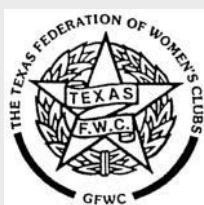


December Newsletter

Woman's Wednesday Club

GFWC
Granbury, Texas

Organized in 1897



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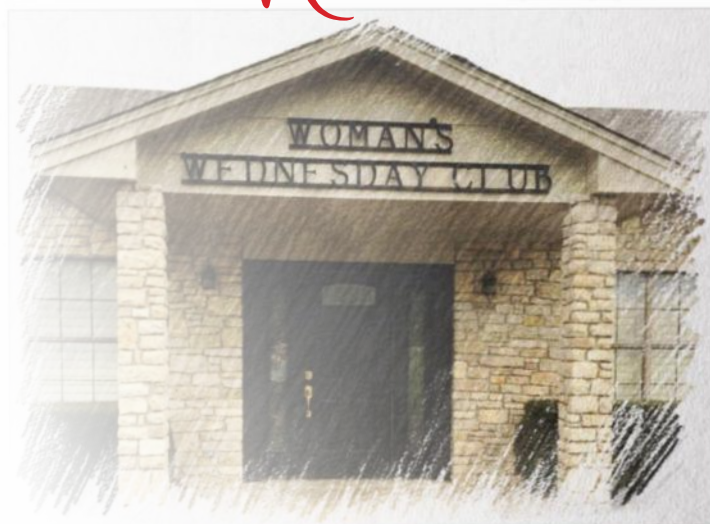
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President's Corner

Hi Everyone!

A very Happy Thanksgiving to all of you! My prayer for you is a Blessed Thanksgiving and Christmas with family and friends. I hope you can take a little time for yourselves to reboot, so you can enjoy the Season.

A huge THANK YOU to all who worked so hard on our very successful fund raiser! My very special thanks to all ladies who accepted the responsibility of chairing a committee:

- Ways and Means Chairs: Cathey Briscoe and Pat Flatt
- Finance: Melinda Charbonnet
- Tables and Seating: Diane Schumann
- Stores and Models: Laurie Vitelli
- Decorations: Donna Roessler and Nancy Priddy
- Scholarships: Lori Kaspar
- Silent Auction: Cathey Briscoe, Tammy Anderson, Pat Flatt
- Live Auction: Carolyn McLeod, Melinda Charbonnet, Cathey Briscoe
- Raffle: Brigitte Eichler and Patsy Newsom Wine Pull: Cathey Briscoe, Melinda Charbonnet, Tammy Anderson
- Program: Cathey Briscoe, Cynthia Gookins, Pat Flatt
- Menu: Melinda Charbonnet
- Shuttle: Donna Roessler
- Directing Models: Cheryl Patterson



December 5
Meeting and
Program
12:00 noon

Join us on December
5 for a terrific
program!

12:00 noon

DeCordova Country Club

Program:

"Traditional Christmas
Party"

Invocation:

Joyce Garrison

Hostesses:

Tommie Hicks, Jackie
Gilbert & Mary Lynn Martin

Pledges:

J.J. Mainord

Introduction of Program:

Tommie Hicks

Other Business:

Federation Counselor
Report - Ernestine Shugart

Dismissal:

Mary Lynn Martin



**Fundraiser
for M.D.
Anderson!**

I know there were more people who worked on these committees, my sincere thanks to all. With everyone's hard work, we have once again had a fun and successful Fund Raiser.

We will get the report on the monies earned at our Christmas Luncheon!

Hope to see you all there on December 5th at DeCordova at noon!

**Cheryl Troxel,
President**

**Meeting
Minutes**

**GFWC WOMAN'S WEDNESDAY
CLUB**

GRANBURY, HOOD COUNTY, TEXAS

November 7, 2018 Meeting

President Cheryl Troxel called the meeting to order and welcomed new members Tammy Anderson, Betty Cure, Cynthia Gookins, Janie Lewis, Kathy Preissinger and our speaker, Tiffany Danna.

Pat Flatt brought the invocation An Irish Prayer.

President Cheryl Troxel thanked the hostesses: Chair- Bobbie Fallin, Donna Vickers, Doris Wisdom, Jonnie Gaffin, Diane Miles, Zeta

Martin.

Peg Harding led the pledges of allegiance to the flags of the United States and Texas.

Program Committee member Marion Winslow introduced Tiffany Danna, Volunteer Coordinator Interim HealthCare who introduced her co-presenter Trish Reiner, Community Liaison for Interim HealthCare. They brought the GFWC Home Life program on resources for aging and dying in place as well as senior services in the community. A game of Bingo was used to help members learn the associated terminology of healthcare and hospice.

Secretary Ann Schmidt sent the October minutes electronically in the November newsletter. They were filed as distributed. 40 members, 3 honorary life members, and 2 guests for a total of 45 were present for the November meeting.

Treasurer Melinda Charbonnet will present a detailed Financial Report at the December meeting after the Fashion Show and Luncheon WWC Fundraiser this Friday.

Membership Chair Pat Flatt welcomed our five new members Tammy Anderson, Betty Cure, Cynthia Gookins, Janie Lewis, and Kathy Preissinger with nametags and distributed labels with their information for members' yearbooks.



Reminder:

Please turn in volunteer hours to Carolyn McLeod by Wednesday, December 5, 2018.



Newsletter deadline -
January 5



Ways and Means members Cynthia Gookins and Tammy Anderson explained the "Wine Pull" activity at Rockin' the Runway. 50 bottles of wine with red paper for red and silver paper for white will be "pulled" for \$20 a bottle. A numbered cork will be drawn for the \$120 bottle of wine Grand Prize. Brigitte Eichler announced the 5 raffle items and that members and guests may purchase tickets for \$5 each or 5 for \$20 before the drawing. Guests will check-in in the Tejas Room to receive their table number and name. There they can bid on the silent auction items as well. Remote parking is available at the Marina with shuttle service provided to the front door. Set-up begins Thursday at 3:30 p.m.

Civic/Community member Ann Schmidt reported for Chair Mary Moore that members brought more than 116 items for a total in-kind donation of \$703.90 for the Ada Carey Center in October. The next donations will be in February for the Rainbow Room.

Cheryl Troxel thanked Joyce Garrison for volunteering to send newsletter copies to those members that do not have email addresses.

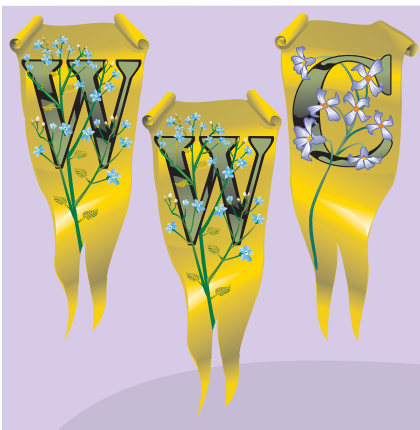
Legislation Chair Carolyn McLeod reminded members of the focus on our roots and the historical significance of many issues that GFWC has supported including establishing libraries, outside white

lines marking the lanes on highways, braille in elevators, and the food and drug act among others. Member Annie Webb Blanton was the first woman elected to statewide office shortly after women were granted the right to vote.

Courtesy Chair Bobbie Fallin sent cards in October to Joyce Garrison following her surgery. She will send cards to Mary Moore who is at Baylor Ft. Worth undergoing tests, Bobbie Brownlee and Nita Richardson who are home ill today.

MD Anderson chair Diane Miles asked members for the December luncheon to bring a check made out to WWC with MD Anderson in the memo line. Our support of MD Anderson makes many services to the families possible.

Legislation and Federation Counselor Ernestine Shugart reported on the GFWC Texas Pioneer District Fall Board meeting in October at DCBE. Twelve of the fifty-two present were from Granbury. The welcome was given by Mike Scott, IOM of the Granbury Chamber of Commerce and the response was given by Carolyn McLeod from WWC and GFWC Texas 2nd Vice President. Guest Speaker was Tracy Quist who is the Chest Pain Coordinator & Cardiac Cath Lab Director at Lake Granbury Medical Center. She presented vital



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Ernestine Shugart

Meeting Minutes, Continued

information on how to recognize the symptom of any heart-related problem and what to do if experiencing the symptoms. "The Heart Truth" is the GFWC Texas President's Special Project and this program was in support of the project.

Executive Officers and committee Chairs made reports. Information was given concerning the 2019 GFWC Annual Convention with a call for photographs of Texas scenes for the Texas State Night at the convention. Dr. Becky Millikin told about the Dr. Seuss book project (GFWC and Pioneer District President's Special Project). She told about the history of how the books were created. The two-year goal of donating 100 books was reached at the convention this year. Lynn Long conducted the workshop on Membership and Reporting. She also explained the rules of the Photography contest.

President Carol Habgood gave the GFWC Texas highlights and an invitation to the 123rd GFWC Texas Annual Convention, April 24-27, 2019 at the Crowne Plaza, Austin.

Carolyn McLeod asked WWC members to check their email for Patti Poe's email with a link to Texas Clubwoman magazine

President Cheryl Troxel reported on the insurance on the clubhouse issue thanking Melinda

Charbonnet and Cathey Briscoe for their assistance. WWC is now fully covered for the Clubhouse as well as outside rentals for only a small increase in the cost to us.

Tommy Hicks reminded members of the December 5th meeting at noon at DCBE. Bring a check for \$14.50 for the meal and another check for MD Anderson Hospital both made out to WWC.

Laurie Viselli announced the Salvation Army Women's Service League's Upscale sale at Celebration Hall on Saturday from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.

For the dismissal, Carolyn Riley asked members to pause to give thanks as she read a poem "Simply Me" by one Lori Kaspar's clients.

Meeting adjourned at 2:35 p.m.

Submitted by:

Ann Schmidt,
Recording Secretary

2018-2019 Scholarship Winners Thank-Yous

Sept 28 2018

Dear Woman's Wednesday Club,

Thank you all so very much for the wonderful 2018-2019 scholarship that you awarded me for the spring semester! I was so thrilled and honored and proud to receive it and it will help so much to further my education. I really appreciate it so much. Unfortunately I will be unable to attend the scholarship luncheon on Nov. 9. My college team has a swim meet that day that I will be competing in and as much as I would love to be there, I must be in Abilene at the



swim meet. I will be at your luncheon in spirit!

Thanks each and every one of you for this wonderful scholarship. I will make you all proud!

Love,
Jessica Snyder

Dear Woman's Wednesday Club,

Thank you so much for the scholarship you have awarded to me. I know that it will certainly help project my future and allow me to achieve my goals on my road to medical school. I am truly so appreciative for all that you have done for me, and I cannot thank you enough!

Best!
Raylee Ruff

A yellow card tilted at an angle. It features a large, stylized "ATM" logo in maroon and gold. Below the logo, the words "Thank You!" are written in a cursive font.

THANK
you

Howdy
Thank you WOMAN'S WEDNESDAY CLUB
SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE,
for supporting me
and my ambitions. I am honored
to have been considered and chosen
for this scholarship! Thank you, I
am so very grateful for this
committee for the time and energy
put forth to make scholarships
like this possible and for helping
fund my education. You all are
so deeply appreciated!

Thanks and gig 'em,
Cassidy Tugger ♡♡

Picture Perfect: November Meeting!



Our lovely hostesses!



Members!



Members!



Hard at work!



Members!



Members!



Guest Speaker

