



October, 2022

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Keeping up with Katy

Hello Members,

Thank you for your patience in receiving this newsletter. As some of you know my career is based in emergency power and after seeing the affects of Hurricane Ian I am reminded again of my campaign, Club Under Construction: Building a Better Tomorrow. Keep up with me as I explain myself in construction/destruction terms...

So many times we are reminded that we are not promised tomorrow, and in some cases, even today. But what we are promised is the sharing and caring of knowledge and experiences passed down to others. If we pay close enough attention and LISTEN, we can garner that knowledge and not only stow it away for a rainy day, but teach it to the next group of members that join us on this GFWC journey.

Our construction plan starts, as most do, with a foundation. That foundation is the members that have been with us for years. Your experience and dedication to this club are the basis for where we will begin to build our future. Without a strong foundation the building cannot stand and be fortified. You are the backbone, the basis of our infrastructure.

As with most buildings we will start to construct our walls and that comes in the way of our Service Programs. They hold us in, keep us protected by giving us boundaries and guide us to how we should be developing our membership.

Throughout the next year we will continue to add tools to our "toolbox" centerpieces as we develop and construct the best Club we can be!

During our general meetings this month we will be reviewing and approving our annual budget as well as having some Halloween fun! Please plan on joining us for the afternoon and evening General meetings and let's make things happen!

Yours truly,

Katy Freitag

President

(954)804-5474





From Denise Bogner,

Civic Engagement and Outreach Chair

- We are asking members to put together Hannukah and Christmas cards at the meetings in November. We will take them to Senior Living places here in Deerfield. We are asking members to donate cards – please bring them to the October or November day or evening meetings. Blank cards will also work.
- Our LAUNDRY DAY LIBRARY BOOK BASKETS are really doing well. Some children are taking the books home (which is a great idea) so we are in need of more books. Please bring children's books to the day and evening meetings.
- If you are doing some Fall cleaning please consider saving Jewelry for a special project! We will invite elementary school children to purchase items for their families for the holidays. Details to follow, but start setting some pieces aside for this fabulous event!
- Have you outgrown your eyeglasses?? Please consider bringing them to the Clubhouse to donate to the Lions Club. This organization collects and repurposes them for those that cannot afford new frames. I can "See" how much we can all benefit from this grand gesture!
- Got a program or project that can help our community?? Please let me know and let's make it a reality! #BuildingblockstoabetterClub

Marti McGeary 2nd V.P. – CLUBHOUSE & RENTALS

Clubhouse Renovations

We have a few items that will be discussed at the General meetings during the budget portion but please know we need to have the building tented for termites and have other smaller projects that need to be addressed. Your input is greatly appreciated!

Rentals

The Club relies on rental meetings and events to pay our bills, support our scholarship fund and other club fundraising projects. Please let your friends know that the Clubhouse is a great location to host a fabulous Party or Get-Together! Contact me at 609-742-0549 for pricing and availability. **YOUR HELP IS NEEDED** to form a committee to address opening the clubhouse for events. Promote our club to those you do business with your family and friends.

Hope to hear from you soon and see you at our next get-together.

Friends in Federation,

Marti

**MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS CAN BE DOWNLOADED FROM THE WEBSITE
www.dbwc.org**

Upcoming Socials—It's a date!

OCTOBERFEST IS ON!

You don't have to dress in lederhosen to hang with us but please join us for
Octoberfest at the

Biergarten at Mizner Park on October 18th at noon!

Fun Food, Friends and Fun awaits!

Biergarten Boca Raton

309 Via de Palas

Boca Raton, FL 33432

(Off Federal between Camino and Palmetto)

It's Theater time!!!

Get your tickets today for "The Savannah
Sipping Society" at the Willow Theater at
Sugar Sand Park

February 26, 2023 at 2PM—tickets \$18.00
each!

Contact Bobbi Jo for information!

Must reserve and pay for your ticket in ad-
vance.

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Membership

Building Strong Foundations

for the

FUTURE



October

Sally Brinkworth

10/9

Toula Amana

10/21

Bea Williamson

10/31

Celebration of Life—Kitty Cole postponed due to storm—will be rescheduled soon.

October General Day Meeting Fun! - Camp Boggy Creek Camp-IN!

October 11th, 1:00PM

Wear your favorite PJs and come with a Ghost story to share with your friends!

We will be talking about the President’s Project and the Camp’s importance in the lives of so many kids throughout Florida! Please plan on attending and having some Camp-IN fun with us!



Education Chair and 3rd V.P. Julianna Wagner delivering school supplies collected by our members to Teddar Elementary School.



Members enjoying our Meeting and program!



Membership SWAG available!

Name Tags	\$12.00
Polo Shirts	\$25.00
T-Shirts	\$20.00

Show your Club Spirit while serving in the community!

DISTRICT 13 NEWS & VIEWS

President’s Project—Camp Boggy Creek Build a Bear District Workshop!

November 19th, 10AM-2PM

GFWC Woman’s Club of Deerfield Beach Clubhouse

We will be building Boggy Creek Bears in conjunction with other Clubs and Community organizations.

Sponsorship opportunities for all members

Thread Sponsorship \$10.00

Scissors Sponsorship \$15.00

Stuffing Sponsorship \$20.00

Material Sponsorship \$25.00



Please consider being a sponsor to help build this project into a success!

Join us in Cutting, Sewing, and stuffing these magical bears and bringing joy to the lives of campers all summer long!

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 * Don't forget to work on an Art project for our *
 * Art competition in February. Remember all *
 * projects must be completed during this calen- *
 * dar year to be eligible. If you have any ques- *
 * tions please direct them to Deb Rollo, our Art *
 * Chairperson. *
 * Happy Creating! *
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How do we succeed in the future? **RECRUIT, RE-
CRUIT, RECRUIT MEMBERS!** EVERY WOMAN
YOU TALK TO IS A POTENTIAL MEMBER! They
have skills, talents, and may be are looking to make
new friends and help volunteering for community pro-
jects.

Tell them our website link [www. dbwc.org](http://www.dbwc.org) and the
club telephone number 954-421-4700

Membership Dues: Membership dues of **\$60** for the
2022 - 2023 fiscal year are payable by April



**CALL TO GFWC FLORIDA FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS
DISTRICT 13 FALL ANNUAL DISTRICT MEETING**

Welcome

Sara Dessureau, President Elect 2022-24

Saturday, October 29, 2022

Registration 11:30 AM

Buffet Lunch: 12 Noon

Theme: "Country Bling"

Hosted by

GFWC – The Pompano Beach Woman's Club

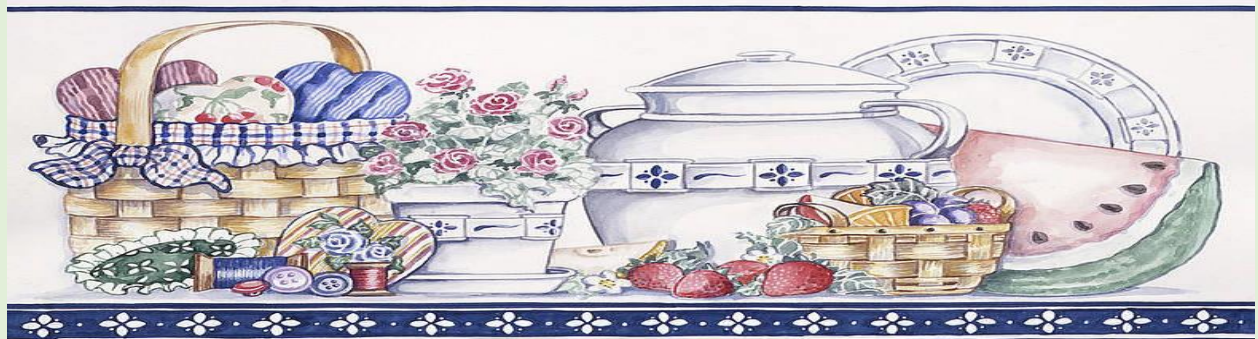
314 NW 2nd Street

Pompano Beach, FL 33060-6624

Donation \$13.00/Member

RSVP: Lunch Headcount and Checks must be received by October 15, 2022.

**Make checks payable to: The Pompano Beach Woman's Club - Mail to:
Gwen Leys, Treasurer 620 SE 5th Terrace Pompano Beach, FL 33060. You
may also pay thru PayPal at www.pompanobeachwomensclub.org**



Denim and Diamonds Fall Board

Rosen Plaza, Orlando, FL

September 23-25, 2022



Bernice Peer delivering Camp Boggy Creek Bears to convention!



Marti McGeary pictured with Florida President, Linda O'Toole



Katy Freitag, Marti McGeary, Claire Riccardi and Heather Behrens posing in their denim at Convention! Please consider attending in the Spring, so much fun and such a great way to learn about GFWC and all the wonders it can bring!

September brought us Memorable Memberships as we honored Toula Amanna with a Lifetime membership. Toula has generously supported our Club through the years with excellent meals and incredible friendships.

And Marti McGeary received a “Shining Star” Award created by Treasurer, Denise Bogner for transforming our kitchen into a beautiful showpiece!

Thank you Toula and Marti for all you do for our club!



Building our Club starts with a solid foundation!

OCTOBER, 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10 Board of Directors Meeting 1PM	11 General meeting 1PM "Camp-IN"	12	13	14	15
16	17	18 Social Lunch- Biergarten Octoberfest, 12 noon	19 Evening Meeting 7PM	20	21 Southern Region Convention Jekyll Island	22 Southern Region Convention Jekyll Island
23 Southern Region Convention Jekyll Island	24	25 Board of Directors Meeting 7PM	26	27	28	29
30	31 Happy Halloween					



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2021

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Honor Flight—Welcome Home!

Katy Freitag and Heather Behrens joined Claire Riccardi in honoring her husband at the Honor Flight on September 17th!

Next Flight is October 22nd, ask Claire for details!

Advertise in our monthly newsletter

Business card size	\$40.00 annually
1/4 page size	\$60.00 annually
1/2 page size	\$80.00 annually

Renewals are due September 1st. Please provide your digital artwork (non-pdf) to
Katy Freitag , Katyfreitag@yahoo.com

