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION:. So much to do! So much help needed! Kick-Off meeting, Saturday, Nov.3. 9 am. Don't miss out on the planning. Can't make it, send your ideas to Marti, 954-421-4700.

THANKS FOR ALL YOU DO!

Marti

DAYTIME MEETING

TUESDAY, NOV13TH 1:00 PM

MEMBERSHIP TEA

Come enjoy the fellowship of your fellow members.

Volunteers Membership Tea

Verna Rosenzweig, Kitty Cole, Rita Masi, Ellyce Plotkin, Eleanore De Boo

EVENING DIVISION

**NO EVENING MEETING IN
NOVEMBER**

Enjoy your Thanksgiving Holiday

December 11: Holiday Party

Marietta Pugliese, Mary Unterbrink, Gerry Covitz, Susan

Hines, Claire Riccardi



Abbie Bargloski 856-981-5643
 Lisa Becht 954-213-5815
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November

Barbara Moriarty - 11/3
 Amie Kay Tanner - 11/4
 Andrea Cardinalli – 11/6
 Grace Ann Puente - 11/16
 Paula O'Brien - 11/24
 Gladys Cochran - 11/24
 Jean Days – 11/24
 Joan Lojpersberger - 11/25
 Edith Hill - 11/25
 Claire Riccardi - 11/26
 Myra Wells - 11/30

Operation Smile Project

SATURDAY'S IN

NOVEMBER

(11/10 – 11/17)

9 a m- 11 am

at the Club house



Come help make those “no sew” blankets for Operation Smile. Fabric provided. Bring a pair of good cutting scissors.

THE **Deerfield Beach**
 HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Saturday, Nov 24

10am - 2pm

Holiday Gift-giving Sale

Do your Christmas shopping with us and support local artists and crafters!



Event is open to vendors with homemade crafts for sale. Bring own table and display materials. Free entrance; optional donations

and purchases.

\$20 donation for vendors



December 1

9 – 11:30am

Breakfast With Santa

December 6

9 – 11:30am

Cocktails With Santa

GFWC Florida Annual Fall Board Meeting, “Suitcase of Smiles” was attended by Marti Mc Geary, President , Claire Riccardi, Corresponding Secretary, and First Time Attendee Member, Jackie Viegas on September 22 & 23, 2018. General and Junior Clubs from 13 State Districts were in attendance.

Many workshops and speakers on subjects related to all six GFWC Departments and special projects were provided. Operation Smile, the President’s Project, was highlighted.

Attendees gain knowledge and are energized in so many ways to help their own clubs with volunteer projects through the year. Clubs are encouraged to partner with other clubs on projects Clubs benefit from the interaction with and input of so many attendees.

Having club members attend this meeting is an investment in our club’s success as a club member of General Federated Women’s Club.

We Thank you so much for the opportunity to attend and for All you do!

Marti Mc Geary, President

These are some activities we participated in. Team Efforts , making cards to insert in books to encourage kids to read, and Heads or Tales Fundraiser for Operation Smile.



PLEASE HELP Saturday, November 10th 8-12, Deerfield Beach High School, teacher parking lot area, we need volunteers to help build a garden for the SVE, ESE students. Member Christina Fink will be building raised garden beds for her special students. Please bring your gloves, shovels and rakes to help.



Help gather information about our 100 year old club – meet with Phyllis, Marti, and Amy Kay at the clubhouse on Wednesday's at 10:00

call Phyllis to confirm meeting.

“BEE ATTITUDES” GFWC



- a) BEE EAGER AND ENTHUSIASTIC
- b) BEE IN-FORMED
- c) BEE PROMPT AND PUNCTUAL
- d) BEE PREPARED
- e) BEE DRESSED APPROPRIATELY
- f) BEE AWARE OF MANNERS
- g) BEE INFORMED ON PROTOCOL
- h) BEE ACTIVELY INVOLVED
- i) BEE POSITIVE
- j) BEE MANNERLY
- k) BEE A EVENT MESSENGER
- l) BEE A PROBLEM SOLVER,
- m) BEE POLITE,
- n) BEE TRUTHFUL,
- o) BEE CONSIDERATE,
- p) BEE RESPECTFUL,
- q) BEE HONEST,
- r) BEE DEPENDABLE,
- s) BEE COURTEOUS,
- t) BEE HAPPY AND
- u) BEE KIND.

“LET THE FLIGHT OF THE BUMBLEBEE BECOME YOUR GFWC JOURNEY”

Christina Fink has stepped up to be the **Club's Volunteer Coordinator**.

When we have events coming up or other exciting things happening Christina will send out an email asking for members to become involved.

BRING FOOD ITEMS TO THE DAYTIME MEETING

Gateway Community Outreach Thanksgiving Special Touch

Gateway Community Outreach is striving to combine efforts with the community to provide essential assistance through our program.

We would like to invite you to donate turkeys, non perishable food, gift cards or monetary donations for families in our communities.

We ask that the food items be scheduled to be picked up or delivered to our Main Office at:

Gateway Community Outreach
291 S. E. 1st Terrace
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441

The food items will be needed by November 15, 2018. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to give us a call at 954.725.8434



Help Autistic students make Christmas ornaments – Tuesday, December 4th - 10 am Member Christina Fink's class at Deerfield Highschool.

Contact Christina and let he know if you can help – call (after school hours) 570-954-3392 or Email: christina.fink@browardschools.com She would like volunteers to help the students make an Arts and Crafts project every month.

OPERATION SMILE AT DUFFY'S

RECEIVED **\$ 254** FROM SALES AND **\$ 106** FOR THE TICKETS SOLD FOR THE BASKET

Thank you to Gerry and Claire



SOCIAL TRIPS

Message from Sally Brinkworth:

Only 5 seats left for the Tour of Miami, on December 6th! Round trip motor coach trip includes trip to Wynwood Walls, Bayside Marketplace, lunch at Bubba Gumps, boat tour of Biscayne Bay, tour of South Beach. \$70 per person.

Only 6 seats available for Jan. 11-12 overnight trip to St. Augustine/Jacksonville. Trip includes a trolley tour, dinner show at Alhambra Theater, lunch at Hurricane Patty's on return ride. \$253 per person.

Call Sally at (954) 427-2175, leave a message. JOIN IN ON THE FUN!!



Susan Mustafa, dedicated Woman's Club Member.

Passed away September 2, 2018. We will miss her beautiful smile and helping hands.

In remembrance a donation has been placed in the Educational Endowment Scholarship Fund

New AWNING installed at the Club House Thank you Lyann for all your hard work and attention to details to get this accomplished. It looks GREAT !!!!



Halloween Hoe Down Villages at Hillsboro Park



Fall Festival at Pioneer Park



Ellie Mills is a member of our Club – contact her for your insurance needs.



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BRING TOYS – FOOD ITEMS – GIFT CARDS TO THE CLUB HOUSE AND KATY WILL GET ITEMS TO GATEWAY COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Gateway Community Outreach Christmas Special Touch

Gateway Community Outreach is striving to combine efforts with the community to provide essential assistance through our program.

We would like to invite you to donate toys or gift cards for children and food for families in our communities.

We are looking to provide toys for children (ages 17 and under).

We ask that the gift cards & unwrapped toys be scheduled to be picked up or delivered to our Main Office at:

*Gateway Community Outreach
291 S. E. 1st Terrace
Deerfield Beach, FL 33441*

The toys, gift cards will be needed by December 13, 2018

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to give us a call at 954.725.8434

Help Us Rent Our Clubhouse



Help Support Our Club; tell all your friends what a great place it is to have an event for up to 100 people at our clubhouse.

Contact Marti McGeary at 954-421-4700

"Age is merely the number of years the world has been enjoying you."

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